



# COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

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## FOOD ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTION REPORT

FACILITY NAME Chipotle Mexican Grill #1253		DATE 06/30/2025	TIME IN 02:00 PM	TIME OUT 03:00 PM
FACILITY ADDRESS 2465 W Florida Ave Hemet, CA 92545-3688		FACILITY PHONE # (303) 222-5994		
PERMIT HOLDER Chipotle Mexican Grill Inc		EMAIL ca.1253.hemet@chipotle.com		
PERMIT # PR0040069	FACILITY DESCRIPTION FF 2001-5999 SQFT Unpack Restaurant	EXPIRATION DATE 01/31/2026	DISTRICT 13	SERVICE Routine Inspection
				REINSPECTION DATE Next Routine

THE CONDITIONS LISTED BELOW CORRESPOND TO VIOLATIONS OF THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE AND / OR RIVERSIDE COUNTY ORDINANCES AND ALL VIOLATIONS SHALL BE CORRECTED AS INDICATED BY THE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER. REINSPECTION / RETURN-TO-COMPLIANCE WILL BE COMPLETED/VERIFIED ON OR AFTER THE DATE INDICATED ON THIS REPORT. THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH APPRECIATES YOUR COOPERATION.

**MAJOR / MINOR VIOLATIONS:** MAJOR VIOLATIONS ARE THOSE THAT POSE AN IMMEDIATE 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 IMMEDIATE 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

**SCORE** 96

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	FOOD FROM APPROVED SOURCES				COS	MAJ	OUT		
In	N/A	1. Food safety certification Rebecca Vasquez/ ServSafe				2	In	15. Food obtained from approved sources				4	2		
						EXP:03/28/2029	In	N/O	N/A	16. Compliance with shellstock tags, condition, display					2
							In	N/O	N/A	17. Compliance with Gulf Oyster regulations					2
EMPLOYEE HEALTH AND HYGIENIC PRACTICES							CONFORMANCE WITH APPROVED PROCEDURES								
In		2. Communicable disease; reporting, restrictions, and exclusions			4		In	18. Compliance with variance, specialized process, and HACCP plan					2		
In	N/O	3. No persistent discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth				2									
In	N/O	4. Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use				2									
PREVENTING CONTAMINATION BY HANDS							CONSUMER ADVISORY								
In	N/O	5. Hands clean and properly washed; gloves used properly			4	2	In	19. Written disclosure and reminder statements provided for raw or undercooked food					1		
In		6. Adequate handwashing facilities supplied and accessible				2									
TIME AND TEMPERATURE RELATIONSHIP							SCHOOL AND HEALTHCARE PROHIBITED FOOD								
In	N/O	N/A	7. Proper hot and cold holding temperatures		4	2	In	20. Licensed health care facilities / public and private schools; prohibited food not offered				4	2		
In	N/O	N/A	8. Time as a public health control; procedures and records		4	2									
In	N/O	N/A	9. Proper cooling methods		4	2									
In	N/O	N/A	10. Proper cooking time and temperature		4	2									
In	N/O	N/A	11. Proper reheating procedures for hot holding		4										
PROTECTION FROM CONTAMINATION							WATER / HOT WATER								
In	N/O	N/A	12. Returned and re-service of food			2	In	21. Hot and cold water available				4	2		
In		13. Food: unadulterated, no spoilage, no contamination			4	2		WATER TEMPERATURE: 120F							
In	N/O	N/A	14. Food contact surfaces: clean and sanitized SANITIZER (ppm):300 Ammonia      WAREWASH TEMP: 100F		4	2									
							In	22. Sewage and wastewater properly disposed				4	2		
							LIQUID WASTE DISPOSAL								
							In	23. No rodents, insects, birds, or animals				4	2		
							In	24. Vermin proofing, air curtains, self-closing doors					1		
							VERMIN								

SUPERVISION / PERSONAL CLEANLINESS		OUT	EQUIPMENT / UTENSILS / LINENS		OUT	PERMANENT FOOD FACILITIES		OUT
25. Person in charge present and performs duties, demonstration of knowledge		2	34. Utensils and equipment approved, good repair		1	45. Floors, walls, ceilings: good repair / fully enclosed		1
26. Personal cleanliness and hair restraints		1	35. Warewashing: installed, maintained, proper use, test materials		1	46. Floors, walls, and ceilings: clean		1
GENERAL FOOD SAFETY REQUIREMENTS			36. Equipment / utensils: installed, clean, adequate capacity		1	47. No unapproved private homes / living or sleeping quarters		1
27. Approved thawing methods, frozen food storage		1	37. Equipment, utensils, and linens: storage and use		1	SIGNS / REQUIREMENTS		
28. Food separated and protected from contamination		2	38. Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas, use		1	48. Last inspection report available		
29. Washing fruits and vegetables		1	39. Thermometers provided and accurate		1	49. Food Handler Certifications available, current, and complete		1
30. Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used		1	40. Wiping cloths: properly used and stored		1	50. Grade card and signs posted, visible		
FOOD STORAGE / DISPLAY / SERVICE			PHYSICAL FACILITIES			COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT		
31. Adequate food storage; food storage containers identified		1	41. Plumbing: properly installed, good repair		1	51. Plans approved / submitted		
32. Consumer self-service		1	42. Refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		1	52. Permit available / current		
33. Food properly labeled; honestly presented; menu labeling		1	43. Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned		1	53. Permit suspended / revoked		
			44. Premises; personal item storage and cleaning item storage		1			



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General Comments:

Observations:

**7. Proper hot and cold holding temperatures**

Status: OUT (2 PTS) Type: Violation

Inspector Comments: Potentially hazardous food shall be maintained at an internal temperature of 135F and above or 41F and below. Measured a container of cooked chicken at the front hot holding station between 122-135F. Person in charge stated it had just been placed there, less than 1 hour. Instruction was given to reheat to over 165F.

Violation Code - 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)

**38. Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas, use**

Status: OUT (1 PTS) Type: Violation

Inspector Comments: Observed gaps between the hood filters. Person in charge stated they are in progress of replacing the damaged hood filters. Replace in approved manner to eliminate all gaps. All exhaust hoods shall be maintained to effectively remove heat, grease, vapors, and smoke.

Violation Code - Mechanical exhaust ventilation shall be provided to remove toxic gases, heat, grease, vapors, and smoke. All areas of a food facility shall have sufficient ventilation to facilitate proper food storage and provide a reasonable condition of comfort for each employee. Toilet rooms shall be vented to the outside air by a screened openable window, an air shaft, or a light-switch activated exhaust fan. Adequate lighting shall be provided in all areas to facilitate cleaning and inspection. Light fixtures in areas where open food is stored, served, prepared, and where utensils are washed shall be of shatterproof construction or protected with light shields. (114149, 114149.1, 114149.2, 114149.3, 114252, 114252.1)

**40. Wiping cloths: properly used and stored**

Status: OUT (1 PTS) Type: Corrected On Site.

Inspector Comments: Measured the sanitizer solution at the front register area and under the front handwashing sink to have low quaternary ammonia sanitizer. Person in charge stated they get replaced every 2 hours and they were in process of changing them out. If concentrations drops below 200ppm before the 2 hours, ensure to change more frequently. Wiping cloths used to clean up food spills more than once shall be properly stored inside a sanitizer solution of approved concentration.

Violation Code - 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))

SIGNATURE	
PERSON IN CHARGE: <u>Rebecca Vasquez</u>	SPECIALIST: <u>Leslie Aranda</u>
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## REASONS FOR IMMEDIATE FACILITY CLOSURE

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."

## 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 time frames.

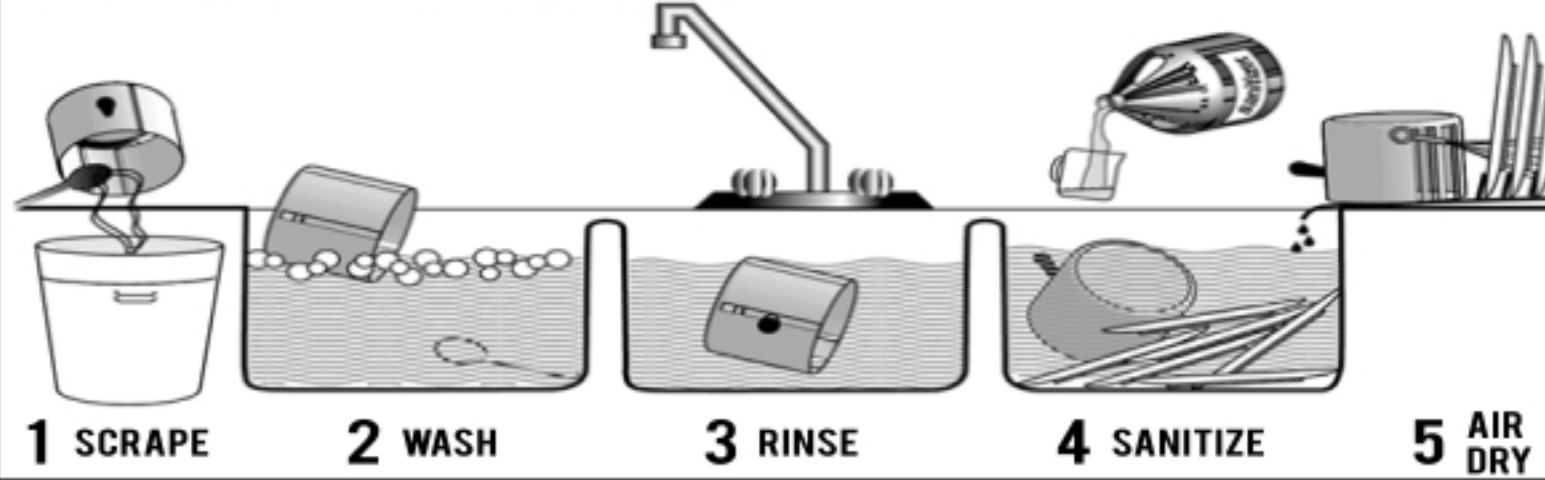
## MANUAL SANITIZING OF EQUIPMENT AND UTENSILS USING A 3-COMPARTMENT SINK

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 FOOD THAWING METHODS



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



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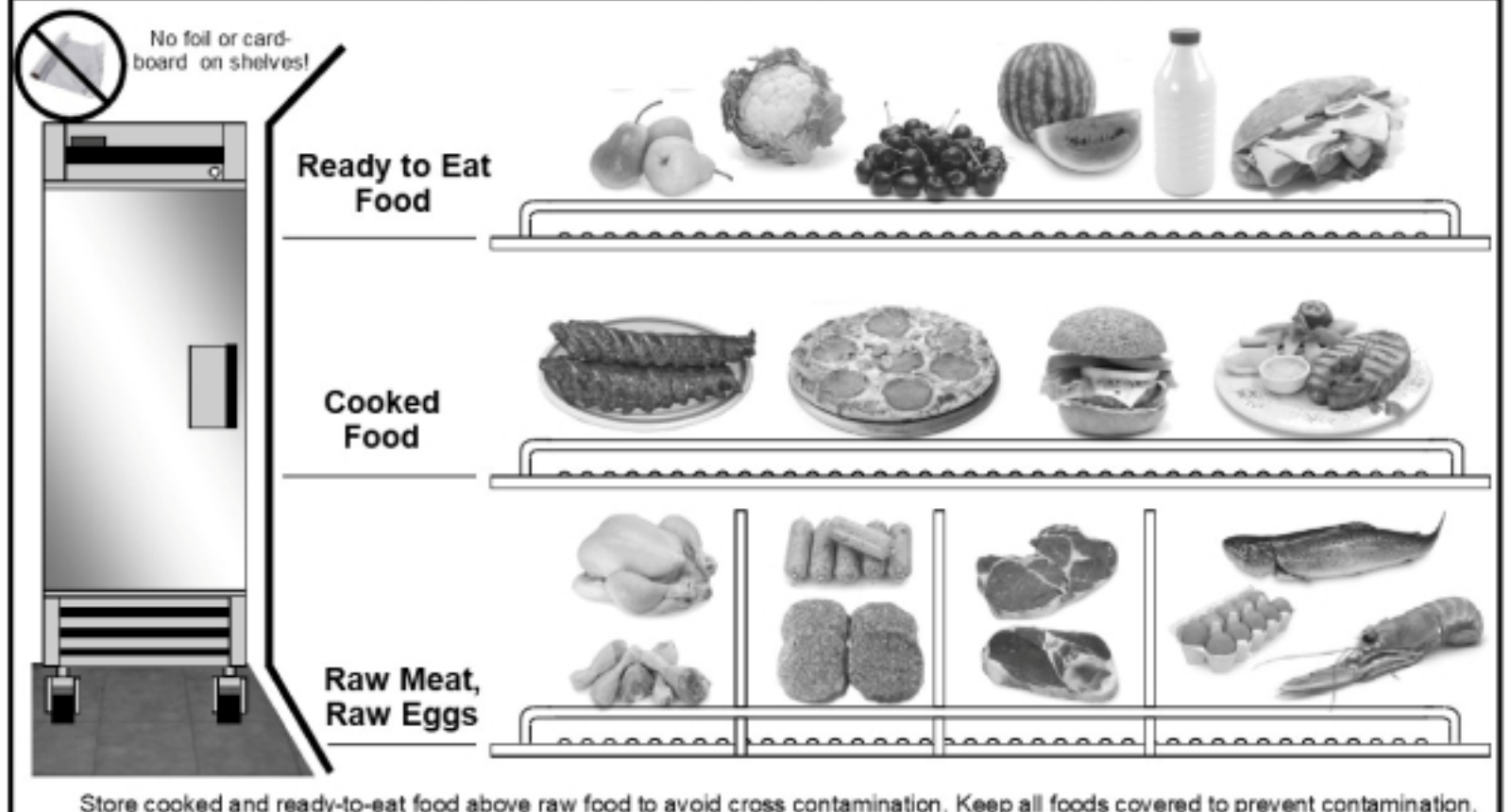
- Milk
- Eggs
- Peanuts
- Tree nuts (e.g., almonds, walnuts, cashews)
- Fish (e.g., salmon, tuna, cod)
- Shellfish (e.g., shrimp, crab, lobster)
- Wheat
- Soy

## INTERNAL COOKING TEMPERATURES

Use a probe thermometer to take internal cooking temperatures

<b>135°F</b>	<b>145°F</b>	<b>145°F</b>	<b>145°F</b>	<b>155°F</b>	<b>155°F</b>	<b>165°F</b>	<b>165°F</b>
for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds	for 15 seconds

## PROPER FOOD STORAGE IN REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS



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

**Did you know you are protected from civil and criminal liability when donating food? The Federal Good Samaritan Food Donation Act (Civil Code, 171425) provides liability protections for good faith donations of surplus food. The California Good Samaritan Food Donation Act (California Retail Food Code, 114432) further expands the list of entities covered by the protection. It also allows for direct donation to a person from regulated and inspected facilities in addition to stating past-date food is subject to liability protection. Please consider donating your excess food product to a local food recovery organization. For more information visit our website at [www.rivcoeh.org](http://www.rivcoeh.org).**

## FOR QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS CONTACT YOUR LOCAL AREA OFFICE

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