

# Mid-Michigan District Health Department 2020 Food Safety Course Schedule

## Gratiot County Manager Certification

~~Course #: February  
Mon. February 10  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 01/10/20  
(Limited Seating < 40 students)  
At: Ithaca Public Library  
125 W Center St, Ithaca~~

## Clinton County Manager Certification

~~Course #: April  
Thu. April 16  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 3/16/20  
At: Agro-Liquid Fertilizer  
3055 M-21, St. Johns~~

## Montcalm County Manager Certification

Course #: June  
**Tue. June 16**  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 5/18/20  
At: Stanton Elementary School  
710 N. State St., Stanton

## Clinton County Manager Certification

Course #: August  
**Tues. August 18**  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 7/20/20  
At: Agro-Liquid Fertilizer  
3055 M-21, St. Johns

## Gratiot County Manager Certification

Course #: October  
**Wed. October 14**  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 9/14/20  
(Limited Seating < 40 students)  
At: Ithaca Public Library  
125 W Center St, Ithaca

## Montcalm County Manager Certification

Course #: December  
**Thur. December 3**  
8:30 am – 5:30 pm  
Register by 11/03/20  
At: Stanton Elementary School  
710 N. State St., Stanton

\* Class locations and exam dates may change dependent on class size. Required minimum sizes may impact if a class or exam will be held. This department will contact students if there are any changes. \*

**Students are encouraged to pick up course materials at least one week prior to class. Materials are available at each of our branch offices in Clinton, Gratiot, or Montcalm Counties.**

## Course Descriptions

**Manager Certification – (Class and Exam)** This course consists of the National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) HealthGuard Professional Food Manager Certification Training course and the National Registry of Food Safety Professionals Food Safety Manager credentialing examination. Upon passing the exam the nationally recognized certification is valid for 5 years. Successful candidates qualify as a certified managerial employee under MI Food Law. (Minimum 10 Students for a class and exam to be held.)  
**Required materials: You MUST bring a valid, government issued, photo ID to the test.**

**Re-Certification / Exam Only – (Exam Only)** Students may choose to take the Manager Certification Exam on one of the above dates without attending the full class. Please complete the registration form and indicate “Exam Only”. Students are encouraged to pick up course materials at least one week prior to the exam. This option is designed for candidates renewing an expiring ANSI accredited certification. Upon passing the exam the nationally recognized certification is valid for 5 years. Successful candidates qualify as a Certified Managerial Employee under MI Food Law.  
**Required materials: You MUST bring a valid, government issued, photo ID to the test.**

**Food Handler Certification** – Designed for non-managerial employees who are involved with food preparation. Attendance at the classroom presentation and passing a short quiz rewards the candidate with a Food Handlers Certificate from the National Environmental Health Association. The certificate granted will not qualify the candidate as a certified managerial employee under MI Food Law. There will be a requirement of at least 10 students to schedule a course which will depend on the instructor schedule. If interested, contact this department to get options for scheduling this course.

If a facility would like to request any of the above listed trainings on a different date than the dates posted, please contact this department at least 60 days prior to your preferred class date. MMDHD will assess scheduling and staffing to determine if the proposed dates and times can be accommodated. Minimum of 10 students for class and exam shall be required. Please contact Charity Little at 989-227-3017 or at [clittle@mmdhd.org](mailto:clittle@mmdhd.org) if there are any questions.

Please return the registration form by the registration deadline noted. You can mail your completed registration form to the Clinton County Branch Office at 1307 E. Townsend Rd, St. Johns, MI 48879, e-mail it to [pblack@mmdhd.org](mailto:pblack@mmdhd.org) or [clittle@mmdhd.org](mailto:clittle@mmdhd.org), or you can fax it to (989) 224-4300. Contact Charity Little at (989) 227-3107 or Bryan Fowler at (989) 875-1020 if you have any questions, or require further information.