

# WILD HARVESTED MUSHROOM PURCHASING FOR FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

## WHO AM I ALLOWED TO BUY WILD HARVESTED MUSHROOMS FROM?

NH Law requires anyone harvesting, identifying or distributing Wild Harvested Mushrooms for sale to have a license from NH DHHS. The person who is offering the wild mushroom may show you a copy of a Wild Harvested Mushroom license. A list of those licensed is also available on the DHHS website at [https:// www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/environmental-health-and-you/food-protection/wild-harvestedmushroom-](https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/environmental-health-and-you/food-protection/wild-harvestedmushroom-) and by accessing the QR code below.

## WHAT TYPES OF WILD MUSHROOMS CAN I ACCEPT?



Photos and the names of approved wild mushrooms are available at <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/environmental-health-and-you/food-protection/wild-harvested-mushroom-licensing>



## WHAT INFORMATION SHOULD BE ON THE TAG OR LABEL ON THE WILD HARVESTED MUSHROOMS THAT I BUY?

The Wild Harvested Mushroom should have a label or tag with the product that includes the following information:

- Name, address, and license number of Wild Harvested Mushroom Licensee
- Species of Mushroom
- Weight sold
- Date and county of harvesting

## HOW LONG SHOULD I KEEP THE TAG?

Food establishments are required to keep the label or tag for 90 days from receipt of the wild harvested mushrooms.

## LABEL/TAG SAMPLE

Ima Fungi; 1 Mushroom Way; Northfield NH

License# FA00000XXX

*Morel Morchella Americana*

12 oz

Harvested Date: 8/29/23 Belknap County

## IMPORTANT FOOD SAFETY REMINDERS WHEN HANDLING WILD HARVESTED MUSHROOMS:

- Different species of Wild Harvested Mushrooms should not be co-mingled.
- Wild Harvested Mushrooms should be stored under refrigeration and in packaging that allows for aeration.
- Wild Harvested Mushrooms should be fully cooked and never served or eaten raw.