

EXHIBITOR CHECKLIST

RIGHT AWAY	DEADLINE
Review Booth Display Guidelines and What's Included With My Booth	Right Away
Update your Listing in the Online Directory and Mobile App	Right Away
Register for your Complimentary Exhibitor Badges sent by email from FMI register@fmi.org	Right Away
Begin reviewing Food Sampling Rules and Regulations and required forms	Right Away
Register for the Exhibitor Webinar, taking place January 16 at 2:00 pm EDT	Right Away
Review the Marketing Tool Kit, and promote your participation in the event	Right Away
JANUARY	DEADLINE
Register for and attend the Exhibitor Webinar at 2:00 pm EDT	January 16
Purchase Additional Badges by the Early Bird Discount Deadline	January 22
Last day to cancel or downsize booth space without penalty	January 24
FEBRUARY	DEADLINE
Required Food Sampling Forms and Catering Orders due – February 14	February 14
Booth Material shipments accepted at the Advance Warehouse (NO frozen or refrigerated product) February 21 – March 17	February 21 - March 17
Notice of Intent to Hire an EAC for GES due	February 21
EACs to submit the Agreement to the Rules and Regulations between GES and EAC and upload their Certificate of Insurance for GES	February 21
MARCH	DEADLINE
Last day to receive discounted rates on GES booth services and furnishings	March 3
World Center Marriott Hotel Block Reservations Cut-off	March 3
Last day to place orders with Lowe Rentals (refrigerated & frozen cases)	March 10
Last day to receive discounted rates for Electric, Plumbing, Air, Water	March 11
Last day to receive discounted rates for Internet & Telecommunications	March 14
Last day for Booth Material shipments to arrive at the Advance Warehouse	March 17
Refrigerated/Frozen product for the HOTEL (to cook and prep) accepted Direct to Show	March 19-21
Refrigerated/Frozen product for the BOOTH accepted Direct to Show	March 19-22
Booth Material shipments accepted Direct to Show	March 22-25
Purchase Food Sampling Insurance for the World Center Marriott	March 21
Download the Mobile App before heading to Orlando	March 21