

Food Safety Education PDG

People's opinions about foods often conflict with one another. As consumers, we sometimes seek to revisit the diet of our ancestors and consume food as raw as possible, but at the same time we want our raw food to be as safe as fully processed foods. As businesses, we want to take advantage of the globalization of food supply chains, yet we expect our foreign suppliers to hold the same standard to those which are local. As regulatory agencies, we want to standardize food safety regulations, not only in the United States, but expanding it for imports and still have flexibility in implementation to enhance compliance. We often subconsciously desire one thing while demanding the opposite. These opposing demands generate tremendous challenges for food safety education.

Food Safety Education PDG provides a forum for IAFP members to learn, network, and share

information and resources about education, training, and outreach for various audiences. Our PDG has 394 members of various backgrounds from industry, academia, to government. Diversity of our members brings in diverse and valuable food safety education experiences. No matter if you are interested in networking, sharing, learning, collaborating, or simply listening, you are welcome to join us! By gathering the wisdom of our PDG members, we aim to advance food safety knowledge, promote behavior change and improve practices that mitigate food safety risks around the world.

Stay connected with our PDG through IAFP Connect and join us in PDG webinars and annual meetings! We are looking forward to meeting you and hearing your food safety education stories!

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