

How to Develop A Recall Plan

Recall Plans

Title 9 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 418 (9 CFR 418), requires that official establishments that produce meat and poultry products prepare and maintain written recall plans. Under this regulation, your plan must specify how you will decide whether to conduct a product recall and describe the procedures that you will follow if you decide that a product recall is necessary. In addition, the regulations require that your plan be available to the FSIS inspector for review upon request.

FSIS recommends that processed egg products plants also develop and maintain recall plans, although they are not explicitly required to do so by the regulation.