



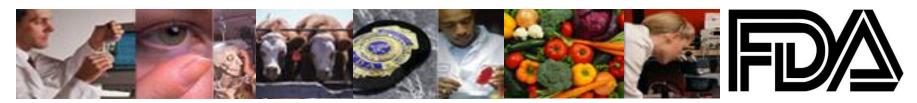
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Information Sharing with State and Local Officials

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Agenda

Types of Protected Information

Confidentiality Agreements

• DFSR's Role



Types of Protected Information

Commercial Confidential Information (CCI)

Pre-decisional Information

Trade Secrets



Confidentiality Agreements

- 20.88(d) agreements
 - Covers CCI and pre-decisional information only
 - Currently only used for Food, Feed, and Laboratoryoriented program areas
 - Preferred for information sharing only
- Commissioning
 - Covers all information including trade secrets
 - Commissions cover all program areas
 - Wall certificates versus pocket credentials



Agency 20.88 Communications Agreements

- New agreement covering an entire health or agriculture agency
- Single signature with points of contact
- Last 5 years
- Allows for information sharing will all employees of that agency
- State and local agencies able to sign



DFSR's Role

- DFSR acts as a liaison between Federal, State, and Local partners
- DFSR supports/manages several information sharing, communications, and outreach programs and initiatives:
 - Commissioning (Traditional and Tobacco)
 - 20.88(d) blanket agreements
 - External broadcast lists by program area
 - Internal/External Reportable Food Registry (RFR) lists
 - Situation Reports
 - Council of Association Presidents (CAP)



References

• 21 CFR 20.61 – Trade Secret and CCI

 21 CFR 20.88 (d) – Communications with State and Local Officials

Regulatory Procedures Manual (RPM)
Chapter 3 – Work Sharing Agreements





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