

PRODUCE SAFETY TRAININGS



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OSU PRODUCE SAFETY TRAINING PROGRAMS

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GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES (GAPs)

- Provides training to assist growers with achieving GAPs Certification
- Curriculum based on the National GAPs Program
- Conducted by OSU Extension Fresh Produce Safety Team members
- Funding support from the ODA Specialty Block Crop Grant Program
- Participants receive a Certificate of Completion and Record-keeping Binder
- Three-hour program, \$25 participation fee

FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT (FSMA)

- Provides training to help growers comply with the FSMA Fresh Produce Safety Rule
- Curriculum based on the Produce Safety Alliance (PSA) Training Program
- Prior training in GAPs is strongly encouraged
- Conducted by OSU Extension Fresh Produce Safety Team members with PSA training
- Trainings require the presence of a PSA Lead Trainer who can be from within the state or out-of state
- Participants receive a Certificate of Completion and all program materials
- All day (8 hr) mandatory participation, \$85 *minimum fee* required
- Preventive Control Qualified Individuals (PCQI) training – **COMING SOON!**

OSU FRESH PRODUCE SAFETY TEAM

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