



MFRPA Strategic Plan

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Background

- Brainstorming session in Albuquerque
- Identified areas of MFRPA involvement
- Categorized into “buckets” (goals)
- Used to develop Mission/ Vision Statements
- Developed high level Strategic Plan

Mission Statement

- To advance an Integrated Food Safety System in the United States by providing a common forum for state, territorial, and federal regulators to develop, maintain, and improve quality management systems for manufactured food regulatory programs.

Vision Statement

- Function as a responsible steward and advocate of the United States Food and Drug Administration's (FDA)'s Manufactured Food Regulatory Program Standards (MFPRS) ensuring that all states and territories can develop effective regulatory systems to advance food safety and protect public health.

Guiding Principles

- The Manufactured Food Regulatory Program Alliance (Alliance) serves as a key forum for state, territorial, and federal parties to advance the concept and development of an Integrated Food Safety System that allows for sharing of data and information in support of mutual reliance in areas of shared regulatory jurisdiction.

Guiding Principles

- The Alliance connects states with each other to share information and best practices to improve conformance with the MFRPS and better protect public health.
- The Alliance invites a broad set of stakeholders to harmonize quality management systems across all areas of food safety including manufactured food, retail food, and food laboratories.

Strategic Goals

- **Goal 1**

- *Maintain and advance the MFRPS.*

- Incorporate PC and other FSMA rules
 - Explore outcome based ISO type standard
 - Encourage participation in MFRPS

Strategic Goals

- **Goal 2**

- *Strengthen state & territorial manufactured food regulatory programs through collaboration.*

- Mutual reliance between states and FDA
 - Sharing of best practices
 - Support training
 - Operationalize FSMA

Strategic Goals

- **Objective 3**

- *Provide effective messaging channels between states & FDA, for manufactured food-related issues.*

- *Enhance messaging channels between states and FDA*
 - *Establish procedures for communication*

Workgroups 2019/20

FSMA



Outcome-based Standards



A word cloud on a yellow background with the words 'safety' and 'food' in large, bold letters. 'safety' is purple and 'food' is pink. Surrounding them are various smaller words in different colors and orientations, including 'forum', 'FDA', 'connect', 'protect', 'maintain', 'alliance', 'steward', 'manufactured', 'improve', 'share', 'health', 'effective', 'develop', 'state', 'advocate', 'reliance', 'public', 'integrated', 'common', 'mutual', 'harmonize', 'retail', 'territory', 'laboratory', 'advance', and 'efficient'.

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