Sample Hemp Evaluation

Note to Agents – This is a sample evaluation that you can adapt to meet your county and programs. It is also available on Qualtric to edit, distribute to clients, analysis, and share with specialists electronically. The items on the evaluation align with KERS program indicators and the sample success story that is available.

In order to effectively serve you, we would appreciate you completing the following survey about the hemp programs and resources that you have used over the past 12 months.

How do you access Extension hemp information? Select all that apply.

	Program or conference		Farm visit
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Newsletter

□ Phone call/ office visit/ email

Website

Prior to beginning hemp production, did you consult with an Extension professional about equipment, regulations, equipment, and/ or financial risk?

□ Yes

No

□ Field day

Other_____

Which Extension diagnostic services did you use over the past 12 months? Select all that apply.

Soil testing	THC levels
Pest or insect identification	Seed Purity
Disease identification	Seed Germination
Plant or Weed identification	Other

Did you use Extension diagnostics information to make decisions related treatment of soil, pests, weeds or diseases?

□ Yes

No

During the past 12 months, what decisions about hemp production have you made using Extension resources?

Hemp Productions		No
Did you gain information about state regulations, production, risk management and/or marketing hemp products?		
Did you make decisions on hemp production based on UK research/information including: selection of varieties, equipment, record keeping and/or legal contracts and regulations)?		

Comment:

How many acres of hemp were impacted by using Extension resources? _____

Identify the chemical management practices that you used during the past 12 months.

Chemical Management		No
Test pesticide application water for pH alkalinity or other characteristics		
Select alternative methods based on REI, PHI, etc.		
Improved or maintained good practices in chemical handling, storage or disposal		
Evaluated weather conditions before applying chemicals		
Communicated with neighbors of pesticide sensitive areas around their farm, including		
posting signs		
Other		

Comment:

How many people did you train in Worker Protection Standards?

Identify water and soil quality and conservation practices that you used during the past 12 months.

Water Quality and Conservation		No
Implemented one or more best practices for soil quality/ soil health		
Implemented one or more best practices for soil/water conservation		
Implemented one or more best practices to increase soil organic matter		
Implemented one or more best practices to improve soil structure for water infiltration		
and retention		
Implemented one or more best practices to increase ground cover for soil protection		
Implemented one or more best practices to improve water quality		
Implemented one or more best practices to protect stream banks or stream buffer zones		
Developed or updated Ag Water Quality Plan		
Developed or implemented nutrient management plan		
Adjusted rate, timing, placement and/or sources to increase nutrient use efficiency		
Other		

Comment:

Which Extension management practices have you used for hemp production over the past 12 months?

Farm Management and Economics		No
Improved or maintained record keeping practices		
Incorporated technology to effectively manage farm operations		
Adopted new technology in agriculture production		
Adapted practices or equipment for safety		
Improved equipment or facilities		
Increased profit, reduced expenses and/or reduced risk		
Other		

Comment:

How do you plan to market your hemp crop?

- No plan yet
- □ Contracted

□ Hope to contract

□ Plan to process and sell retail

As a result of Extension programs and resources, how have you been a leader for agriculture and/or the environment during the past 12 months?

Ag/Extension Leadership	Yes	No
Shared information for agriculture and/or environmental issues locally		
Advocated for agriculture and/or environment issues locally		
Shared information or advocated for agriculture and/or environmental issues with elected officials		
Mentored, advised, or assisted new and/or young producers in agriculture		
Served as a member/leader of advisory council, community development committee, and/or leadership role with agriculture organization		
Other		

Comment:

Please share other comments, thoughts or suggestions in order to continue serving you effectively.