

Global Standard for Food Safety Issue 8: Lead Auditor

Duration 5 Days.

Target Audience

Certification body auditors or new auditors seeking registration, technical and quality managers who wish to gain an in-depth understanding of the audit process, consultants.

Course Description

This in-depth course will provide an understanding of the Standard in terms of the protocol, requirements and how to audit effectively. Delegates will learn how to undertake a BRCGS audit, including effective planning, conducting and reporting of the audit. Auditing techniques will be practiced and developed, to include the auditor competency skills required of GFSI scheme auditors. Delegates must have a prior working knowledge of quality management systems and auditing within the relevant manufacturing sector and have completed a HACCP course of at least two days duration. Successful completion of this course, including the exam, forms part of the training necessary to become a BRCGS auditor.

Learning Outcomes:

Following this course, delegates will have a full understanding of:

- The details of the BRCGS scheme and the BRCGS Directory
- The requirements of the Standard and how compliance can be demonstrated
- BRCGS auditing protocol
- Effective auditing techniques
- Food safety auditor competencies as defined by GFSI
- Completing the audit report
- Compliance monitoring of certification bodies

Assessment 50 question exam; Pass mark 75%.

Certification/Accreditation - BRC