

HOSPNC-602: FOOD HANDLER: FOOD SAFETY CERTIFICATION

Justification for this inactivation request

This was an SBDC class, that is no longer being taught.

Effective Term

Fall 2025

CC Approval

11/01/2024

AS Approval

11/14/2024

BOT Approval

11/21/2024

COCI Approval

03/12/2025

SECTION A - Course Data Elements

CB04 Credit Status

Noncredit

CB22 Noncredit Category

Workforce Preparation

Discipline

Minimum Qualifications	And/Or
Culinary Arts/Food Technology (Any Degree and Professional Experience)	Or
Restaurant Management (Any Degree and Professional Experience)	

Subject Code

HOSPNC

Course Number

602

Department

Hospitality Noncredit

Division

Career Education and Workforce Development (CEWD)

Full Course Title

Food Handler: Food Safety Certification

Short Title

Food Handler: Food Safety Cert

CB03 TOP Code

1306.30 - *Culinary Arts

CB08 Basic Skills Status

NBS - Not Basic Skills

CB09 SAM Code

C - Clearly Occupational

SECTION B - Course Description

Catalog Course Description

Completion of this course and successfully passing the exam will result in participants receiving the Food Handler's Certificate and Card, recognized by the Napa County Health Department. Completion of the course will give you a better understanding of what causes food-borne illnesses and what you can do to help prevent them. Food handlers must maintain a valid Food Handler Card for the duration of employment. The cards are valid throughout most of the state including Napa & Sonoma County. Certification is valid for three years from issuance. Each food facility must maintain records documenting that each employee possesses a valid California Food Handler Card that can be provided to local enforcement officials upon request. Please note that a valid photo ID is needed to take the exam.

SECTION C - Conditions on Enrollment

Open Entry/Open Exit

No

Repeatability

Unlimited - Noncredit OR Work Experience Education

Grading Options

No Grade-Noncredit

Allow Audit

Yes

Requisites

SECTION D - Course Standards

Is this course variable hour?

No

Total Instructional Hours

3.00

Distance Education Approval

Is this course offered through Distance Education?

Yes

Online Delivery Methods

DE Modalities	Permanent or Emergency Only?
Entirely Online	Permanent
Hybrid	Permanent
Online with Proctored Exams	Permanent

SECTION E - Course Content

Student Learning Outcomes

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:	
1.	Students will be able to pass the California Food Handler Card certification exam.

Course Objectives

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:	
1.	Articulate the causes of food-borne illnesses.
2.	Identify ways to prevent food-borne illnesses.
3.	Identify appropriate food handling techniques.
4.	Articulate basic elements of food safety.

Course Content

1. Types of food-borne illnesses
2. Prevention of food-borne illnesses
3. Safe handling of food
4. Food storage

Methods of Instruction**Methods of Instruction**

Types	Examples of learning activities
Discussion	
Lecture	

Online Adaptation

Types	Examples of learning activities
Activity	
Discussion	
Group Work	
Journal	
Lecture	

Instructor-Initiated Online Contact Types

Announcements/Bulletin Boards
 Discussion Boards
 E-mail Communication
 Video or Teleconferencing

Student-Initiated Online Contact Types

Discussions
 Group Work

Course design is accessible

Yes

Methods of Evaluation**Methods of Evaluation**

Types	Examples of classroom assessments
Other	Standardized instrument objectively measuring student knowledge. Written test provided by third party agency for certification.

Assignments**SECTION F - Textbooks and Instructional Materials****Material Type**

Other required materials/supplies

Description

Food Handlers Workbook

SECTION G - Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity**Course Codes (Admin Only)****CB10 Cooperative Work Experience Status**

N - Is Not Part of a Cooperative Work Experience Education Program

CB11 Course Classification Status

L - Non-Enhanced Funding

CB13 Special Class Status

N - The Course is Not an Approved Special Class

CB23 Funding Agency Category

Y - Not Applicable (Funding Not Used)

CB24 Program Course Status

Not Program Applicable

Allow Pass/No Pass

No

Only Pass/No Pass

No