Economic Impacts (2019)
Agricultural and related industries generate

294,791 jobs (15.7% of total) in Miami-Dade County.

$22.68 billion in Gross Regional Product.

13.2% 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)

Client Satisfaction (2019)
Quality
95% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

77% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and... 71% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

70% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Funding (FY 2022)
State funds for Extension $1,569,189 (56%)
Federal funds for Extension $158,721 (6%)
County funds for Extension $1,085,138 (39%)

Volunteers (2021)
Number of volunteers 133
Hours worked 1,085
Dollar value of hours worked $30,966

Giving (FY 2021)
Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county 8,578
Current (1yr) donors residing in county 3,521
Gifts to UF from county residents $12,431,567
Gifts to IFAS from county residents $157,412

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2021)
Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers 359,449,792
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 13,606
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters 25,608

Students and Alumni (Fall 2021)
UF students from county 4,745
CALS students from county 358
UF alumni residing in county 22,809
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 1,664

EXTENSION: Commercial vegetable; tropical fruit & ornamental industries; Pesticide training; Commercial urban/ homeowner horticulture; 4-H/ Youth; Food & nutrition; Sea Grant programs
COMMODITIES: Tropical and subtropical fruit crops, Tropical and temperate vegetable crops, Ornamental crops, Aquaculture
RESEARCH: Water quality, Best management practices for farms and nurseries to help facilitate Everglades restoration and improve the viability of South Florida agricultural industry

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