

Guide for the design and operation of a temporary food premises (stall)



Hand washing facilities and utensil and food washing facilities

1. Container of sufficient size (e.g. 20 litres) with tap and potable water (warm running water is required unless written approval from enforcement agency).
2. Liquid soap and paper towels.
3. Container for waste water. The waste water is to be disposed of appropriately (e.g. to sewer or without risk of entering stormwater/waterways).
4. Provide separate washing and rinsing containers for food and for utensils as needed.
5. Hot water and/or food grade chemical sanitiser for sanitising if needed.



Food handlers

- Ensure food, utensils and food contact surfaces are not contaminated by hands, hair, jewellery, wounds, coughs, etc.
- Clean person, attire and habits.
- No smoking in stall.
- Money and food handled separately.
- Must have skills and knowledge in food safety and food hygiene matters.
- Exposed wounds covered with waterproof covering.
- Avoid unnecessary contact with food by using utensils or gloves.
- Hands must be washed whenever they are likely to contaminate food.



Food display, single use items and condiments

- Protect displayed food from contamination (e.g. using lids, cling wrap or sneeze barriers).
- Provide separate serving utensils for each self-serve food.
- Protect single serve utensils from contamination (e.g. store handle up) and do not reuse.
- Clean the outside and top of dispenser bottles and do not top-up bottles.



Temperature control of potentially hazardous food

- Check food temperature with thermometer (accurate to +/- 1°C)
- Cold food - ensure 5°C or below
- Hot food - ensure 60°C or above

Note: Please seek advice from your local enforcement agency if planning to use an alternative method of temperature control for the storage and display of potentially hazardous food.

