

# Mushroom Identification / Food Safety Certification

Provided by the Minnesota Mycological Society

Instructors: MMS Board Members

## Mushroom Foragers and Food Service – Safe Identification for Commercial Sale of Wild Foraged Mushrooms

In accordance with the Minnesota Food Code 4626.0155: Mushroom Foragers wishing to sell their Wild Foraged Mushrooms to Commercial Establishments **must have** successfully completed a course in: Mushroom Identification, Traceability and Safe Food Handling and provide documentation (letter or certificate) of course completion from a Mycological Society or Academic Institute to the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA)

The following mushrooms will be included for identification/certification:

Lobster Fungus	<i>Hypomyces lactiflorum</i>
Hedgehog	<i>Hydnum repandum</i>
Heridium species (many common names)	<i>Heridium americanum, coralloides and erinaceus</i>
Giant Puffball	<i>Calvatia gigantea</i>
Hen of the Woods, Sheephead or Maitake	<i>Grifola frondosa</i>

Additional Topics Covered:

- ✓✓ Basics of mushroom identification
- ✓✓ Collecting, Storage, and transportation
- ✓✓ Edibility concerns
- ✓✓ Mushrooms that may be confused with look-alikes and poisoning issues which may result from consumption

**This 6-hour workshop is being offered July 22, 2017 (9am - 3 pm)**

**Registration Fee:** \$70.00 for non-MMS members, \$60 for current MMS members (\$10 discount for previous MMS certification class attendees)

**Time:** 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

**Location:** Lebanon Hills Visitor Center Discovery Room, Lebanon Hills Regional Park, Eagan (860 Cliff Road, Eagan, MN 55123)

Payment should be sent with the registration form below. Checks made payable to MMS and write "certification class" in the memo section

**Complete the information below and send to:**

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Because space is limited to 35 attendees, it is important to return this registration as soon as possible.

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