

## Query regarding food sampling - what does this mean?

### **Required Food Skills Activity**

Formal sampling of a minimum of 10 food products.

### **Explanation**

A minimum of three formal samples have gone all the way through the process to public analysis. Unless it is needed by the local authority, it is not required that your sample to be sent to the public analysis (to reduce costs to the authority), but you must evidence that you have completed the process up to this point.

The remaining 7 samples can show evidence that takes them as far through this process as possible. This is deemed to show you have competence in this area.

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