

# TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONNECTICUT CERTIFIED FOOD INSPECTORS

## **\*\*Updated Information\*\***

- **Understanding Legal Orders and the Appeals Process March 20, 2014, 8:30 am – 12:30 pm**  
Location: To Be Determined  
This course was previously scheduled on 2/13/14 and was postponed due to weather conditions. Please check for updates regarding location and registration on CTTrain. Certified Food Inspectors that are still interested in attending this training will have to re-register.  
The CT Department of Public Health in collaboration with Office of the Chief State's Attorney is hosting a training for local Directors of Health to help clarify legal orders and the hearing/appeals process. The session will include a presentation on enforcement of regulations related to food service establishments. **Four (4) contact hours will be awarded towards food inspector recertification for full attendance at the training.** Register for Course #1048041 at <https://ct.train.org>. For more information contact Meghan Bennett at DPH Local Health Administration at [meghan.bennett@ct.gov](mailto:meghan.bennett@ct.gov).

## **Save the Date:**

- **FDA Training Course #207: Plan Review April 8-10, 2014** This course will provide an overview of the plan review process with an emphasis on a menu and process based design and necessary equipment. Instruction is lecture based with group activities. FDA restricts the number of attendees so registrants should be those who are or will be responsible for conducting plan reviews. DPH may need to restrict attendance to one person per local health department if warranted by demand. Course will be posted at <https://ct.train.org> in the near future. **Fifteen (15) contact hours towards food inspector recertification will be awarded for full attendance.** Partial credit will not be given so please be sure you can attend all 3 days before registering.
- **Northeast Food & Drug Officials Conference May 14-16, 2014** Embassy Suites Portland, 1050 Westbrook Street, Portland, MA 04102. Annual NEFDOA conference with presentations on the latest food protection issues. Conference details and registration information to be provided. **Contact hours to be determined.**
- **FDA Training Course #ER310 Food Safety Issues in the Event of Disasters: Practical Application June 9 & 10, 2014**, DPH, Hartford. This new course incorporates interactive and performance-based activities to address food safety issues commonly faced in the event of a disaster. Food safety response and recovery issues that will be covered include situational assessments, inspectional concerns, salvage and other mitigation strategies related to food retail and processing facilities impacted by a natural or man-made disaster. Space is limited to 50 participants. **Twelve (12) contact hours towards food inspector recertification will be awarded for full attendance.** *Important Note: Registration requires that participants have completed a four hour introductory on online course.* Information on the prerequisite course and registration to be provided in the near future.
- **FDA Northeast Region Food Protection Seminar August 19-22, 2014** Annual seminar to be held in Rhode Island. Conference details and registration information to be provided. **Contact hours to be determined.**