



# FOOD SAFETY WORKSHOP

## How does this affect my business?

There are significant changes planned within the government Food Hygiene Rating Scheme. Greater emphasis is to be placed on the control of cross-contamination with particular focus on E-Coli 0157.

This could mean that existing scores could be downgraded, if you cannot meet the revised criteria!!

It could also mean that if you have not yet been assessed, you could receive a disappointing rating.

## Why is it important to gain the highest possible rating?

It will soon become law for food premises to display their Food Hygiene Rating so that it can be clearly seen by your customers. The ratings are already available on line and there are now Apps available to look up the safety and hygiene scores for many food premises. The scheme will be further enhanced to cover the majority of food premises in the UK

## Who cares?

Your customers are becoming much more discerning about where they eat and much more concerned about standards of food hygiene. The Food Standards Agency has an ongoing high-profile awareness programme which is designed to tell the public about the dangers of food poisoning and how to reduce the risks – this includes advising your customers to look out for the Food Hygiene Rating Scheme score.

## How can I find out more?

SAFAS is presenting a half-day workshop for food businesses that care about their customers and reputation. This workshop is designed to provide you with the latest information about how hygiene ratings are assessed, common mistakes that can reduce your rating and what measures you can take to help ensure that your business receives a top rating score.

## Reserve your places now

SAFAS workshops are very popular and you are advised to book early to avoid disappointment!

VENUE  
Great Fosters Hotel & Conference Centre,  
Stroude Road,  
Egham,  
Surrey, TW20 9UR

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2012**  
**Registration 9:15**  
**Start 9:30**  
**Close 13:30**

£55+VAT per person

Contact Helen Woolley to reserve places – 01483 720500 [helen@safas.co.uk](mailto:helen@safas.co.uk)

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