

# REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION & POSTINGS FOR FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS



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## » Required to be posted for customer view

### 1. Food Protection Manager (FPM) Certificate

- Manager's certificate, not food handler
- Must be in a supervisory and management role
- The FPM does not need to be present at all times but should designate a person in charge as stated in 2-101.11
- The FPM must also hold an Allergen Awareness certificate

### 2. Allergen Awareness Certificate

- Access training here: <https://tinyurl.com/b2bt4fzy>

### 3. "Most Recent Inspection Report Available Upon Request" signage

### 4. Current food permit and any applicable local permits

## » Must be available upon request

*(posting certificates is recommended)*

### 1. Anti-Choke Certificate

- Required for establishments with 25+ seats
- A trained employee (with certificate) is required to be on site at all times while food is being served
- Insurance provision to cover employees who may render aid

## » Required to be posted in employee work area

### 1. Allergen Awareness Poster

- No smaller than 8.5 x 11" and include the requirements listed in 105 CMR 590.011(C)(1)
- Access poster here: <https://tinyurl.com/3baz4anu>

### 2. Handwashing Sign

- Required to have in all handwashing sinks used by food employees and should be clearly visible

## » Required policies & procedures

### 1. Vomit & Diarrheal Event Clean-Up Plan

- Food establishment should have procedures for employees to follow when responding to vomiting or diarrheal events
- Written procedure is recommended
- Procedural specific clean-up items must be available on site
- Access template here: <https://tinyurl.com/bddnwvcs>

### 2. Food Employee Reporting Agreement

- Food employees must verify that they will report information about their health as it relates to diseases that are transmissible through food
- Written policy recommended
- Access template here: <https://tinyurl.com/ycyx6axj>

## » Required Notices for Menus/Menu Boards

### 1. "Before placing your order, please inform your server if a person in your party has a food allergy"

- Required to be posted on all printed menus, menu boards, and drive-thru menus

### 2. "Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness"

- All animal-derived food that is served raw or undercooked listed on the menu shall be linked to the above statement by an asterisk. Refer to 3-603.11.