

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

2,618 jobs (58.2% of total) in Hamilton County.

\$254 million in Gross Regional Product.

65.1% contribution to Gross Regional Product.
Based on an annual UF study

It is estimated that for every **\$1** invested in agricultural research and Extension, there is a return of **\$20** to the community.
Alston, Andersen et al. (2010)

Funding (FY 2021)

State funds for Extension **\$455,395 (66%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$44,31 (7%)**
County funds for Extension **\$187,430 (27%)**

Volunteers (2020)

Number of volunteers **105**
Hours worked **2,220**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$63,359**

Giving (FY 2020)

Recent donors residing in county **71**
FY 2020 donors residing in county **38**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$7,703**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$230**

EXTENSION: Agricultural economic development; Maintaining pesticide safety and health; Efficient production and marketability of beef cattle; 4-H youth development; Healthy living

Client Satisfaction (2019)

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

85% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

80% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

68% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2020)

Field and office consultations **401**
Participants at group learning events **3,080**
Phone and email consultations **1,319**
Social media engagement **23,791**
Educational materials created **132**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2020)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **344,958,268**
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **17,589**
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **55,285**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2020)

UF students from county **13**
CALs students from county **4**
UF alumni residing in county **84**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **18**

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