



## WORLD FOOD SAFETY DAY

**Theme: prepare for the unexpected**

5<sup>th</sup> June 2024 | 10:00 – Ecuador time

Plataforma [PAHO Zoom](#) and [PAHO TV Channel](#)

Wednesday   5 <sup>th</sup> June 2024   10:00 a.m. Ecuador time	
10:00 - 10:25	<p><b>Welcome Speech</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Ottorino Cosivi</i> – Director, PANAFOTSA/VPH-PAHO/WHO.</li> <li>- <i>Mario Lubetkin</i> – Regional Representative, FAO/RLC.</li> <li>- <i>José Urdaz</i> - SAIA Program Manager, IICA.</li> <li>- <i>Raúl Rodas</i> - Executive director, OIRSA.</li> <li>- <i>Larry Rivera</i> - Executive director, Agrocalidad, Ecuador.</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: <i>Raúl Peralta, OIRSA</i></p>
10:25 - 10:30	Official Video <i>Codex Alimentarius</i>
10:30 - 10:55	<p><b>Strengthening national food control systems</b></p> <p><i>Víctor Rivera</i> - Coordinator of the International and Regulatory Affairs Area, Chilean Agency for Food Safety and Quality (ACHIPIA).</p> <p>Moderator: <i>Lorena Medina, IICA</i></p>
10:55 - 11:20	<p><b>Estimating the global burden of foodborne diseases</b></p> <p><i>André Santos</i> - Advisor, Food Safety and Surveillance, PANAFOTSA/VPH-PAHO/WHO.</p> <p>Moderator: <i>Daniela Vivero, Agrocalidad, Ecuador</i></p>
11:20 - 11:45	<p><b>Perspectives on Food Safety: The Role of Different Actors</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Euthalia Philgence</i>, Food Safety consultant, Saint Lucia Bureau of Standards, Saint Lucia.</li> <li>- <i>Darin Sukha</i> (PhD), Researcher at the Cocoa Research Centre, University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus, Trinidad and Tobago.</li> <li>- <i>César Perez</i>, President, Frescura Tropical, República Dominicana.</li> <li>- <i>Camilo Montes</i>, President, Latin American Alliance of Food and Beverage Industry Associations (ALAIAB), Costa Rica.</li> <li>- <i>Sandra Herrera</i>, Industrial Engineer, Independent Consultant, Colombia.</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: <i>Miguel Andrés De Pablo Goya, FAO/RLC</i></p>
11:45 - 11:55	<p><b>Q&amp;A session</b></p> <p>Moderator: <i>Miguel Andrés De Pablo Goya, FAO/RLC</i></p>
11:55 - 12:00	<p><b>Closing session</b></p> <p><i>André Santos, PANAFOTSA/VPH-PAHO/WHO</i></p>

Moderator: Rommel Betancourt, Agrocalidad, Ecuador