

AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND FOOD STANDARDS CODE, SAFETY REGULATIONS AND LABELLING LAWS

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW



Did you know that Australia and New Zealand's food standards code and regulatory compliance is one of the most complex in the world? With over 20 chapters and thousands of pages of detailed technical requirements covering composition, production, processing, labeling and more, these regulatory compliances make it complex for businesses to understand and implement fully. In addition, the code is frequently updated, with over 50 changes made annually.

This certified program is designed to simplify and empower you with an indepth understanding of food safety management, enabling you to effectively navigate the intricate legal and ethical terrains associated with food standards and labeling. You will learn about vital food legislation, including the HACCP Section 3.2.3 and Codex 2023 update, primary production standards code, Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) and other crucial legislations that govern critical aspects of food safety provision. This program will also provide you with a comprehensive overview of various risk management strategies, thereby equipping attendees with a nuanced understanding of Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP) to ensure regulatory compliance.

Additionally, you will gain insights of the food recall protocols in Australia and New Zealand, as well as the governing regulations for food service providers in these jurisdictions. The program also emphasizes the significance of traceability, outlining its key components and inherent advantages in food safety. Moreover, you will gain proficiency in food composition, additives, spoilage, and microbial analysis to avoid contamination which can be immediately applied in your practice. Finally, you will be well versed with regulatory and statutory frameworks for ethical food production and labelling, safe handling techniques, and the principles guiding advertising compliance. By the end of the program, you will acquire the expertise needed to navigate the complex legal and ethical landscape of food safety and labelling in Australia and New Zealand.

Upon successfully completing the program, you will receive the highly respected Certification in ANZ Food Safety and Regulatory Compliance, enhancing your professional credentials and amplifying your expertise in the vital area of food regulatory compliance. This industry-recognized certification offers lifelong validity and distinguishes you as an expert in ensuring highest quality and safety standards in food service management.

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KEY SKILLS YOU WILL GAIN

From This Program





Clare Winkel

Award Winning Food Safety & Compliance Expert

With over 30 years of experience in the food industry, Clare Winkel is a globally recognized food safety expert. She has held positions in **government**, **research**, **consulting**, **and international food safety auditing across Australia and 14 other countries**. Clare was instrumental in aligning seaweed food safety standards with FSANZ and 3rd party HACCP as part of an AgriFutures Australia project. She also helped develop audit criteria for the Australian poultry, egg, and seafood industries.

A BRCGS Approved Trainer since 2023, Clare was nominated for SQF Auditor of the Year in 2014 and received the International Association of Fish Inspectors award in 2013. In 2003, the Queensland Government highly commended Clare for her exceptional work training indigenous seafood processors. Her diverse expertise spans GFSI, retail, and fast-food safety guidelines. With her deep knowledge and passion for food safety, Clare is a recognized leader in improving global food quality and safety standards.



YOUR FACULTY DIRECTOR

Vinay Narayan

Highly-Established Food Auditor, Food Consultant & Trainer

Vinay Narayan is a seasoned regulatory and quality assurance professional and trainer with Integrity Compliance Solution, where he delivers specialized courses on food labelling legislation and environmental monitoring. With extensive experience in the food and medical nutrition industries, he has held senior leadership roles including Head of R&D at Flavour Creations and Regulatory Affairs Manager at Kerry, overseeing compliance with food safety regulations, product quality, and labelling laws.

A certified BRCGS Lead Auditor, Vinay has led regulatory and R&D teams in building and implementing robust food safety systems, ensuring ISO 22000 compliance, and managing product development from concept through to market launch. Recognized for his ability to mentor teams, drive process improvement, and strengthen regulatory compliance frameworks, he brings a unique blend of technical expertise and practical training experience. His work continues to support organizations in navigating the complexities of the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code, safety regulations, and labelling laws with confidence and excellence.

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MODULE 1 - OVERVIEW OF FOOD STANDARDS CODE AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND (FSANZ)

Lesson 1 - Introduction and Standards That Apply to All Foods

Lesson 2 - Food Safety Standards

Lesson 3 - Primary Production Standards

Lesson 4 - Schedules

Lesson 5 - Genetically Modified Foods

Lesson 6 - Nutrition and Health Claims

Lesson 7 - Food Standards Development

Process

MODULE 2 - HACCP PROGRAM

Lesson 1 - Construction & Verification of Flow Diagram

Lesson 2 - Hazard Analysis & Risk Assessment

Lesson 3 - Identifying Critical Control Points (CCPs)

Lesson 4 - Establishing Critical Limits

Lesson 5 - Monitoring and Recording Food

Safety Hazards

Lesson 6 - Compliance to Food Safety and

Regulatory Requirements

Lesson 7 - Section 3.2.3

Lesson 8 - Codex 2023 Update

MODULE 3 - PRIMARY PRODUCTION STANDARDS

Lesson 1 - Food Safety Requirements for Primary Production

Lesson 2 - Mandatory Requirements for Primary Production

- Standards 4.2.1
- Standards 4.2.2
- Standards 4.2.3
- Standards 4.2.4
- Standards 4.2.5
- Standards 4.2.6
- Standards 4.2.7
- Standards 4.2.8
- Standards 4.2.9

Lesson 3 - Food Safety Issue Identifications and Corrective Actions

Lesson 4 - Good Agricultural Practices

Lesson 5 - Adherence to Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Case Study 1 - Melon Incident



MODULE 4 - FOOD COMPOSITION AND ADDITIVES

Lesson 1 - Types of Substances That May be Used as Food Additives

- Preservatives
- Flavor Enhancers
- Colorants
- · Emulsifiers and Stabilizers
- Sweeteners
- Antioxidants
- Thickeners
- Acidulants
- Nutrient Fortifications

Lesson 2 - Technological Purposes Performed by Substances Used as Food Additives

Lesson 3 - Food Processing Aids

MODULE 5 - FOOD MICROBIOLOGY

Lesson 1 - Microorganisms in Food

Lesson 2 - Food Safety

Lesson 3 - Food Spoilage

Lesson 4 - Microbial Analysis

Lesson 5 - Regulatory Compliance

Lesson 6 - Aspects of Quality Control

Case Study 2 - Foodborne Illness Outbreaks

and Investigations

MODULE 6 - LABELLING REQUIREMENTS

Lesson 1 - Food Standards Code

Lesson 2 - Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC)

Lesson 2.1 - Truth in Labelling - Food Fraud & Product Claims

Lesson 2.2 - Country of Origin Labelling (CoOL)

Lesson 3 - National Measurement Institute (NMI)

Lesson 4 - Allergen Labelling Requirements: Food

Standards Code & Schedule 9 & 10

Lesson 4.1 - PEAL - Plain English Allergen

Labelling Changes

Lesson 5 - Food Standards Code: Sections 1, 2 & Schedules Covering NIP & Mandatory Advisory Statements

Lesson 6 - Labelling of Additives & Processing Aids

Lesson 7 - Review of Health Star Ratings

Lesson 8 - Review of Weights & Measures

Requirements



MODULE 7 - RECALLS FOR AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Lesson 1 - Reasons for Food Recalls

Lesson 2 - Recall Process

Lesson 3 - Recall Classes

Lesson 4 - Recall Regulatory Requirements &

Preventative Measures

Lesson 5 - Examining the 2023 FSANZ Recall

Protocol in Detail

Lesson 6 - Recall Process for Exported

Products

Lesson 7 - FSANZ Documentation

MODULE 8 - TRACEABILITY

Lesson 1 - Importance of Traceability

Lesson 2 - Traceability Systems Components

Lesson 3 - Implementation

Lesson 4 - Benefits of Food Safety

Traceability

Lesson 5 - Challenges of Traceability

Case Study 3 - Seafood

MODULE 9 - CONTAMINANTS AND RESIDUES

Lesson 1 - Microbial Contaminants

Lesson 2 - Chemical Contaminants

Lesson 3 - Veterinary Drug Residues

Lesson 4 - Environmental Contaminants

Lesson 5 - Biological & Toxins

Lesson 6 - Health Risks

Lesson 7 - Regulatory Limits

Lesson 8 - Good Agricultural Practices

Lesson 9 - Preventative Measures

Case Study 4 - Thebaine

MODULE 10 - COMPLIANCE IN ADVERTISING

Lesson 1 - Understanding the Audience

Lesson 2 - Truthfulness and Accuracy

Lesson 3 - Substantiation

Lesson 4 - Clear and Conspicuous Disclosures

Lesson 5 - Comparative Advertising

Lesson 6 - Regulations and Industry Standards



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