Is Your Food Safe After a Flood?

Floodwater can contaminate food with dangerous germs, silt, raw sewage, oil and chemicals, making it unsafe to eat.

**KEEP**

- Food that has not contacted flood water
- Food in waterproof containers that can be cleaned and sanitized
- Undamaged canned food

**THROW AWAY**

- Raw and cooked food that has contacted floodwater
- Food in non-waterproof or cardboard containers
- Home canned food (if submerged)
- Canned food that is leaking, swollen or dented

Questions? Contact your local office or access https://extension.uga.edu

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