



County of Riverside
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
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FOOD ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTION FORM

FACILITY NAME Desert Crest Coffee Shop				DATE 2/25/2020		TIME IN 12:30 PM		TIME OUT 2:35 PM	
ADDRESS 16900 Desert Crest Ave, Desert Hot Springs, CA 92241				FACILITY DESCRIPTION Not Applicable					
PERMIT HOLDER Ruben Ortiz				EMAIL rubenoc01@live.com				Major Violations 0	
PERMIT # PR0003365	EXPIRATION DATE 02/28/2021	SERVICE Routine inspection	REINSPECTION DATE 3/03/2020	FACILITY PHONE # (760)329-9037	PE 2620	DISTRICT 0023	INSPECTOR NAME Shakeya Rhodes	Points Deducted 16	

The conditions listed below correspond to violations of the California Health and Safety Code and/or Riverside County Ordinances and must be corrected as indicated by the enforcement officer. The Department of Environmental Health appreciates your cooperation.

Failure to correct listed violation(s) prior to the designated compliance date may necessitate an additional reinspection at a charge determined by Riverside County Ordinance 640.

Major / Minor Violations: Major Violations are those that pose an imminent risk to public health and warrant immediate closure of the food facility or immediate correction. Minor Violations are those violations that do not pose an imminent public health risk, but do warrant correction.

GRADE REPRESENTS THE FOLLOWING RANGES: A = 100-90 Passed inspection / meets minimum health standards. B = 89-80 Did not pass inspection / does not meet minimum health standards. C = 79-0 Failed inspection / conditions exist which may pose a potential or actual threat to public health and safety. The facility is required to display a grade card in a conspicuous place selected by the Enforcement Officer. The grade card shall not be concealed and can only be removed or relocated by the Enforcement Officer per County Ordinance 492 / County Code Section 8.40.020

B
SCORE 84

☒ In = In compliance ☒ COS = Corrected on-site ☐ N/O = Not observed ☐ N/A = Not applicable ☐ OUT = Out of compliance

DEMONSTRATION OF KNOWLEDGE		COS	MAJ	OUT
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/A	1. Food safety certification		2
		ServSafe- Enrique Ortiz 7/14/20		
EMPLOYEE HEALTH AND HYGIENIC PRACTICES				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		2. Communicable disease; reporting, restrictions and exclusions	4	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	3. No persistent discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth		2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	4. Proper eating, tasting, drinking or tobacco use		2
PREVENTING CONTAMINATION BY HANDS				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	5. Hands clean and properly washed; gloves used properly	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		6. Adequate handwashing facilities supplied and accessible		2
TIME AND TEMPERATURE RELATIONSHIPS				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	7. Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	8. Time as a public health control; procedures and records	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	9. Proper cooling methods	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	10. Proper cooking time and temperature	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	11. Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	4	
PROTECTION FROM CONTAMINATION				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	12. Returned and re-service of food		2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		13. Food: unadulterated, no spoilage, no contamination	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	14. Food contact surfaces: clean and sanitized	4	2
		50ppm chlorine / not set up		

FOOD FROM APPROVED SOURCES		COS	MAJ	OUT
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		15. Food obtained from approved sources	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	16. Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display		2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/O	17. Compliance with Gulf Oyster regulations		2
CONFORMANCE WITH APPROVED PROCEDURES				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/A	18. Compliance with variance, specialized process, and HACCP plan		2
CONSUMER ADVISORY				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/A	19. Written disclosure and reminder statements provided for raw or undercooked foods		1
SCHOOL AND HEALTHCARE PROHIBITED FOODS				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/A	20. Licensed health care facilities / public and private schools; prohibited foods not offered	4	2
WATER / HOT WATER				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		21. Hot and cold water available	4	2
		Water Temperature 122.6°F		
LIQUID WASTE DISPOSAL				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		22. Sewage and wastewater properly disposed	4	2
VERMIN				
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In		23. No rodents, insects, birds, or animals	4	2
<input checked="" type="radio"/> In	N/A	24. Vermin proofing, air curtains, self-closing doors		1

SUPERVISION / PERSONAL CLEANLINESS	OUT
25. Person in charge present and performs duties, demonstration of knowledge	2
26. Personal cleanliness and hair restraints	1
GENERAL FOOD SAFETY REQUIREMENTS	
27. Approved thawing methods, frozen food storage	1
28. Food separated and protected from contamination	2
29. Washing fruits and vegetables	1
30. Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used	1
FOOD STORAGE / DISPLAY / SERVICE	
31. Adequate food storage; food storage containers identified	1
32. Consumer self-service	1
33. Food properly labeled; honestly presented; menu labeling	1

EQUIPMENT / UTENSILS / LINENS	OUT
34. Utensils and equipment approved, good repair	1
35. Warewashing: installed, maintained, proper use, test materials	1
36. Equipment / utensils: installed, clean, adequate capacity	1
37. Equipment, utensils, and linens: storage and use	1
38. Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas, use	1
39. Thermometers provided and accurate	1
40. Wiping cloths: properly used and stored	1
PHYSICAL FACILITIES	
41. Plumbing: properly installed, good repair	1
42. Refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained	1
43. Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned	1
44. Premises; personal item storage and cleaning item storage	1

PERMANENT FOOD FACILITIES	OUT
45. Floors, walls, ceilings: good repair / fully enclosed	1
46. Floors, walls, and ceilings: clean	1
47. No unapproved private homes / living or sleeping quarters	1
SIGNS / REQUIREMENTS	
48. Last inspection report available	
49. Food Handler certifications available, current, and complete	1
50. Grade card and signs posted, visible	
COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT	
51. Plans approved / submitted	
52. Permit available / current	
53. Permit suspended / revoked	
54. Voluntary condemnation	
55. Impound	



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5. HANDS CLEAN & PROPERLY WASHED; GLOVES USED PROPERLY

POINTS

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Inspector Comments: Observed employee handle raw beef, wipe his hands on apron then handle a green chile. Employee voluntarily disposed of green chile and was instructed to properly wash his hands when switching tasks.

Violation Description: Employees hands and exposed arms shall be kept clean, with fingernails properly trimmed. Employees are required to properly wash their hands: before handling food, equipment, or utensils; as often as necessary during food preparation, to remove soil and contamination; when switching from working with raw to ready-to-eat food; before putting on gloves and working with food; after touching body parts; after using toilet room; or any time when contamination may occur. Employees shall minimize bare hand and arm contact with non-prepackaged food that is in ready-to-eat form. Whenever gloves are worn, they shall be changed or replaced as often as handwashing is required. Approved hand sanitizer can be used in addition to proper handwashing. (113952, 113953.3, 113953.4, 113961, 113968, 113973)

6. ADEQUATE HANDWASHING FACILITIES SUPPLIED & ACCESSIBLE

POINTS

2

Inspector Comments: Observed the following:

- 1) Empty soap dispenser in men's restroom. Ensure soap dispensers are filled at all times for proper handwashing.
- 2) Empty soda bottle stored inside handwashing sink. Discontinue blocking access to handwashing sink.

Violation Description: Adequate facilities exclusively for handwashing shall be provided in food preparation areas and within toilet rooms. Handwashing soap, and towels or drying device, shall be provided in dispensers. Handwashing facilities shall be clean, unobstructed, and accessible at all times for employee use. (113953, 113953.1, 113953.2, 114067(f), 114143 (e))

7. PROPER HOT & COLD HOLDING TEMPERATURES

POINTS

2

Inspector Comments: Observed cooked bacon measured at 110F stored on shelving above cook line. Employee stated bacon was cooked less than 4 hours prior to inspection and placed bacon on grill to be reheated to 165F before being held at 135F. Employee instructed to discontinue storing bacon on shelving above cook line unless using time as a Public Health control. If using time as a Public Health control a written procedure must be written stating how the bacon will be prepared, held and discarded after 4 hours. If time as a Public Health control is not being used bacon must be held at 135F or above or 41F or below.

Violation Description: Potentially hazardous food shall be held at or below 41°F / 45°F or at or above 135°F. Potentially hazardous food removed from proper holding temperature during preparation must be returned to proper temperature within 2 hours. Potentially hazardous food shall be received at proper temperature without evidence of temperature abuse. (113996, 113998, 114037)

9. PROPER COOLING METHODS

POINTS

2

Inspector Comments: Observed a pot of cooked tomatoes measured at 170F cooling on table near meat slicer. Employee stated tomatoes were cooked less than 10 minutes prior to inspection and placed the pot on ice for rapid cooling. Discontinue cooling foods at room temperature.

Violation Description: All potentially hazardous food shall be rapidly cooled from 135°F to 70°F within 2 hours, and then from 70°F to 41°F, within 4 hours. Cooling shall be by one or more of the following methods: in shallow containers; separating food into smaller portions; adding ice as an ingredient; using an ice bath, stirring frequently; using rapid cooling equipment; or, using containers that facilitate heat transfer. (114002, 114002.1)

14. FOOD CONTACT SURFACES; CLEAN AND SANITIZED

POINTS

2

Inspector Comments: In-use food-contact equipment or utensils used for potentially hazardous foods shall be replaced or properly washed, rinsed, and sanitized at least every 4 hours. Observed employee using the same wiping cloth to wipe cutting board, knives and avocado scooping utensil. Employee instructed to discontinue using wiping cloth to clean in-use utensils.

Violation Description: All food contact surfaces of utensils and equipment shall be properly cleaned and sanitized. Food contact surfaces shall be clean to the sight and touch, no accumulation of dust, dirt, food residue, and other debris. (114097, 114099.1, 114099.2, 114099.4, 114099.6, 114099.7, 114101(b-d), 114105, 114109, 114111, 114113, 114115, 114117, 114118, 114123, 114125(b), 114130.2, 114130.5, 114141)

24. VERMIN PROOFING, AIR CURTAINS, SELF-CLOSING DOORS

POINTS

1

Inspector Comments: Exterior doors shall be self-closing, without gaps or openings, and maintained closed when not actively in use to prevent vermin entry. Observed gap at bottom of front entry door. Properly seal gap at bottom of door to prevent entrance of vermin.

Violation Description: Each food facility shall be constructed, equipped, maintained, and operated to prevent the entrance and harborage of animals, including birds and vermin. (114259, 114259.2, 114259.3)



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28. FOOD SEPARATED AND PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATION

POINTS

2

Inspector Comments: Observed the following:

- 1) Ice machine lid stored open. Maintain ice machine lid closed when not in use to prevent contamination.
- 2) An open can of green chiles stored inside bottom portion of cold-top cooler. Properly transfer canned foods to an approved storage container with a tight-fitting lid once can is opened to prevent bacterial growth.
- 3) A large uncovered pot of menudo stored on second shelf inside 2-door freezer. Provide a lid or other proper protection to foods stored below top shelving.
- 4) Raw shredded beef stored directly inside a sourdough bread bag, inside a whipped butter container. Discontinue re-using single-use containers and bags.

Violation Description: All food shall be separated and protected from contamination. (113984, 113986, 114060, 114067(a, d, e), 114069(a, d), 114073, 114077, 114089.1(c), 114143(c))

34. UTENSILS AND EQUIPMENT APPROVED, GOOD REPAIR

POINTS

1

Inspector Comments: Observed the following:

- 1) Melted spatula and handle of pizza slicer at cook line.
- 2) Stained ice tea dispenser.

Repair/replace damaged equipment.

Violation Description: All utensils and equipment shall be approved and in good repair. (114130, 114130.1-114130.6, 114132, 114133, 114137, 114175, 114177, 114257)

37. EQUIPMENT, UTENSILS, LINENS: STORAGE AND USE

POINTS

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Inspector Comments: Pressurized cylinders must be securely fastened to a rigid structure. Observed 1 unsecured CO2 tank near ice machine. Properly secure all CO2 tanks to a rigid structure.

Violation Description: Utensils and equipment shall be handled and stored in an approved manner, protected from contamination. All clean and soiled linen shall be properly stored. (114067(h), 114074, 114081, 114083, 114119, 114121, 114143(a-b), 114161, 114172, 114178, 114179, 114185, 114185.2, 114185.3, 114185.4, 114185.5)

40. WIPING CLOTHS: PROPERLY USED AND STORED

POINTS

1

Inspector Comments: Observed wet/unclean wiping cloths stored on rolling cart near ice machine, on cutting board of cold-top cooler and on food preparation table near fryers. Properly store wiping cloths inside sanitizer bucket with approved sanitizer when not in use.

Violation Description: Wiping cloths used to clean food spills shall be used only once, unless stored in an approved concentration of sanitizer solution and laundered daily. (114135, 114185.1, 114185.3(d-e))



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44. PREMISES; PERSONAL ITEM STORAGE AND CLEANING ITEM STORAGE

POINTS

1

Inspector Comments: Store all personal items in lockers or other approved designated area. Observed the following:

- 1) Cell phone near microwave at cook line.
- 2) Cell phone and keys stored on shelving with spices above microwave at cook line.
- 3) Backpack stored on meat slicer.
- 4) Employee water bottle stored above a container of cooked potatoes inside 2-door cooler near register.

Properly store all personal items away from food and food equipment. Personal items can be stored on bottom shelving or inside a container labeled for employees only inside cooler.

Violation Description: Lockers or another approved area for personal belongings shall be provided. The premises of each food facility shall be kept clean and free of litter and items that are unnecessary to the operation or maintenance of the facility. At least one janitorial sink with hot and cold running water shall be provided. Cleaning supplies and equipment shall be stored separate from food and food-related areas. Mops shall be stored in such a way that allows air-drying. (114123, 114256, 114256.1, 114256.2, 114256.4, 114257.1, 114279, 114281, 114282)



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Overall Inspection Comments

A routine inspection was conducted in addition to a complaint investigation (complaint:CO0072290).

At this time the facility failed to meet minimum health standards with a score of 83= B, "A" placard removed "B" placard posted. Do not move, remove, or block placard to avoid penalty. Re-inspection set for 3/3/2020.

Did you know that effective January 1, 2018, the California Health and Safety Code was amended to make it easier for food facilities to donate food? Please consider donating your excess food product to a local food bank, pantry, or soup kitchen. As a good faith food donor, you are protected from civil and criminal liability if the food product later causes harm to its recipient, unless the injury is a direct result of gross negligence or intentional misconduct in the preparation or handling of the donated food. See Section 171425 of the Civil Code and Sections 114432 to 114434 inclusive of the Health and Safety Code. For more information visit our website at www.rivcoeh.org.

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REASONS FOR IMMEDIATE CLOSURE OF A FOOD FACILITY

Per California Health and Safety Code Section 114409 (a):

"If any imminent health hazard is found, unless the hazard is immediately corrected, an enforcement officer may temporarily suspend the permit and order the food facility immediately closed."

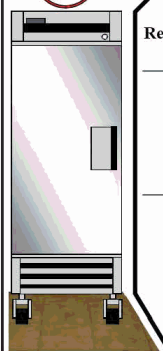
A food facility may be closed for any of the following reasons:

- Overflowing sewage (inside or outside the facility)
- No potable water
- No hot water
- No electricity
- Rodent or insect infestation
- Any other conditions at the facility that may create an imminent public health risk

In addition to the reasons above, Per California Health and Safety Code Section 114411:

"The enforcement agency may, after providing opportunity for a hearing, modify, suspend, or revoke a permit for serious or repeated violations of any requirement of this part or for interference in the performance of the duty of the enforcement officer."

No foil or cardboard on shelves!



PROPER FOOD STORAGE IN REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS

Ready-to-Eat Food

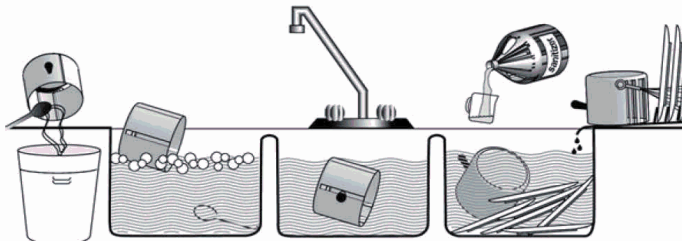
Cooked Food

Raw Meat, Raw Eggs

Store cooked and ready-to-eat food above raw food to avoid cross-contamination. Keep all food covered to prevent contamination.

MANUAL SANITIZING OF EQUIPMENT AND UTENSILS USING A THREE COMPARTMENT SINK

1. **SCRAPE**, clean, or soak items as necessary before washing.
2. **WASH** items in detergent and hot water of at least 100°F in the first sink.
3. **RINSE** items in clear water in the second sink.
4. **SANITIZE** by submerging each item in a sanitizing solution in the third sink. Use one of the following sanitizing methods:
 - 100ppm of a chlorine based sanitizer for a minimum of 30 seconds in the solution
 - 200ppm of a quaternary ammonium based sanitizer for a minimum of 60 seconds in the solution
 - 25ppm of an iodine based sanitizer for a minimum of 60 seconds in the solution
 - Water at a temperature of 171°F for a minimum of 30 seconds in solution
5. **AIR DRY** all items on the drain board.



PROPER COOLING OF FOOD IN YOUR FACILITY

Potentially hazardous foods should always be rapidly cooled.

TIME IS THE KEY FACTOR IN PROPER COOLING

- Foods must cool from 135°F to 70°F in 2 hours or less
- Foods must cool from 70°F to 41°F in 4 hours or less

Use one of the following methods to cool food properly:

- Break large foods down into smaller portions and place in shallow pans no more than 4 inches deep. Metal pans cool better than glass or plastic pans.
- Add ice as an ingredient to replace water used in the recipe.
- Place foods within an ice bath and frequently stir the foods to speed the cooling process.
- Loosely cover foods so that heat and steam can escape during cooling.
- Arrange containers within a refrigeration unit so that air can flow properly around containers.
- Use special equipment like chill paddles or blast chillers to rapidly bring down food temperature.

Use an accurate thermometer to verify the food is being cooled within proper timeframes.

PROPER FOOD THAWING METHODS

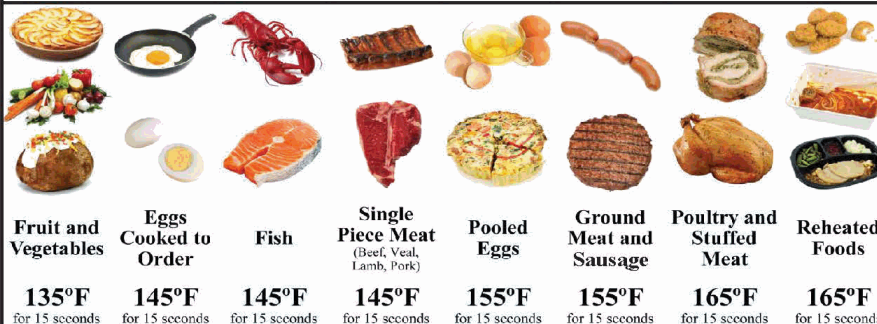


1. Under refrigeration
2. In a microwave oven on "defrost"
3. Submerged under cold running water in an approved preparation sink for no longer than 2 hours
4. As part of the cooking process



INTERNAL COOKING TEMPERATURES

Use a probe thermometer to take internal cooking temperatures



Food temperature cannot be felt - use your probe thermometer!



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