Economic Impacts (2019)
Agricultural and related industries generate

\[ \text{294,791} \text{ jobs (15.7% of total) in Miami-Dade County.} \]

\[ \text{22.68 billion in Gross Regional Product.} \]

\[ \text{13.2% contribution to Gross Regional Product.} \]

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 (2022)
Number of volunteers 353
Hours worked 5,575
Dollar value of hours worked $177,289

Giving (FY 2022)
Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county 8,544
Current (1yr) donors residing in county 2,777
Gifts to UF from county residents $9,311,246
Gifts to IFAS from county residents $282,469

Clientele Contacts (2022)
Field and office consultations 2,084
Participants at group learning events 30,857
Phone and email consultations 26,370
Social media engagement 228,782
Educational materials created 1,094

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2022)
Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers 340,124,479
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices 18,690
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters 55,285

Students and Alumni (Fall 2022)
UF students from county 4,738
CALS students from county 372
UF alumni residing in county 23,305
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county 1,716

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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