



Laboratory Testing and Inspection

Laboratory Information Management System

An automated system that provides the real time status of samples and is accessible to Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services pesticide laboratory customers via an explorer type interface reduces data entry by 50%. For more information, please contact Patty Lucas at (850) 488-9375 or lucasp@doacs.state.fl.us. 2007 DACS-002

Risk Based Inspection Form

A risk based program for inspection of the 43,000 food service establishments regulated throughout the state focuses on factors and interventions identified by the Federal Center for Disease Control as the leading causes for foodborne illness in the nation. This program is adaptable for use by other agencies performing food service inspections. For more information, please contact Rick Akin at (850) 488-1133 or Rick.Akin@dbpr.state.fl.us. 2007 DBPR-012

Screening Process Reduces Laboratory Costs

A screening process for reviewing laboratory vendors' invoices identifies and tracks pending and subsequently approved Medicaid applications through the FLORIDA computer system. Thousands of dollars in lab costs are saved. For more information, please contact Lisa Corey at (386) 437-7350 or Lisa_Corey@doh.state.fl.us. 2007 DOH-021

Laboratory Qualification Program

A grading system evaluates the performance of laboratories and helps to allocate resources where needed. The cost of inspections has been reduced. For more information, please contact Cristina Crawford at (352) 955-6634 or cristina.crawford@dot.state.fl.us. 2007 DOT-014