

CDBX 2026 Printable Schedule

**Schedule is subject to change. All times are Eastern Time Zone.*

Sunday, September 13, 2026

7:00 pm-9:00 pm	Manufacturer's Advisory Council (MAC) Dinner (Invitation Only)	<i>Palmetto 7, Conference Center, 2nd Floor</i>
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Monday, September 14, 2026

8:00 am-6:00 pm	Registration	<i>Garden Foyer, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
8:00 am-9:30 am	Executive Committee	<i>Banyan, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
9:30 am-10:00 am	Finance & Audit Committee	<i>Banyan, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
10:00 am-10:30 am	Governance & Nominating Committee	<i>Banyan, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
10:30 am-11:30 am	Education & Research Committee	<i>Royal Ballroom 1, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
	Government Affairs Committee	<i>Royal Ballroom 2, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
11:45 am-12:45 pm	Events Planning Committee & Manufacturer's Advisory Council <i>(combined meeting)</i>	<i>Royal Ballroom 1, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
11:45 am-1:30 pm	Lunch for Board & Committee Members	<i>Royal Ballroom 4, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
1:00 pm	Supplier Meeting Room Access and Set-Up Begins	<i>Magnolia (Floors 1-4); Conference Center (Floors 1-2)</i>
1:30 pm-2:30 pm	Industry Affairs Committee	<i>Royal Ballroom 2, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
2:45 pm-3:30 pm	CDA & DEF Board of Directors Meeting	<i>Royal Ballroom 1, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
3:45 pm-4:45 pm	Education Session: Plotting a Course Implementing the FDA's Food Traceability Rule <i>With the FDA's Food Traceability Rule relating to Section 204(d) of the Food Safety Modernization Act scheduled to go into effect on July 20, 2028, this panel discussion of distributors will highlight different flexible options for implementing the food traceability rule and real-life examples of what distributors should be and are doing now to prepare for compliance.</i>	<i>King Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
5:00 pm-6:00 pm	Sunset & Sea Breeze Welcome Reception	<i>Magnolia Courtyard</i>

Tuesday, September 15, 2026

7:00 am-5:45 pm	Registration	<i>Garden Foyer, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
7:00 am-8:30 am	Breakfast Available	<i>Royal Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
8:00 am-11:35 am	Business Exchange Meetings	<i>Magnolia (Floors 1-4); Conference Center (Floors 1-2)</i>
11:45 am-1:00 pm	CDA Awards Luncheon	<i>King Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
	Chair's Address	
	Dean of the Industry Award	
	Annual Membership Meeting	
1:15 pm-5:35 pm	Business Exchange Meetings	<i>Magnolia (Floors 1-4); Conference Center (Floors 1-2)</i>
5:45 pm-6:45 pm	Neon Nights Reception	<i>Cascata Pool</i>

Wednesday, September 16, 2026

7:00 am-5:45 pm	Registration	<i>Garden Foyer, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
7:00 am-8:30 am	Breakfast Available	<i>King Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
8:00 am-5:35 pm	Business Exchange Meetings	<i>Magnolia (Floors 1-4); Conference Center (Floors 1-2)</i>
11:30 am-1:30 pm	Lunch Available	<i>King Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
5:45 pm-6:45 pm	Fairways & Greens Reception	<i>Corsair Lawn</i>

Thursday, September 17, 2026

6:30 am-11:35 am	Registration	<i>Garden Foyer, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
6:30 am-8:00 am	Breakfast Available	<i>King Ballroom, Conference Center, 1st Floor</i>
7:15 am-11:35 am	Business Exchange Meetings	<i>Magnolia (Floors 1-4); Conference Center (Floors 1-2)</i>
11:35 am	CDBX Adjourns	