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# CT Food Bank Facility (CFB) - a working tour

Location: 2 Research Parkway, Wallingford, CT

**Directions:** Take I-91 north to exit 15, turn right onto CT-68E, in .02 mile turn left onto Research Parkway then left onto Joseph Carini Road. Destination is on right

Place: Connecticut Food Bank, Wallingford, CT Time: Networking/Registration/Pizza: 5:00-5:30;

Tour: 5:30-7:30 Meal: Pizza

Cost: \$15.00

RSVP by October 10th to tomane723@aol.com

Meeting joint with ASQ New Haven and APICS New Haven

### Our Meeting Subject

The Connecticut Food Bank (CFB) is a nonprofit organization, based in East Haven, Connecticut which works with retailers and growers to coordinate the distribution of food to vulnerable demographics. In 2014 it distributed more than 17 million meals across the state. CFB has 700 local "partner programs" (such as soup kitchens, food pantries, shelters and low-income adults) in six counties and more than 4,500 volunteers and staff people. Connecticut Food Bank serves 127 cities and towns. President and CEO is Rob Levine. CFB is part of the Commodity Supplemental Food Program.

### Chairman's Remarks

Our thanks to Bob Huebner of Z-Medica and to our Vice Chair Joe Azary for setting up the event last month. We had a great turn out, and learned about an amazing lifesaving product from a gentleman who is very passionate about it and about the company's mission.

This month we're hooking up with the ASQ New Haven section as well as APICS New Haven on a visit to the Connecticut Food Bank in Wallingford. We hope you can join us.

#### **Programs**

Locations and dates, usually the second Wednesday, subject to final confirmation in monthly newsletters)

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