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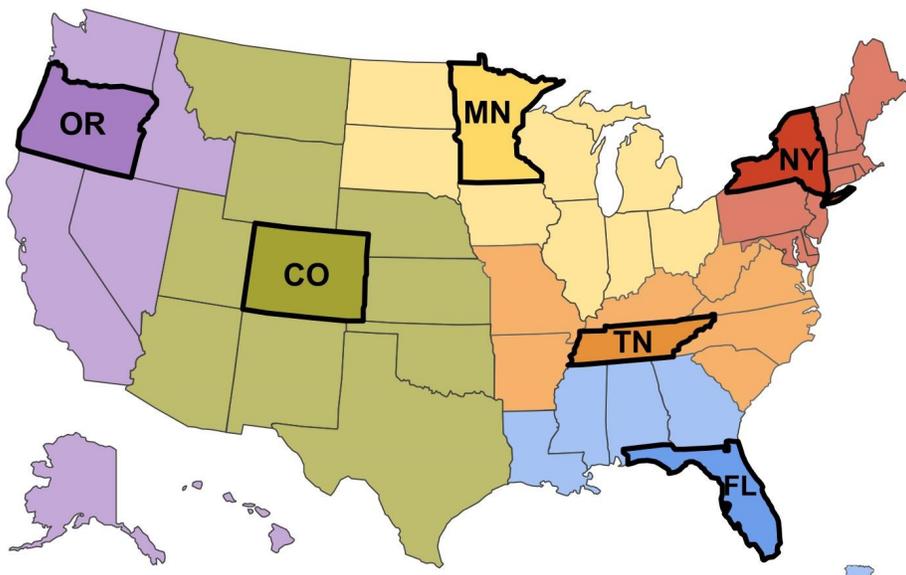
## About the Integrated Food Safety Centers of Excellence

CDC has designated six Integrated Food Safety Centers of Excellence comprised of state health departments and affiliated university partners in CO, FL, MN, NY, OR, & TN. The Centers work together to identify and implement best practices in foodborne disease surveillance and outbreak response and to serve as a resource for other state and local public health professionals. CoE products can be accessed at <http://www.CoEFoodSafetyTools.org>.

## New CoE Regions

### Centers of Excellence introduce point-of-contact map to guide the search for assistance or training

As the Centers of Excellence (CoEs) continue to broaden the range of resources they have developed to help build capacity for foodborne disease investigation, it has become increasingly difficult for external agencies to maintain awareness of which sites produce each new tool. Hence, the new CoE regional structure, shown below. The map divides states and territories into geographic regions assigned to each of the CoE sites. These divisions are not intended to limit interaction, but rather to provide a first point-of-contact that can help guide jurisdictions to the resources that will best meet their needs.



Each Center offers unique expertise including many topics not captured in the tools listed here or on the CoE products website. Let us help you navigate the wide array of assistance we can provide to identify which site is the most appropriate match for your needs!

### Find Us Online:

CO — <http://www.cofoodsafety.org/>

FL — <http://foodsafetyflorida.org/>

MN — <http://mnfoodsafetycoe.umn.edu/>

NY — <http://nyfoodsafety.cals.cornell.edu/>

OR — <http://www.healthoregon.org/fomes>

TN — <http://foodsafety.utk.edu/>

Tools — <http://www.CoEFoodSafetyTools.org>

CDC — <http://www.cdc.gov/foodsafety/centers/>

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### Tools and Resources available online:

- Interview Questionnaires and Training
- Environmental Health Assessment Quick Trains
- Specimen Collection & Testing Resources
- Epi-Info Training Videos
- Complaint Investigation Tools
- ... and much more!



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