

Food and Drug Administration Fact Sheet - Oregon

FDA Presence: 13 FDA employees in Oregon
Resident Posts: Portland and Beaverton who
report to: Seattle District, Bothell, Washington who
reports to: Pacific Region, Oakland, California

Industry Presence in State

There are 2,837 FDA-regulated establishments in the State of Oregon
(Some firms are in more than one category)
Food establishments (includes cosmetics) - 69 percent
Medical device and Radiological establishments - 17 percent
Human drug establishments - 8 percent
Animal drug and feed establishments - 4 percent
Biologic establishments (includes blood banks) - 2 percent

Industry Highlights

- Oregon agriculture, fisheries, and food processing activities are valued to exceed \$5.25 Billion in commerce.
- Biotechnology, medical device, and medical research activities are growing industries within the State.

Contracts, Partnerships & Local Activities

State Contracts

Oregon Department of Agriculture

- Conduct food sanitation inspections.
- Conduct follow-up investigations of violative tissue residues in food animals at the time of slaughter.
- Conduct BSE inspections.

Oregon State Department of Human Resources

- Conduct inspections of mammography facilities

State Partnerships

Oregon State Department of Agriculture

- Share information and training to enhance consumer protection in food safety.

Local Activities

FDA representatives participate in:

- Interagency Food Safety Team
- Oregon Alliance Working for Antibiotic Resistance Education
- Oregon Emergency Planning for Food Security, including Food Defense
- Collaborative activity with the Northwest Food Processor Association to promote food defense awareness