



## Becoming a Certified ServSafe Instructor (Food Safety)

### Take the ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification Examination Instructor Version

- You need a passing score of 75% or better within the past 5 years on the ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification Examination Instructor Version.\*
- To take the Course and Exam:
  - Purchase the ServSafe Food Safety Online Course and utilize an Online Proctor.
  - Contact an approved ServSafe Food Safety Instructor through the **"Find a Class"** portion of [www.ServSafe.com](http://www.ServSafe.com) or contact your state restaurant association.

\* The Instructor version is a separate form of the normal ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification Examination. This Exam was created to ensure instructors do not view the same Exam questions as examinees. If you have not taken the Instructor Version of the Exam, a 90 day waiting period (from your Exam date) will apply before you will be authorized to provide course instruction. (Example: If you took the normal ServSafe Exam on 01-15-2008, you can teach your first course after 04-14-2008.)



### Select your Role

- Go to [www.ServSafe.com](http://www.ServSafe.com). Click on **"For Instructors/Proctors"** located under the **"ServSafe Food Safety"** menu. Click **"Become a Food Safety Instructor or Proctor."**
- Under **"Certified Instructor"** click **"Apply."**
- Confirm your role. Instructors can only teach the course. Click **"Yes, I want to provide course instruction only."**
- If you are an existing user, enter your user ID and password. If you do not have a log in, Under **"New User"** click on **"Create a new profile."**



### Instructor Application Progress

- Under **"Certified ServSafe Instructor Application Progress"** click on **"Step 1. ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification"** to verify that you have a current ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certificate. Once verified, click on **"Proceed to step 2."**
- Click on **"Step 2. Take the ServSafe Online Advanced Test."**
- Read through instructions. This is not a proctored Exam. It is open book and you have 3 attempts within a 12 month period to pass this Exam. Click on **"Start Exam"** and complete the test. Once you pass, click on **"Proceed to step 3."**
- Click on **"Step 3. Take the Instructor Training and Quiz."**
- Complete tutorial and quizzes. Once complete, click **"Exit"** in the upper right hand corner of your browser.
- Click on **"Step 4. Application and Performance Agreement."**
- Complete all required information and click **"Submit."**



### Certified Instructor Approval

- You will receive a confirmation email within two business days after completion.
- At the time you receive your email you are authorized to provide ServSafe Food Protection Manager Course instruction.

Please contact Service Center at 800.765.2122, ext 6703 or [servicecenter@restaurant.org](mailto:servicecenter@restaurant.org) with any questions.