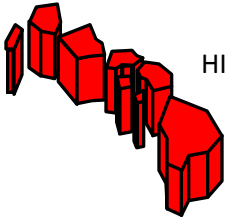
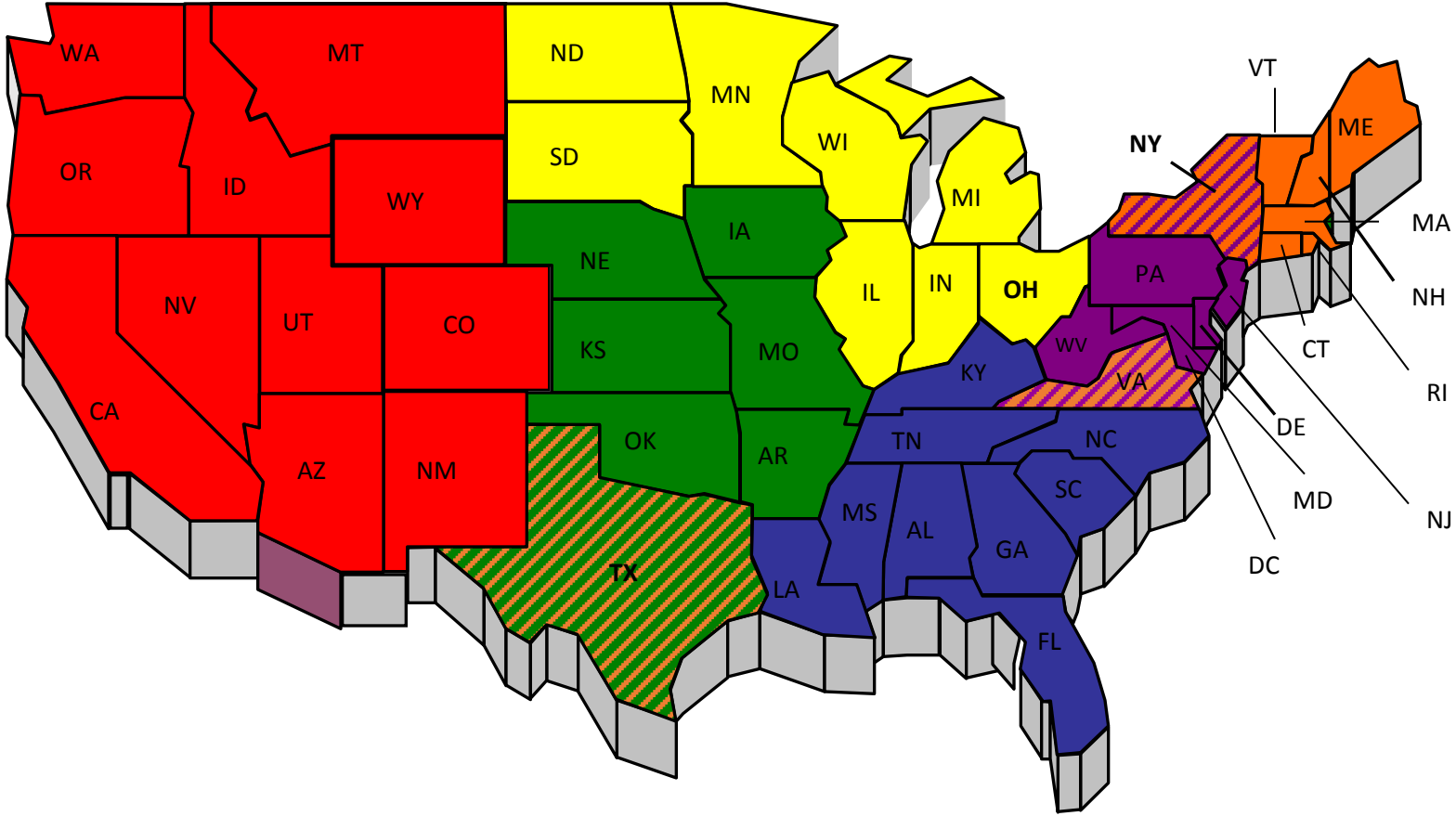
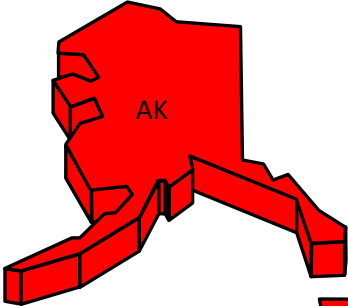


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# AFDO Regional Affiliates



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**MCAFDO**

**NEFDOA** (Includes Quebec & Maritime Provinces, Canada)

**NCAFDO** (Includes Manitoba & Saskatchewan, Canada)

**WAFDO** (Includes Alberta & British Columbia, Canada; Guam and Mexico)

# AFDO Website ([www.afdo.org](http://www.afdo.org))



- Highlighted Programs
  - Directory of State and Local Officials
  - Food Protection Program Portal
  - Laboratory Accreditation
  - Manufactured Food Regulatory Program Alliance
  - Retail Program Standards Grant Portal
  - Seafood HACCP Training
- Spotlight on Food Protection
- Spotlight on Integration
- FSMA News





# Directory of State and Local Officials



## RECENTLY ADDED

### Search by:

- Keyword: Search
- State Map / FDA Region

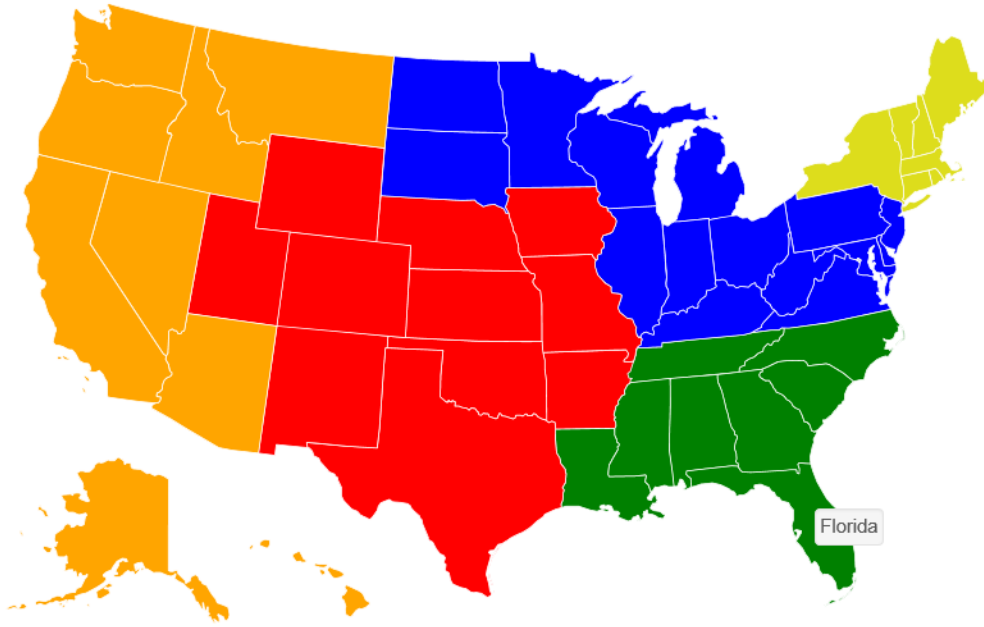
### Quick Searches:

- Tribal Jurisdiction
- Attorney General
- State Board of Pharmacy
- Consumer Protection
- Laboratory Directors
- State Epidemiologists
- Urgent Contact List
- State MFRPS Contacts
- Dairy State Contacts
- Shellfish State Contacts

### External Resources

- Local Agency Contacts
- FSIS Field Offices
- GMA Emergency Contacts
- FDA MFRPS Contacts
- FDA Consumer Complaint Coordinators
- HHS/FDA Regions and Districts
- Food Safety Specialist
- Tribal Leaders Directory
- NACCHO Directory of Local Health Departments
- AAFCO State Feed Control Officials

or, select a state/territory from the map or list below:



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# Mobile Website

<http://importedfoods.afdo.org/>

## ISSUES AND CONCERNS WITH IMPORTED FOODS

- Home
- Introduction
- Purpose of the Guide
- Responsible Agencies
- Imported Food Process
- Definitions
- Examples and Explanations
- Additional Imported Food Concerns
- Certified Food Colors Permitted in Foods
- Food Color Additives Banned in the USA
- Other AFDO Publications
- Acknowledgements

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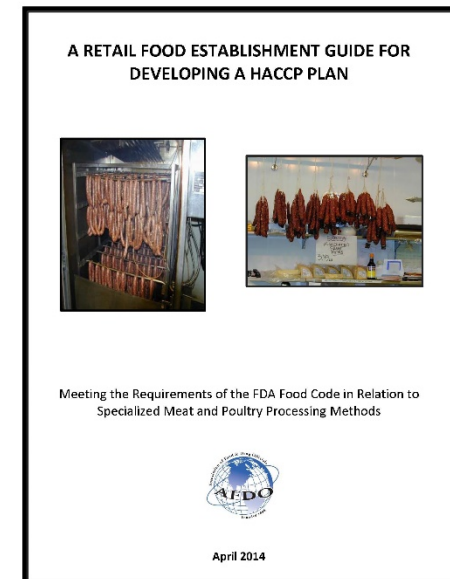
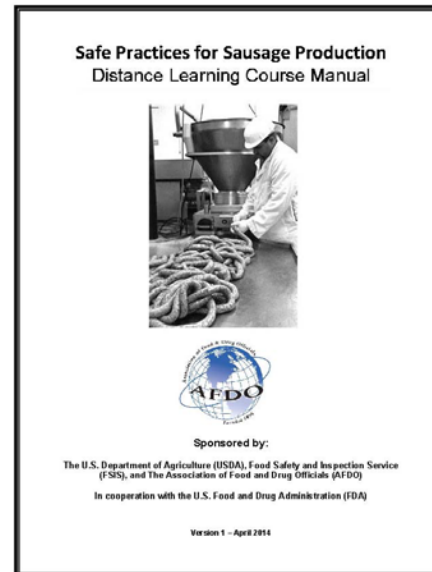
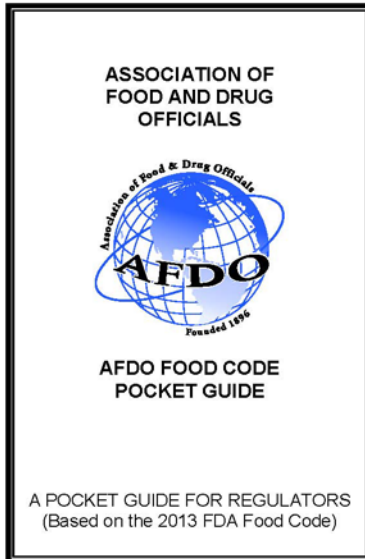
## Issues and Concerns with Imported Foods



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# Publications (New)

- Food Code Pocket Guide (2013 Version)
- Safe Practices for Sausage Production
- Retail Food Establishment Guide for Developing a HACCP Plan



# AFDO COMMITTEES

- Administration
- Allergen Ad-hoc Committee
- Alumni (**RESURRECTED**)
- Industry Associate Membership (**NEW NAME**)
- Drugs, Devices & Cosmetics (**NEW NAME**)
- Food
- Food Protection & Defense
- Foodborne Outbreak & Emergency Response
- International & Government Relations
- Laboratory, Science & Technology
- Laws & Regulations
- Professional Development
- Seafood





# Allergen Control at Retail

- Ad-hoc Committee
- Develop guidance document for controlling allergens in retail food and food service
- Regulatory partners, industry, trade associations, Food Allergy Research & Education (FARE)
- Distribute document at 2016 AFDO Conference



# AFDO 2015 Resolutions

[www.afdo.org/resolutions](http://www.afdo.org/resolutions)

- Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards
- Enhancing FSMA Implementation
- Date Labeling of Food
- Functional Food Defense Plans





# 120<sup>th</sup> AFDO Annual Educational Conference

## Save The Dates!

- ▶ June 25-29, 2016
- ▶ Pittsburgh, PA
- ▶ The Omni William Penn Hotel



# Affiliate Funding \$\$\$

- \$1,700/Affiliate for future leaders to attend AFDO Conference
- Scholarship Funding
- TTT – Produce Safety & Preventive Controls [1 person/Affiliate]





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FOOD SAFETY PREVENTIVE CONTROLS ALLIANCE



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# AFDO FSMA / Integration Proposals



- Integration Forum
- Safe food transportation training
- Produce safety survey of states



Integration Forum  
Exhibition Hall  
Town Hall



# 2016 Food Safety Summit

Chicago, IL  
May 8-10, 2016



# Seafood HACCP Alliance



- Established Executive Committee
- AFDO Train-the-Trainer Courses
- Increase visibility internationally
- Partnering with JIFSAN (Joint Institute for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition) for International Training
- Aquaculture Training
- **Safe Food Transportation Training**





# Safe Food Transportation Training

- Developing safe food transportation training modules for drivers, managers, regulators, and law enforcement
- Use of customized webinar format
- Utilize Seafood HACCP Alliance infrastructure



# PSA & FSPCA Train-the-Trainer

**AFDO will Fund 1 person from each affiliate to complete the PSA and FSPCA Train-the-Trainer course so they can provide the training to states**



FOOD SAFETY PREVENTIVE CONTROLS ALLIANCE



# Grants & Cooperative Agreements

- Alliance for Advancing a National Integrated Food Safety System
- Building an Integrated Laboratory System to Advance the Safety of Food and Animal Feed
- Designing a VNRFRPS Funding System in Support of a National IFSS
- Food Code Tracking Contract
- NASDA Produce Safety Implementation



# AFDO Alliance for Advancing a National Integrated Food Safety System – Key Projects

- MFRP Alliance Meeting: February 1 – 4, 2016, Louisville, KY
- Developing a Processing Authorities List
- Updating the State Resource Survey last published in 2008
- Assisting PFP Workgroups with completing charges
- Developing a Safe Food Transportation Web Course to introduce best practices for preventing the contamination of food and feed during transport



# Building an Integrated Laboratory System to Advance the Safety of Food and Animal (APHL/AAFCO/AFDO) – Key Projects

- Governmental Food and Feed Laboratories Annual Meeting, February 1-4, 2016, Louisville, KY
- Completing competencies and course blueprints for Governmental Laboratory Food and Feed Curriculum Framework entry level foundational courses
- Participating in the development of a Data Acceptance Guide to facilitate data sharing
- Facilitating the dissemination and implementation of the Guidance on Obtaining Defensible Samples (GOODSamples)



# Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards (VNRFRPS)

- Accepting Applications 09/01/15– 10/09/15
- Open to state, local, territorial, and tribal regulatory retail food programs that have enrolled in the Retail Program Standards
- Year 3 funds available \$1,974,242 (up from \$502,500 in Year 2)
- Years 1 and/or 2 recipients are eligible to apply once again for funds in Year 3
- **Notifications 11/20/2015**

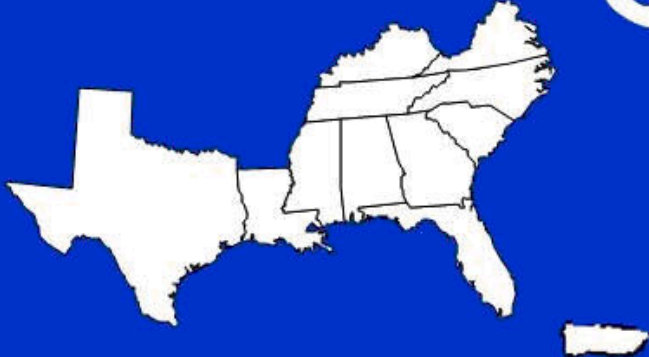


# FDA Food Code Tracking Contract

- Prepare research reports on the status of laws, rules and regulations in all states and territories and consistency with FDA Food Code related to,
  - Requirements for consumer advisories for raw and undercooked animal foods
  - Requirements for no bare hand contact with Ready to Eat Foods
  - Cottage Food production, sale and distribution requirements



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