



CAL CODE OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

FACILITY NAME LOS DOMINGOS MEXICAN RESTAURANT		DATE 4/15/2022	REINSPECTION DATE 4/29/2022	PERMIT EXPIRATION 2/28/2023
LOCATION 17790 WIKA RD, APPLE VALLEY, CA 92307			INSPECTOR Stephanie Obregon Padilla	
MAILING ADDRESS 17790 WIKA RD, APPLE VALLEY, CA 92307			IDENTIFIER: None	
			SERVICE: 001 - Inspection - Routine	
			RESULT: 05 - Corrective Action / Follow up Required	
			ACTION: 03 - Reinspection Required	
TIME IN 10:17 AM	TIME OUT 12:10 PM	FACILITY ID FA0007617	RELATED ID PR0001027	PE 1622

Based on an inspection this day, the items marked below identify the violation(s) in operation or facilities which must be corrected. Failure to correct listed violation(s) prior to the designated compliance date may necessitate an additional inspection to be billed at the hourly rate as provided in the San Bernardino County Code [Schedule of Fees](#).

Administrative Order to Show Cause (OSC): The Permittee has the right to a hearing if requested in writing within 15 calendar days of receipt of this notice, to show cause why the permit to operate should not be suspended or revoked; otherwise the right to a hearing shall be deemed waived.



SCORE 84

Reduce food loss, and feed those in need by donating your surplus food. [Learn more about donating surplus food.](#)

See the following pages for the code sections and general requirements that correspond to each violation listed below.

- In = In compliance
- N/O = Not observed
- N/A = Not applicable
- + COS = Corrected on-site
- ⊗ MAJ = Major violation
- ⊗ OUT = Out of compliance

DEMONSTRATION OF KNOWLEDGE		COS	MAJ	OUT
○ In	N/O 1. Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification			2
EMPLOYEE HEALTH & HYGIENIC PRACTICES				
○ In	2. Communicable disease; reporting, restrictions & excl		4	
○ In	N/O 3. No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth			2
○ In	N/O 4. Proper eating, tasting, drinking or tobacco use	+		⊗
PREVENTING CONTAMINATION BY HANDS				
○ In	N/O 5. Hands clean and properly washed; gloves used prop		4	2
○ In	6. Adequate handwashing facilities supplied & accessib			2
TIME AND TEMPERATURE RELATIONSHIPS				
○ In	N/O N/A 7. Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	+	4	⊗
○ In	N/O ○ N/A 8. Time as a public health control; procedures & record		4	2
○ In	N/O N/A 9. Proper cooling methods	+	4	⊗
○ In	N/O N/A 10. Proper cooking time & temperatures		4	
○ In	○ N/O N/A 11. Proper reheating procedures for hot holding		4	
PROTECTION FROM CONTAMINATION				
○ In	○ N/O N/A 12. Returned and reserve of food			2
○ In	13. Food in good condition, safe and unadulterated		4	2
○ In	N/O N/A 14. Food contact surfaces: clean and sanitized	+	4	⊗

FOOD FROM APPROVED SOURCES		COS	MAJ	OUT
○ In	15. Food obtained from approved source		4	
○ In	N/O ○ N/A 16. Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display			2
○ In	N/O ○ N/A 17. Compliance with Gulf Oyster Regulations			2
CONFORMANCE WITH APPROVED PROCEDURES				
○ In	○ N/A 18. Compliance with variance, specialized process, and HACCP Plan			2
CONSUMER ADVISORY				
○ In	N/O ○ N/A 19. Consumer advisory provided for raw or undercooked foods			2
HIGHLY SUSCEPTIBLE POPULATIONS				
○ In	○ N/A 20. Licensed health care facilities/public and private schools; prohibited foods not offered		4	
WATER/HOT WATER				
○ In	21. Hot and cold water available		4	⊗
LIQUID WASTE DISPOSAL				
○ In	22. Sewage and wastewater properly disposed		4	2
VERMIN				
○ In	23. No rodents, insects, birds, or animals		4	2

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

EQUIPMENT/UTENSILS/LINENS	OUT
33. Nonfood contact surfaces clean	⊗
34. Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained, used	1
35. Equipment/Utensils approved; installed; clean; good repa	1
36. Equipment, utensils and linens: storage and use	1
38. Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated area	1
39. Thermometers provided and accurate	1
40. Wiping cloths: properly used and stored	⊗
PHYSICAL FACILITIES	
41. Plumbing: proper backflow devices	1
42. Garbage and refuse properly disposed; facilities m	1
43. Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, clea	1
44. Premises; personal/cleaning items; vermin-proofin	1

PERMANENT FOOD FACILITIES	OUT
45. Floor, walls, ceilings: built, maintained, and clean	1
46. No unapproved private homes/living or sleeping qu	1
SIGNS REQUIREMENTS	
47. Signs posted; last inspection report available	⊗
48. Food handler cards	⊗
COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT	
49. Permits Available	
50. Restrooms Required	
51. Plan Review	
52. VC&D	⊗
53. Impoundment	
54. Permit Suspension	



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4. PROPER EATING, TASTING, DRINKING OR TOBACCO USE

POINTS <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">2</div>	Compliance date not specified	Inspector Comments: Observed an open employee drink stored on the shelf directly above the hot holding table adjacent to the cook's line. All employees must eat and drink away from food storage and food preparation areas. Corrected on site. The employee removed the cup.
	Complied on 4/15/2022	
	Violation Reference -	

Violation Description: Employees shall not eat, drink, or use tobacco in non-designated areas where contamination may result. (113977) An employee shall not use a utensil to taste food more than once without being properly washed, rinsed and sanitized between uses. (113976)

7. PROPER HOT AND COLD HOLDING TEMPERATURES

POINTS <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">2</div>	Compliance date not specified	Inspector Comments: The following Potentially Hazardous Food (PHF) were observed to be stored at improper cold holding temperatures: - Tortilla soup measured at 45-47 F. Upon questioning, the employee stated that the tortilla soup was placed in the walk-in refrigerator last night. Maintain all potentially hazardous foods in cold holding at 41 F or below. Corrected on site. The employee discarded the tortilla soup (See VC&D).
	Complied on 4/15/2022	
	Violation Reference - HSC - 113996, 113998, 114037	

Violation Description: Potentially hazardous foods shall be held at or below 41F or at or above 135F. (113996, 113998, 114037, 114343(a))

More Information: <https://youtu.be/Rl6w5DtEs7w>

9. PROPER COOLING METHODS

POINTS <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">2</div>	Compliance date not specified	Inspector Comments: Observed the following foods to be improperly cooling inside the walk-in refrigerator: - One (1) metal tray of cooked shredded chicken measured at 48-49F. Observed the tray of chicken to have a tightly fitted lid. Upon questioning, the employee stated that the shredded chicken was cooked and placed inside the walk-in refrigerator approximately thirty (30) minutes prior to inspection. Ensure that food is cooled in one of the following approved methods: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Placing the food in shallow, heat-conductive pans. 2. Separating the food into smaller or thinner portions. 3. Using rapid cooling equipment such as chill blasters. 4. Adding ice as an ingredient. 5. Using ice paddles. 6. Placing containers in an ice bath, stirring food frequently. Corrected on site. The employee placed the shredded chicken into an ice bath to facilitate an approved method of cooling. Note: Containers may be stored loosely covered or uncovered if protected from overhead contamination during the cooling period. Food must be stirred as necessary to evenly cool.
	Complied on 4/15/2022	
	Violation Reference - HSC - 114000	

Violation Description: All potentially hazardous food shall be RAPIDLY cooled from 135F to 70F, within 2 hours, and then from 70F 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. PHF is to be cooled within 4 hours to 41F if prepared from ingredients at ambient temperature. Deliveries of PHF is to be cooled to below 41F within 4 hours if received between 41F to 45F.

More Information: <https://youtu.be/hIOExyNgDIQ>



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14. FOOD CONTACT SURFACES: CLEAN AND SANITIZED

POINTS 2	Compliance date not specified Complied on 4/15/2022	Inspector Comments: (1) Observed wet stacked clean pans on the clean dish storage rack above the three compartment sink. Ensure that all clean dishes are allowed to completely air dry after the sanitizer step prior to use or storage. (2) Observed the piercing tip of can opener to be covered in old food debris located on the preparation table. Ensure can opener is cleaned and maintain all food contact surfaces clean and sanitized. Corrected on site. The employee relocated the can opener to the three compartment sink to be cleaned and sanitized.
	Violation Reference - HSC - 113984(e), 114097, 114099	

Violation Description: All food contact surfaces of utensils and equipment shall be clean and sanitized. (113984(e), 114097, 114099.1, 114099.4, 114099.6, 114101 (b-d), 114105, 114109, 114111, 114113, 114115 (a, b, d), 114117, 114125(b), 114135, 114141)

More Information: <https://youtu.be/Gz6zPgZtv2s>

21. HOT AND COLD WATER AVAILABLE

POINTS 2	Compliance date not specified Not In Compliance	Inspector Comments: Observed a low pressure of hot water at the only hand wash sink located at the front of the kitchen. An adequate, pressurized supply of hot water shall be provided at a minimum temperature of 100 F when measured from the faucet and an adequate pressurized supply of cold water shall be provided. A re-inspection is required for the hand wash sink located at the front of the kitchen on a later date. Failure to comply will result in a billable re-re-inspection. Note: Employees were instructed to wash their hands at the three compartment sink where paper towels and hand soap will be supplied.
	Violation Reference - HSC - 113953(c), 114099.2(b)	

Violation Description: An adequate, protected, pressurized, potable supply of hot water and cold water shall be provided at all times. (113953(c), 114099.2(b) 114101(a), 114189, 114192, 114192.1, 114195)

33. NONFOOD-CONTACT SURFACES CLEAN

POINTS 1	Compliance date not specified Not In Compliance	Inspector Comments: Observed the fan guards in the walk-in refrigerator to be excessively coated in dust. Clean the fan guards and maintain all nonfood contact surfaces clean.
	Violation Reference - HSC - 114115 (c)	

Violation Description: All nonfood contact surfaces of utensils and equipment shall be clean. (114115 (c))

40. WIPING CLOTHS: PROPERLY USED AND STORED

POINTS 1	Compliance date not specified Complied on 4/15/2022	Inspector Comments: Observed a wet wiping towel stored on preparation table near the cold holding unit. Ensure that all wet wiping cloths are returned to a sanitizer bucket after each use and are completely submerged in adequate sanitizing solution. Corrected on site. The employee relocated the wet wiping towel to the sanitizer bucket.
	Violation Reference - HSC - 114135, 114185.1	

Violation Description: Wiping cloths used to wipe service counters, scales or other surfaces that may come into contact with food shall be used only once unless kept in clean water with sanitizer. (114135, 114185.1, 114185.3 (d-e)) Sponges shall not be used in contact with cleaned and sanitized or in-use food contact surfaces. (114135)

More Information: <https://youtu.be/QGKUN9MDxig>



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47. SIGNS POSTED; LAST INSPECTION REPORT AVAILABLE

POINTS 1	Compliance date not specified Not In Compliance Violation Reference - HSC - 113725.1, 113953.5	Inspector Comments: Upon arrival to facility, observed the "B" grade card from the last inspection (02/25/2021) to be missing. Upon questioning, the manager stated that the grade card was falling apart and had been misplaced a while ago. Ensure to keep the letter grade card posted at all times. DO NOT REMOVE, RELOCATE OR MOVE GRADE CARD. Non-compliance will result in a charged follow-up inspection at an hourly rate of \$245.
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Violation Description: Handwashing signs shall be posted in each toilet room, directing attention to the need to thoroughly wash hands after using the restroom (113953.5) (b) No smoking signs shall be posted in food preparation, food storage, warewashing, and utensil storage areas (113978). (c) Consumers shall be notified that clean tableware is to be used when they return to self-service areas such as salad bars and buffets. (d) Any food facility constructed before January 1, 2004 without public toilet facilities, shall prominently post a sign within the food facility in a public area stating that toilet facilities are not provided (113725.1, 114381 (e)). A sign shall be posted stating that a copy of the most recent routine inspection report is available upon request. (113725.1) Permit shall be posted in conspicuous location. (114381(e)) Letter Grade Placecard shall be properly posted. SBCC 33.1406

48. FOOD HANDLER CERTIFICATION

POINTS 3	Compliance date not specified Not In Compliance Violation Reference - SBCC - 33.0409	Inspector Comments: Observed one (1) expired San Bernardino County food handler card. Provide valid San Bernardino County Food Handler Card(s) within 14 days to avoid a billable re-inspection with a minimum charge of \$122.50. A "Missing Food Handler Cards" form was provided at the time of inspection. Fax/Mail/Email this completed form to this department within 14 days.
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Violation Description: This facility is currently in violation with the food handler certification requirement for San Bernardino County, which states all food handlers must obtain a valid food handler certificate within fourteen (14) days of employment (33.0410, 33.044). Failure to provide proof of food handler certification within fourteen (14) days will result in unannounced billable (at our current hourly rate) re-inspections to verify compliance.

This facility operator must complete the 'Missing Food Handler' form provided by the inspector and email an electronic copy (scans or photos are ok as long as they are readable to sbcfoodworker@gmail.com

More Information: <https://wp.sbcounty.gov/dph/wp-content/uploads/sites/7/2022/04/SB-Flyer-2019-completed-English-Spanish.pdf>

52. VC & D

POINTS 0	Compliance date not specified Not In Compliance Violation Reference - HSC - 113980	Inspector Comments: Operator voluntarily discarded the following: - Approximately 16 liters of tortilla soup.
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Violation Description: Operator has voluntarily consented to the condemnation and destruction of food as said material being unfit for human consumption or otherwise in violation of California Health and Safety Code, Division 104, Part 5, Chapter 1 through 8, the disposition of which is provided for by Chapter 8, Article 3, Section 111895.

"I (We) hereby voluntarily agree to the condemnation and destruction of the following material(s) listed in violation number 52. By signing this Official Inspection Report (OIR), I (We) hereby release the County of San Bernardino and its agent from any and all liability."

IMPORTANT: Risk Based Inspection Frequency

Food facilities that pose a higher risk level for causing foodborne illness will be subject to an additional inspection, to be billed at the hourly rate as provided in the San Bernardino County Code [Schedule of Fees](#). Facilities that received one or more of the following will be elevated to a high risk tier:

- A score letter of "C" or lower on one of the last two graded inspections,
- A score letter of "B" on two of the last three graded inspections,
- Repeated "four (4) point violation Risk Factor" (critical violation codes 1-23) on the last two inspections, or
- Four (4) or more critical violations (codes 1-23) noted during an inspection, or
- A permit suspension (closure) on your last graded inspection.



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Food Establishment Donor Survey

Will you please take a few moments of your time to complete our [Food Establishment Donor Survey](#)? The purpose of this survey is to learn about current food recovery and food waste reduction efforts and struggles throughout San Bernardino County.

The feedback from the survey will help us identify barriers and opportunities, and connect you with nearby charitable feeding organizations so you can donate your surplus food. Once you complete the survey, you can view your entry and connect with other donor food establishments and charitable feeding organizations in the following [Live Web Map](#).

Overall Inspection Comments

A grade "B" placard was posted on this date.

DO NOT REMOVE, RELOCATE OR MOVE GRADE CARD.

Non-compliance will result in a charged follow-up inspection at an hourly rate of \$245.

Due to this facility receiving a score between 89 and 80, this facility may request an optional re-score to improve their score or letter grade. The Health Official will complete the re-score inspection within ten County business days of the food facility submitting a request for a re-score inspection.

The following handouts were provided on this date:

- Cooling Hot Food Safely
- Request for Re-score Inspection Form
- Top 5 CDC Risk Factors
- One minute at a time

A re-inspection is required for the hand wash sink located at the front of the kitchen on a later date. Failure to comply will result in a billable re-re-inspection.

FREE Classes to L.E.A.R.N!

Liaison Education And Risk Network (L.E.A.R.N.) is a FREE class based on the fundamentals of Active Managerial Control and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's five risk factors that lead to foodborne illnesses. Find out when the next L.E.A.R.N. class is by checking our [calendar](#).

Signature(s) of Acknowledgement

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