DAIRYSAFE has an obligation to actively promote food safety learnings that are important to your business.

Key points –
- Is your business geared for continuity breakdown?
- Dairysafe has developed a **FREE** Business Continuity Model for dairy processors that can help to assess and safeguard your business.
- The tool allows a business owner/operator to quickly check their preparedness for business disruption through a 15-minute self-assessment.

Assisted by funding from the Department of Primary Industries and Regions, Dairysafe has developed a Business Continuity Model to help dairy processors self-assess their vulnerability to business interruptions and identify actions to improve their resilience - *"Resilient businesses will deliver positive food safety outcomes."*

Business continuity refers to the capacity of a business to plan for and respond effectively and safely to unexpected business disruptions. By answering 13 questions about your business (it takes about 15 minutes) this **FREE** tool provides a tailored business continuity plan. The online tool offers tailored options to reduce exposure to business continuity breakdown.
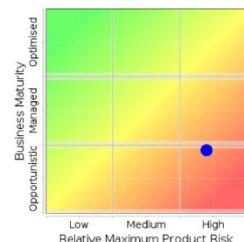
All dairy processors in South Australia are encouraged to try the tool to self-assess their exposure to business continuity breakdown and to take action to reduce risk and enhance their business resilience.

The Business Continuity Model has the potential to deliver resilient businesses, consistent food safety outcomes and assurance in managing crises. It's good for business and the sustained growth of South Australian dairy processors.

During the test phase the Business Continuity Model achieved a 4.6 star-rating of out of 5 from dairy processors. They said the tool *"helps to get businesses started"*, illustrated by their comments below:

"The model was easy and quick to use and at the end we received some good recommendations that we can take on board to improve the business. Some of the recommendations I had on my mind, but this has pushed me to action them."

"Beginning the process of evaluation is the hardest step. This will get businesses started. This is a very helpful self-checking tool that enables business resilience systems to be reviewed honestly in-house. It's easy to follow and understand, and the recommendations provided are realistic and achievable."

The tool will help you take the first step with business continuity planning – find it HERE.

Dairysafe received very favourable feedback from dairy processors during development and trialing of the tool – respondents agreeing the model:
- is easy to apply,
- simple to follow,
- delivers value to industry, and
- identifies opportunities that benefits business.

Scan the QR code to go to the tool

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