



# Food Safety Training Program

## Internal Auditing for Food Safety Management Systems Course Description

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Internal auditing is one of the main requirements for a food safety management system (FSMS) and the most effective way to evaluate its effectiveness. Once a food safety management system is in place and implemented, the only way to verify that all requirements of the system are being implemented correctly is through an internal auditing program.

The following course will provide you with the knowledge to conduct an internal food safety audit against any GFSI approved food safety standards; including FFSC 22000, BRC, SQF and IFS. You will learn the process of creating an audit schedule, which would include all food safety legal requirements for a facility to ensure consistent compliance. Participants will also have the opportunity to create an individual internal audit plan.

**By the end of the course, participants will be able to:**

- Develop an internal auditing plan.
- Recognize key elements of audit plans and schedules.
- Create and audit reports.
- Follow up on corrective actions.
- Identify best practices for ensuring that internal audits are a success.

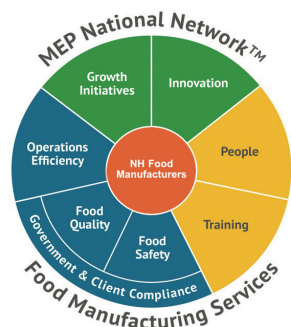
The participant will receive a certificate of successful completion for the course after passing a written knowledge test following the training course.

**The course is designed for:**

- Internal Food Safety Auditors
- Second party auditors
- Quality Control/Assurance personnel
- Production Management/Supervisors

**Course Length – 24 Hours**

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## Our Team

As part of a nationwide network of MEP centers in all 50 states linked together through the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), NH MEP enables even the smallest firms in New Hampshire to have easy access to more than 1,400 manufacturing technical and business specialists, along with the latest technology and industry best practices.

## ROI Impact

The New Hampshire MEP will assist your organization in a transformation from traditional to world-class manufacturer. Our experienced project managers will work with your team to identify conditions which may be impeding your ability to become more competitive and prosperous. We can assist in providing the resources to help you maximize your profit. In working side by side with your leadership, the MEP becomes a partner for success.

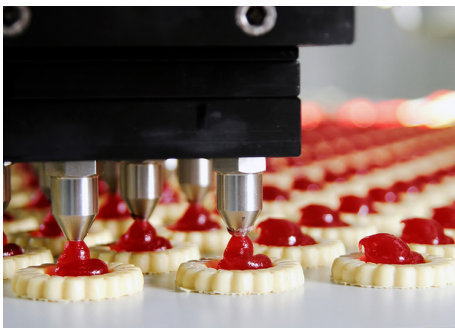
## Integrally Involved

We provide affordable, innovative solutions to the problems encountered by today's manufacturing enterprise by facilitating interaction between industry, government and academia.

Included among our services are: Operational Excellence, Workforce Development, and Innovative Growth Solutions.

## About the MEP Network

The New Hampshire Manufacturing Extension Partnership (NH MEP) is able to leverage a vast array of public and private resources and services that are available to every manufacturing enterprise in the state. The nationwide system of MEP centers is linked through the U.S. Department of Commerce - National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), with the common goal to strengthen the global competitiveness of U.S. manufacturers.



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