





### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

MA PHIT FCP is designed to promote comprehensive and consistent enforcement of MA State Sanitary Code Chapter I [105 CMR 400.000](#): General Administrative Procedures and Chapter X [105 CMR 590.000](#): Minimum Sanitation Standards for Food Establishments (which incorporates portions of the [1999 Federal Food Code](#)). Intended participants are from municipal and state agencies charged with enforcement of these regulations. The goal of 105 CMR 590.000 is to safeguard public health and to provide consumers food that is safe, unadulterated, and honestly presented.

*NOTE:* The long-term goal of MA PHIT FCP is to provide the means for local health agencies to meet Standard 2 of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards. As resources become available MA PHIT FCP will be modified to incorporate specific provisions of the requirements of Standard 2. Standard 2 refers to essential elements of a trained regulatory staff.

Please visit the online course guide to learn more: <http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/lphi/maphitfcp/>.

### CLASSROOM PRE-REQUISITES

1. Completed *Registration Form* that includes signed release by a supervisor (see page 1).
2. Possession of 1999 Federal Food Code. **Trainees MUST bring a copy to class.**
3. Proof of completion of the following online modules and ORAU courses (estimated at 45 - 50 hours). We recommend starting two to three months prior to classroom training (ORAU requires registration and approval that can take more than one week). **Trainees MUST provide proof of completion in order to start the classroom training.**

Courses	Note: Completion of all courses is estimated at 45 – 50 hours
LPHI Online Module <a href="#">Food Protection</a>	Available online and free of charge, but does require registration
<a href="#">ORAU</a> online courses	Available online and free of charge for government regulators, but does require registration (allow at least one week for processing)  ORAU <a href="#">required courses</a> ( <a href="http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/lphi/maphitfcp/MAPHITFCP2.html">http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/lphi/maphitfcp/MAPHITFCP2.html</a> )  Scroll down to ORAU icon
FDA Introduction to Food Security Awareness	Currently only available as a <a href="#">pdf</a> to read

View the [online course guide](http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/lphi/maphitfcp/index.html) for program information (<http://sphweb.bumc.bu.edu/otlt/lphi/maphitfcp/index.html>)