



# Food and Agriculture Sector Information Sharing Newsletter June 2011

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## Food and Agriculture Sector Announcements

DHS Announces Grant Guidance for Fiscal Year (FY) 2011 Preparedness Grants: [DHS](#)  
FEMA Announces Preparedness (Non-Disaster) Grants information: [FEMA](#)

## Recently on HSIN

Livestock Skin Cells May Spread Foot-Mouth-Disease: [Livermore, CA](#)  
Remarks on the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) by Michael Taylor, Deputy Commissioner for Foods, FDA: [Speech](#)  
Incidents and Hot Topics/Mississippi Valley Flooding 2011: [HSIN-CS](#)

## Industry News

Disaster Assistance Available for Producers: [USDA](#)  
In China, Fear of Fake Eggs and 'Recycled' Buns: [NY Times](#)  
Oysters likely to be wiped out in the Mississippi Sound: [Biloxi, MS](#)  
S3: Science, Safety, and Security Program: [Public Health Emergency](#)

## Reports, Publications, Legislation

FDA issues first new rules under Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA): [FDA](#)  
Proposed Rule for the Agriculture Priorities and Allocation Systems: [CFR](#)  
Food and Agriculture Sector Open Source Digest: [May 2011](#)

## Calendar of Events [Calendar](#)

June 11-14	Institute of Food Technologists (IFT) 2011 Annual Meeting & Food Expo
June 14-15	USDA & FBI hosting Louisiana State University Food Defense Workshop
June 18-22	Annual Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO) Conference
June 18-20	National Environmental Health Association (NEHA), Annual Educational Conference
June 23-24	Food and Agriculture Sector Joint Quarterly Meeting

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