USDA FSIS Virtual Public Meeting
Salmonella - State of the Science
Tuesday, September 22, 2020, 9:00 am – 3:15 pm ET
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9:00 AM Logistics
Shayla Bailey, Moderator, FSIS, USDA

9:05 AM Welcome
Paul Kiecker, Administrator, FSIS, USDA

9:10 AM Opening Remarks
Mindy Brashears, PhD, Under Secretary for Food Safety, USDA

9:30 AM FDA Presentation
Frank Yiannas, MPH, Deputy Commissioner for Food Policy and Response, FDA

10:00 AM Public Health Challenge of Salmonellosis in the 21st Century
Robert Tauxe, MD, MPH, Director, Division of Foodborne, Waterborne, and Environmental Diseases, CDC

10:30 AM Salmonella Trends – What the Science Tells Us
Kis Robertson Hale, DVM, Chief Public Health Veterinarian and Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Public Health Science, FSIS, USDA

10:45 AM BREAK

11:00 AM Scientific Basis for Performance Standards
Denise Eblen, PhD, Assistant Administrator, Office of Public Health Science, FSIS, USDA

11:15 AM Role of FSIS Laboratories and Sampling Methods in Reducing Salmonella
William Shaw, PhD, Executive Associate for Laboratory Services, Office of Public Health Science, FSIS, USDA

11:30 PM Role of Science in Modernizing Inspection Systems
Philip Bronstein, PhD, Assistant Administrator, Office of Field Operations, FSIS, USDA

11:45 PM LUNCH

12:15 PM Welcome and Housekeeping
Shayla Bailey, Moderator, FSIS, USDA
12:20 PM  Role of Science in Consumer Research and Education
Carol Blake, Assistant Administrator, Office of Public Affairs and Consumer Education, FSIS, USDA

12:35 PM  Roundtable Discussion
Shayla Bailey, Moderator, FSIS, USDA

1:05 PM  Role of Research at FSIS
Isabel Walls, PhD, Senior Public Health Advisor and Scientific Liaison, Office of Public Health Science, FSIS, USDA

1:15PM  USDA Agricultural Research Service Research to Reduce Salmonella Contamination in FSIS-regulated Products
Kimberly Cook, PhD, National Program Leader, Food Safety, ARS, USDA

1:45 PM  BREAK

2:00 PM  FSIS Wrap-up: Future Opportunities and Challenges
Mindy Brashears, PhD, Under Secretary for Food Safety, USDA

2:15 PM  Pre-registered Public Comment
Shayla Bailey, Moderator, FSIS, USDA

3:00 PM  Closing Remarks
Terri Nintemann, Deputy Administrator, FSIS, USDA

3:15 PM  Adjourn