

Pre-Assessment Plant Audit



NSF Consultative Bottled Water Pre-Assessment Plant Audit

- **Learn how close you are to being prepared for FDA, IBWA, NSF Certification, or other Third-Party Plant Inspections.**
- Prior to the on-site visit, we request you forward to us your HACCP plan and other documents you would like us to review. We don't "re-write" the documents, but we will study what you send and use that to help prioritize what we focus on during our visit.
- On the scheduled day, our experienced NSF Professional, trained in HACCP, GMP's and knowledgeable in food safety and quality management comes to your plant for a one day, one-on-one consultation.
- Our approach is designed around pragmatic recommendations based on years of practical in-plant bottled water experience.
- Discussion and assessment of where you are with regard to Good Manufacturing Practices for Bottled Water including conformance with 21 CFR, Parts 110, 129 & 165.110 and other requirements, if applicable.
- The NSF Product Certification Audit Checklist is used as a discussion guide, but no score is recorded. This approach allows facility management to focus on learning how the operation measures against what regulators and customers are likely to look for during inspection. The report describes in a narrative word picture what is observed and highlights the areas that should be focused on to meet expectations for outside audits.
- This consultation focuses on three areas:
 - **HACCP Program:** Review of your Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point plan and how you have integrated all seven principles into daily operations.
 - **Good Manufacturing Practices:** Current practices and how they compare with standards set by IBWA, FDA, NSF, the Military and major Retailers.
 - **In-Process Controls:** Thorough walk-through of your manufacturing operations, including the inside and outside of your plant facility. Recommendations are made as to the adherence to food safety policies and procedures required to prepare your plant for third-party inspections.

Prep for
FDA, NSF,
IBWA, Military
& Retailers



NSF International
789 N. Dixboro Road
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
800.NSF.MARK
www.nsf.org

For more information or to schedule a visit, please contact:

Deborah Glenn, Project Manager, NSF Beverage Quality
dglenn@nsf.org, 734.827.5653