

Shellfish Hatchery Workshop Series

**Wednesday
April 26, 2017**

1—3:30 PM

**FWC Sen. Kirkpatrick
Marine Lab
11350 SW 153rd Court
Cedar Key, FL**

**After the workshop,
individual hatchery
consultations will be
conducted from
3:30-5:30 pm and
on Thursday, April 27
from 8:30 am-12:30 pm**

To ensure there are sample kits and handouts available for each person, please confirm your attendance in advance.

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A series of workshops is being conducted to address industry issues in the production of shellfish seed. Hatchery operators and personnel are invited to attend. The topic of this workshop is:

Managing Diseases in the Hatchery through Bacteriological Monitoring

TOPICS TO BE PRESENTED:

- Review of opportunistic bacterial diseases in the hatchery
- Supplies and equipment needed for bacterial sampling
- Step-by-step procedures to follow for sampling
- Where and how often to take samples in the hatchery
- Interpretation of results, what the samples mean
- Remediation, how to correct the problem
- Sampling kits (media plates, loops, swabs, etc.) are provided

PRESENTERS INCLUDE:

- *Susan Laramore PhD*
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- *Ruth Francis-Floyd DVM*
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