

**Issued: Immediately**  
**Professional Cook**

**To:** ITA Training Providers  
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**Subject:** **Professional Cook Harmonized Program Implementation Postponed**

**From:** ITA Program Standards

**Effective Date:** Immediately

**Summary:** Implementation of the Professional Cook Harmonized program has been postponed until further industry consultation can be completed.

**Details:** Due to the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on the Food and Hospitality industry, implementation of the Harmonized Professional Cook program has been postponed. Industry consultation will take place in 2022 to determine an appropriate date to resume implementation. New program updates will be posted on the [website](#) as more information becomes available.

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