Safer food, better business (SFBB) is made up of safe method sheets and a diary. The safe methods highlight things that are important to make food safely. They are designed so that each business can tick boxes, or make brief notes, to show how it works.

The diary is designed to help businesses run effectively. Every day the person in charge of food safety signs to say that the safe methods have been followed and, if necessary, makes a note of anything different that happens or anything that goes wrong and what action was taken.

"I would definitely recommend the pack to another business as it is simple and everything is provided for you to complete."

Bistro One, Plymouth
SFBB is also available for Chinese cuisines and Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi and Sri Lankan cuisines and as a supplement for small care homes to use with the pack for caterers.

A DVD, which contains 16 languages, is included in the SFBB packs. It has been designed to help food businesses implement SFBB and train staff.

Further information can be found on the Food Standards Agency website or contact the environmental health service at your local authority.

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