



Beef Industry Safety Summit

April 7, 8 and 9

Fort Worth



Tuesday, April 7th

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Best Practices – Working Group Sessions
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	BIFSCo Scholar Reception
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Welcome Reception and Open Registration

Wednesday, April 8th

7:00 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast and Open Registration
8:00 am – 8:15 am	Opening Remarks
8:15 am – 9:00 am	FSIS Regulatory Update
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Research Update
9:30 am – 10:15 am	The Evolving Food Safety Environment: Challenges, Shifts, and Opportunities
10:15 am – 11:00 am	The Big Challenges in Food Safety—And Why They are Hard to Solve
11:00 am – 11:30 am	Research Update
11:30 am – 12:30	Lunch
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Think First, Test Second: The Philosophy Behind It
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Think First, Test Second: The Operational How
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Break and Poster Viewing
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Best Practice Breakout Sessions
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Industry Response Round Table
4:30 pm	BIFSCo Member Meeting
4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Reception and Poster Viewing



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Thursday, April 9th

6:30 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast and Open Registration
7:30 am – 8:15 am	Research Update
8:15 am – 8:45 am	Building Toward a Milestone: Preparing for 25 Years of Progress in Beef Safety
8:45 am – 9:00 am	Research Highlight
9:00 am – 10:30 am	Best Practices at Work: A Results-Focused Case Study
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Research Update
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Pathogen Pressures: What's Shifting
12:00 pm – 12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45 pm – 2:00 pm	Hot topics
2:00 pm – 2:45 pm	Foreign Material in Further Processing
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	Near Misses: The Close Calls That Teach Us Most
3:30 pm	Summit Wrap-up and Closing