



Saturday, 4/13/24, 9:30-11:30p -  
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Farm Workshop: Drip Irrigation with Terrence

Terrence Glenn, Founder and Owner of Urban Eden – a hydroponics and micro greens operation in Chicago. Terrence is a former graduate of UGC’s Farmers for Chicago Farmer Incubator program, and continues to sell products through UGC’s markets including Farm Stands, the Fresh Moves Mobile Market, and Collective Supported Agriculture. Our work with Terrence includes broader farm infrastructure and training to leverage infrastructure in UGC’s operations, including but not limited to UGC’s South Chicago Farm geodesic dome improvements, the Freight Farm, and future greenhouse facility at the Green Era Campus to healthy food for southside Chicago communities.

Terrence shared his expertise in Drip Irrigation systems with Grower Apprentices during the session on Saturday show in the picture at UGC’s South Chicago Farm. Drip irrigation is a technique that can be used in fields to keep crops watered on a set schedule, saving not only time for growers but also helping to prevent crop loss as weather warms. Apprentices then had a chance to apply lessons learned as a group and direct supervision on Wednesday 4/17.