

FOOD SAFETY AWARD 2022



AWARDING EXCELLENCE IN FOOD SAFETY

ABOUT THE AWARD

Leverage maturity assessment & building capacity through CII Food Safety Award 2022, to showcase internationally benchmarked practices on Food Safety in Micro, Small, Medium and Large Food Businesses. The Award is one of its kind and focusses on Food Safety Maturity Assessment to promote excellence.

Since its inception in 2010, the CII Food Safety Award has become a symbol of credibility and pride for Food Business operators. More than recognition, the Awards measure performance and provide detailed feedback for opportunities to excel.

Applications will have to be Unit specific and CII will be seeking good practices that showcase the establishments food safety strategy and its deployment through systems, results and various other Change Management Initiatives.

SECTORS



Bakery & Bakery wares



Beverages



Dairy Products



Eggs & Eggs Products



Fish & Fish Products



Meat & Meat Products



Confectionery



HORECA



Spices & Seasoning



Health Supplements & Nutraceuticals



Tea



Food Packaging Material



Food Testing Laboratories



Snacks & Savouries



Oils



Ecommerce



Street Food



Retail & Wholesale



Innovation in Food Safety System & Practices



Flavors & Like Products



Joint Application: Partnership Development

You should apply for:

Obtaining an assessment on Food Safety Maturity to identify Road map to Excellence.

Identifying strengths and opportunities to excel, based on a comprehensive and rigorous assessment from an external perspective.

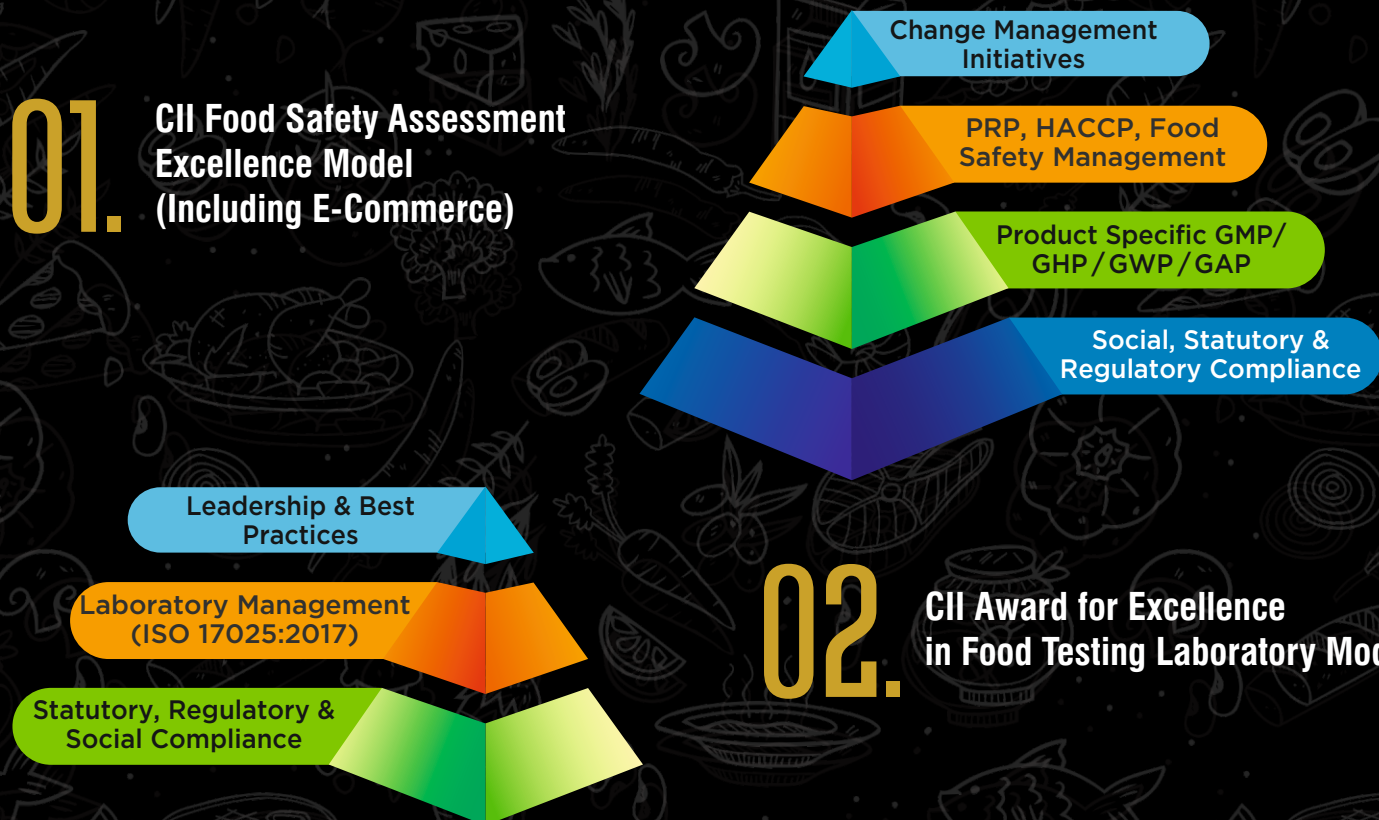
Being recognised as a Role model on Food Safety.



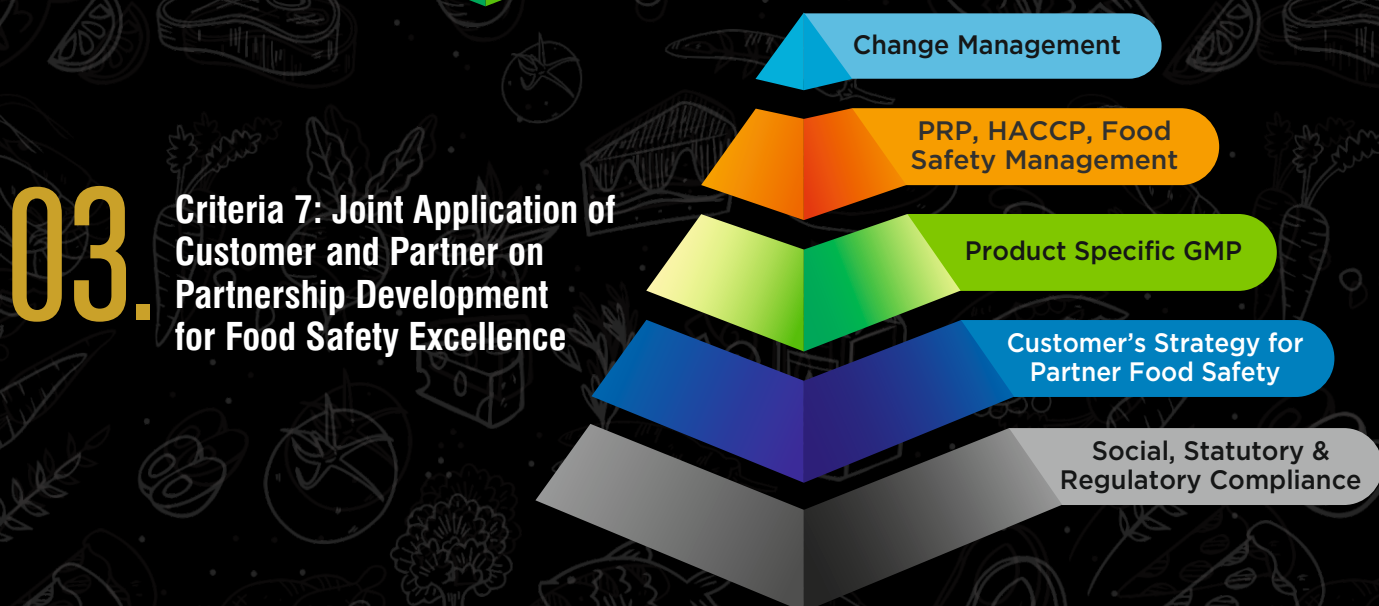
& others

CII Food Safety Award Models

01. CII Food Safety Assessment Excellence Model (Including E-Commerce)



02. CII Award for Excellence in Food Testing Laboratory Model



03. Criteria 7: Joint Application of Customer and Partner on Partnership Development for Food Safety Excellence



04. Innovation Management with Food Safety Model

VOICES: CII Food Safety Award Ceremony 2021



Mr Arun Singhal, IAS, CEO, FSSAI

It is a pleasure to note that the CII Food Safety Award program has helped raise awareness on sustainable success through benchmarks in food safety systems and provide guidance to those seeking to achieve it. Based on a process of feedback

and review with stakeholders and in line with the changing market scenario, the assessment models have been duly upgraded. It is also heartening to note that the typical on-site Award program transitioned into a virtual mode under the pandemic situation since 2020 and continued to motivate organisations to challenge it.



Mr Piruz Khambatta, Chairperson - CII Food Safety Awards Committee & CMD, Rasna International

The CII Food Safety Award has evolved since 2010 to now include 12 customised criteria including that for e-Commerce. It is a framework for preparing

organizations to achieve benchmark attributes through interaction with experts from an external perspective.



Dr Gyanendra Gongal (WHO), Jury member for CII Food Safety Awards

The CII Award for Food Safety is gaining popularity among food industries as the evaluation criteria are robust and is supported by a detailed pre-jury assessment.



Dr. Chindi Vasudevappa, Chair - Jury CII Food Safety, Vice Chancellor, NIFTEM (under Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India)

The CII Food Safety Award Model is a practical and holistic toolkit which can be used for

assessment of organisations on the path to world class food safety and robust change management systems. It helps identify gaps and stimulate solutions for a roadmap on continual improvement.

Past Applicants Testimonial

Mr Sumit Nair, Country Manager - India, Newly Weds Foods India Pvt Ltd

The CII Food Safety Award has grown over the years and has become a brand in itself in India and so is the process by CII over the years. The entire process, transparency, involvement & experience of lead assessors involved in assessment is commendable. For us every assessment is a learning process which helps us in making our system more robust, similarly CII assessment has also helped us in many ways

Mr Nilesh Shah, Associate Director - Food Safety, Abbott Nutrition

CII's Food & Agriculture Centre of Excellence (FACE) is considered as the best platform in country to recognize role models on Food safety. The Maturity Assessment helps link the relevant performance indicators of the unit to the Food Safety & Change Management enablers. By promoting benchmarking, CII Food Safety Award has helped industries in strengthening capacity building of the Indian Industry. We are thankful to CII for providing such an opportunity to enhance and showcase our performance over the years.

Mr Sujan Chakraborty, Division Quality Head, ITC Ltd, Food Division

The Food Safety Award has been an excellence journey over the years, where we not only shared our Food Safety Technological maturity but also had a two way learning from eminent experts



Thank You Members of the JURY & AWARDS Committee



Dr Chindi Vasudevappa

Chair, Jury
CII Award for Food Safety,
Vice Chancellor, NIFTEM
(under Ministry of Food Processing
Industries, Govt. of India)



Dr Gyanendra Gongal

Regional Advisor (Food Safety),
Food and Fit,
Healthier Populations and NCD,
WHO Regional Office for
South East Asia



Dr Kaushik Banerjee

Principal Scientist-National
Research Centre for Grapes &
Chairman India Section AOAC Intl



Dr Uttam Kumar Chatterjee

Pre Jury Chair
CEO, TPM Consulting Co



Dr Nimish Shah

MD, IAPMO India
Chairperson, CII Expert Group
on Food Safety & Quality
and Formerly Unilever &
Toilet Board Coalition



Mr Piruz Khambatta

Chairperson - CII Food Safety
Awards Committee &
CMD Rasna International

KEY DATES

Stage 1 : Application

- ♦ Receiving Application of Intent
- ♦ Receiving filled application document from the applicant
- ♦ Preliminary screening of the applications

Stage 3 : Awards Announcement and Feedback Reports

- ♦ Awards Ceremony
- ♦ Exhaustive feedback report to all applicants

Stage 2 : On-site Assessment

- ♦ 4 days Virtual Assessment by the Trained Assessors
(Comprising Consensus by assessment team)
- ♦ Calibration of Scores by a common Calibrator
- ♦ Review of Assessment Reports by a Reviewer
- ♦ Jury meeting to decide on winners
- ♦ Some applicants may additionally be requested to undergo 2
man-days physical assessment based on Site visit queries
(cost of travel and stay to be borne by the applicant)

IMPORTANT DATES

08 April 2022

Last date to Submit
Letter of Intent (LoI)

22 April 2022

Last date to Submit
Application Document

25 April - 19 August

Site Visit to Applicant Units

16 December 2022

Award Ceremony

Assessment week will be proposed by Senior Assessor. The applicant will have the option of choosing dates within + / - 7 days of the proposed dates.

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