

## National Extension Association of Family & Consumer Sciences

National Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences professionals provide families with evidence and science-based programs enabling them to improve their family's well-being in health, financial management, food and nutrition, food safety, healthy homes and environments, family life and technology, improving daily lives and creating vibrant communities in which they live.

**Natural disasters** have life changing impacts on families. Extension FCS provides timely information on preparing for a disaster and providing information related to food safety and disinfecting following a disaster.

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Extension FCS **community health and wellness** programs continue to positively impact communities.

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**Diabetes** is a common, serious, and expensive disease in the US with an estimated 27 million people diagnosed by health professionals. In many communities, Extension FCS is the trusted local source for nutrition information on how to live with the disease.

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**Family stability and vitality** is an important part of our Extension Family and Consumer Sciences mission.

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Extension FCS has a long history of helping consumers learn to better manage **resources and money** to improve their quality of life.

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Living in a **safe, healthy home and environment** improves overall health and quality of life. Extension FCS programs and direct contact help consumers recognize and address mold, radon and indoor air quality as well as prepare for emergencies.

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**Childhood obesity** for youth, ages 2-19, continues to be a national epidemic. Extension Family and Consumer Science programs are making a difference.

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Access to **food and good eating habits** have a direct impact on health and nutrition. For many communities Extension FCS is the only source for nutrition education and how to prepare food at home.

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Home gardening and buying food locally has increased and with it the request for accurate information on **preserving and processing food**. Extension FCS is the source for accurate information by answers to questions, providing hands on classes and testing pressure canner equipment for accuracy and safety.

View the full report at https://bit.ly/2023-food-safety



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Get to know your local Extension Family and Consumer Sciences professionals. Find us at your local extension office, on campus at our land grant universities or out in the community helping to make living easier.

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