

Food safety education is a high priority for producers, processors, government regulators, food handlers, food retailers, and consumers. For this reason, The Pennsylvania State University's Cooperative Extension, with its network of university specialists and extension educators in 67 counties, is in a unique position to foster the development of a food safety education partnership. By working together with government, agriculture, industry, academia, and consumers, we have the potential to significantly impact the incidence of foodborne illness across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and ultimately, the United States.

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Directions to PPL Environmental Learning Center:

From Interstate 81 North or South: Proceed to Interstate 84 East. Take I-84 to Exit 8 (Mt. Cobb/Hamlin). Make a left at the end of the exit ramp. Go to traffic signal & make a right onto Rte 348 East. Follow Rte 348 about 3 miles to the end & make a left onto Rte 590 East at the stop sign (Shaffer's Hardware). Follow Rte 590 for about 15 miles to US Rte 6 & make a right onto Rte 6 East. Go over the 4-lane concrete bridge and make first right onto PPL Drive to the Learning Ctr.

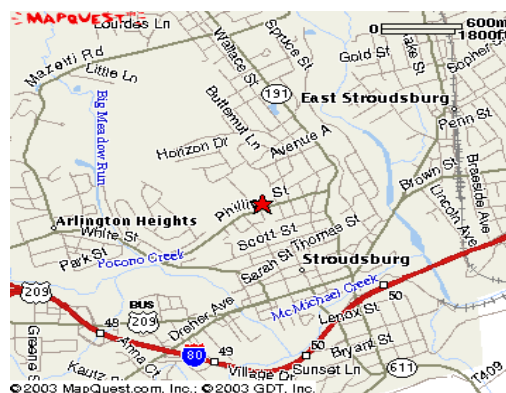
From Allentown area: Take US Rte 22 East to Rte 33 North and then Rte 209 North & I-80 East to Exit 309 (Marshall's Creek). Follow Rte 209 North to 3rd traffic signal. Turn right & at next traffic signal just ahead turn left. Bear right onto Rte 402 North & follow to the end. Make left onto Rte 6 & travel about 2 miles past the Wallenpaupack Area HS on your left. Make next left onto PPL Drive to the Learning Center.



Directions to Monroe Co. Extension Office:

From I-80 East: Exit at 303 (9th Street). Go through 4 lights. After Aldi's, get in the left lane and turn left onto Phillips Street. Go about 1/2 mile. Turn left on Sunrise Drive and take the second parking lot entrance on the right. Cooperative Extension is in the only two-story building, on the second floor. Enter through the double door and take the elevator or stairs to the second floor.

From Main Street, Stroudsburg: Turn onto 8th Street until you come to the T which is Phillips St. Turn right onto Phillips & then turn left onto Sunrise Dr. Follow above directions.



Penn State EXTENSION

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Food Safety

ServSafe[®] Certification or Recertification

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM **AND**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 9:00 AM—2:00 PM

MONROE COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE,
 STROUDSBURG, PA

OR

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM **AND**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 9:00 AM—2:00 PM

PPL ENVIRONMENTAL LEARNING CENTER AT
 LAKE WALLENPAUPACK, RTE 6, HAWLEY, PA

The Penn State Cooperative Extension Service and the Department of Food Science are committed to increasing food safety for all Pennsylvanians through a wide variety of research-based programs.

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an OUTREACH Program of the College of Agricultural Sciences, and Monroe County Cooperative Extension

ServSafe®
Food Safety Training
Certification or Recertification

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Receive the latest updates to the PA Food Code and PA Food Employee Certification Act
- Participants will learn the 7 elements of food handling safety:

Food Borne Illness	Cleaning & Sanitizing
Time & Temperature	Facilities Equipment and Layout
Personal Hygiene	Regulatory Requirements
Food Safety Tracking System	

COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Food Safety operates under regulations from a number of laws, including the Food Act (Act 70), the Public Eating and Drinking Act (Act369), the PA Food Code and the PA Food Employee Certification Act.

CERTIFICATION

Certification is mandatory for all food establishments Effective July 1, 2004.

RECERTIFICATION

Recertification is mandatory five years after the initial certification date. Only 7.5 hours of refresher training is required. The ServSafe® exam is not required.

Please note that participants MUST attend both classes for the ServSafe® program in order to sit for the exam and to fulfill PDA certification and recertification requirements.

Date: **Thursday, October 22, 9:00 am—1:00 pm AND**
Thursday, October 29, 9:00 am—2:00 pm (Exam starts at 1:00 pm)

Location: Penn State Cooperative Extension in Monroe County,
724 Phillips Street, Suite 201, Stroudsburg PA

OR

Date: **Monday, November 2, 9:00 am—1:00 pm AND**
Monday, November 9, 9:00 am—2:00 pm (Exam starts at 1:00 pm)

Location: PPL's Wallenpaupack Environmental Learning Center, 126 PPL Drive, Hawley PA

Registration is due by October 8th for both the Stroudsburg and Hawley classes.

Register in person with cash or a check or by mail with a check. Register by fax if your company is paying for the course and include an authorization letter to bill the agency (fax 570-424-1984). Certification students will receive their textbook and class materials by priority mail prior to the class.

REGISTRATION FORM

ServSafe®

(Check one)

- Certification
OR Recertification

(Choose one)

- October 22 & 29, Stroudsburg PA**
OR
 November 2 & 9, Hawley PA

Name _____

Home Address _____

Employer _____

Employer Address _____

Daytime Phone _____

Evening Phone _____

E-mail _____

Fees:

- \$175.00 for Certification (text, exam & lunch on day 2)
- \$140.00 for Recertification (includes text, no exam)
- \$100.00 for Recertification (no text or exam)

Total enclosed: _____

Checks payable to: PSCE Program Account

Please return registration form and payment to:

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Stroudsburg PA 18360-2242
Phone: 570-421-6430 Fax: 570-424-1984

Registration deadline: Friday, October 8th.