



2016 Agritourism Workshop

Exploring human and environmental health issues at agritourism events and operations, including apple orchards, pumpkin patches, and working farms that host the public

Presented by the Minnesota Department of Health Epidemiology and Environmental Health Divisions (MDH) and the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA)

Agenda:

5:30 PM: Registration, Boxed Dinners, Networking

6:00 PM: Welcome and Introductions

6:10 PM: Environmental Health Issues

Jim Roettger (MDA) and Sarah Conboy (MDH-EH)

- Food safety and licensing requirements
- How to find your inspector

6:50 PM: Q&A with MDA and MDH

7:10 PM: Break

7:20 PM: Human Health Issues at Agritourism Operations

Carrie Klumb and Joni Scheftel (MDH-EPI)

- Corn maze, hayride, and corn pit safety
- Working farm safety issues
- Petting zoo best practices

8:00 PM: Q&A with MDH

8:20 PM: Wrap-up

8:30 PM: Workshop concludes

