



TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTION REPORT

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Establishment Name El Toro Loco Mexican Bar & (Grill) Type of Establishment Farmer's Market Food Unit Permanent Mobile
 Address 2617 Poplar Ave. Temporary Seasonal
 City Memphis Time in 01:00 PM AM / PM Time out 02:15 PM AM / PM
 Inspection Date 06/16/2023 Establishment # 605212510 Embargoed 5
 Purpose of Inspection Routine Follow-up Complaint Preliminary Consultation/Other
 Risk Category 01 02 03 04 Follow-up Required Yes No Number of Seats 169

Risk Factors are food preparation practices and employee behaviors most commonly reported to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as contributing factors in foodborne illness outbreaks. Public Health interventions are control measures to prevent illness or injury.

FOODBORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND PUBLIC HEALTH INTERVENTIONS

(Mark designated compliance status (IN, OUT, NA, NO) for each numbered item. For items marked OUT, mark COS or R for each item as applicable. Deduct points for category or subcategory.)

Compliance Status					COS	R	WT
IN	OUT	NA	NO				
Supervision							
1	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>		Person in charge present, demonstrates knowledge, and performs duties	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Employee Health							
2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>		Management and food employee awareness, reporting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
3	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>		Proper use of restriction and exclusion	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Good Hygienic Practices							
4	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
5	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Preventing Contamination by Hands							
6	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Hands clean and properly washed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
7	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	No bare hand contact with ready-to-eat foods or approved alternate procedures followed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
8	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Handwashing sinks properly supplied and accessible	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2
Approved Source							
9	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Food obtained from approved source	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
10	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Food received at proper temperature	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
11	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Food in good condition, safe, and unadulterated	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
12	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Required records available: shell stock tags, parasite destruction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Protection from Contamination							
13	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Food separated and protected	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	4
14	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Food-contact surfaces: cleaned and sanitized	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
15	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper disposition of unsafe food, returned food not re-served	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2
Cooking and Reheating of Time/Temperature Control For Safety (TCS) Foods							
16	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper cooking time and temperatures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
17	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Cooling and Holding, Date Marking, and Time as a Public Health Control							
18	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper cooling time and temperature	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
19	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper hot holding temperatures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
20	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper cold holding temperatures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
21	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Proper date marking and disposition	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
22	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Time as a public health control: procedures and records	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Consumer Advisory							
23	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Consumer advisory provided for raw and undercooked food	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	4
Highly Susceptible Populations							
24	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Chemicals							
25	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Food additives: approved and properly used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
26	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5
Conformance with Approved Procedures							
27	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Compliance with variance, specialized process, and HACCP plan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	5

Good Retail Practices are preventive measures to control the introduction of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES

Compliance Status					COS	R	WT		
OUT									
Safe Food and Water									
28	<input type="radio"/>	Pasteurized eggs used where required	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
29	<input type="radio"/>	Water and ice from approved source	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
30	<input type="radio"/>	Variance obtained for specialized processing methods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Food Temperature Control									
31	<input type="radio"/>	Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
32	<input type="radio"/>	Plant food properly cooked for hot holding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
33	<input type="radio"/>	Approved thawing methods used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
34	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Thermometers provided and accurate	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Food Identification									
35	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Food properly labeled; original container; required records available	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Prevention of Food Contamination									
36	<input type="radio"/>	Insects, rodents, and animals not present	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
37	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
38	<input type="radio"/>	Personal cleanliness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
39	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Wiping cloths: properly used and stored	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
40	<input type="radio"/>	Washing fruits and vegetables	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Proper Use of Utensils									
41	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	In-use utensils; properly stored	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
42	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Utensils, equipment and linens; properly stored, dried, handled	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
43	<input type="radio"/>	Single-use/single-service articles; properly stored, used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
44	<input type="radio"/>	Gloves used properly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Utensils and Equipment									
45	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Food and nonfood-contact surfaces cleanable, properly designed, constructed, and used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
46	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Warewashing facilities, installed, maintained, used, test strips	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
47	<input type="radio"/>	Nonfood-contact surfaces clean	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Physical Facilities									
48	<input type="radio"/>	Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
49	<input type="radio"/>	Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
50	<input type="radio"/>	Sewage and waste water properly disposed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	2		
51	<input type="radio"/>	Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
52	<input type="radio"/>	Garbage/refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
53	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Physical facilities installed, maintained, and clean	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
54	<input type="radio"/>	Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas used	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	1		
Administrative Items									
55	<input type="radio"/>	Current permit posted	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0		
56	<input type="radio"/>	Most recent inspection posted	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0		
Compliance Status									
							YES	NO	WT
Non-Smokers Protection Act									
57	<input type="radio"/>	Compliance with TN Non-Smoker Protection Act	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0		
58	<input type="radio"/>	Tobacco products offered for sale	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0		
59	<input type="radio"/>	If tobacco products are sold, NSPA survey completed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0		

Failure to correct any violations of risk factor items within ten (10) days may result in suspension of your food service establishment permit. Repeated violation of an identical risk factor may result in revocation of your food service establishment permit. Items identified as constituting imminent health hazards shall be corrected immediately or operations shall cease. You are required to post the food service establishment permit in a conspicuous manner and post the most recent inspection report in a conspicuous manner. You have the right to request a hearing regarding this report by filing a written request with the Commissioner within ten (10) days of the date of this report. T.C.A. sections 68-14-703, 68-14-706, 68-14-708, 68-14-709, 68-14-711, 68-14-715, 68-14-716, 4-5-320.

Signature of Person In Charge [Signature] Date 06/16/2023 Signature of Environmental Health Specialist [Signature] Date 06/16/2023

**** Additional food safety information can be found on our website, <http://tn.gov/health/article/eh-foodservice> ****

TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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 FOOD INSPECTION DATA



Establishment Information

Establishment Name: El Toro Loco Mexican Bar & (Grill)
 Establishment Number #: 605212510

NSPA Survey – To be completed if #57 is “No”

Age-restricted venue does not affirmatively restrict access to its buildings or facilities at all times to persons who are twenty-one (21) years of age or older.	No
Age-restricted venue does not require each person attempting to gain entry to submit acceptable form of identification.	No
No Smoking signs or the International *Non-Smoking* symbol are not conspicuously posted at every entrance.	No
Garage type doors in non-enclosed areas are not completely open.	No
Tents or awnings with removable sides or vents in non-enclosed areas are not completely removed or open.	No
Smoke from non-enclosed areas is infiltrating into areas where smoking is prohibited.	No
Smoking observed where smoking is prohibited by the Act.	No

Warewashing Info

Machine Name	Sanitizer Type	PPM	Temperature (Fahrenheit)

Equipment Temperature

Description	Temperature (Fahrenheit)

Food Temperature

Description	State of Food	Temperature (Fahrenheit)
Rice 1 (hot box)	Hot Holding	177
Rice 2 (hot box)	Hot Holding	177
Rice 3 (hot box)	Hot Holding	177
Sliced cheese	Cold Holding	36
Tilapia	Cold Holding	30
Rice (serving line)	Hot Holding	178
Ground beef	Hot Holding	190
Chicken, shredded	Hot Holding	165
Chicken soup	Hot Holding	165
Beans	Hot Holding	190
Salsa ranchera	Hot Holding	185
Queso	Hot Holding	160
Queso	Hot Holding	80
Queso 2	Hot Holding	85
Shrimp	Cold Holding	50

Observed Violations

Total # 17

Repeated # 0

6: Violation corrected.

8: Violation corrected.

14: Violation corrected.

17: Cooled foods must be reheated to 165 degree or higher before it is served or held for service.

18: Violation corrected.

19: Hot holding foods are under 135 degrees. Hot holding foods must be 135 degrees or higher.

20: Cold holding foods are over 41 degrees. Cold holding foods must be 41 degrees or lower.

21: Violation corrected.

34: No thermometers present in equipment. Please provide thermometers in equipment.

35: Foods must be labeled by contents. (Dry storage, refrigerator, and freezer items)

37: Food on floor in freezer and food pan covering another food pan. Please separate food pans in cooling down process and no container on the floor.

39: Wiping cloths are not being stored in one location. Wiping cloths were in freezer and around the kitchen. Wiping cloths must be stored in a receptacle.

41: Scoops in dry storage bins are stored in food. Scoops cannot be stored in the food and must be in a ziplock bag or food container.

42: Dishes are being stored upright. Dishes must be stored inverted.

45: Food is in non-food grade material. Please make and store food in only food-grade material. Cutting boards are stained and grooved. Please deep clean or replace cutting boards. Cold holding cooler is at a high temperature for food. Please fix equipment or replace. The cooler by the hot box has water on the bottom. Please clean coolers.

46: There are no test strips available. Please provide test strips for dishwasher.

53: The floors, walls, and ceiling are not clean and/or good repair. The ceiling in the storage room above cans in the left corner is slightly damaged. The ceiling near the dishwasher is slightly damaged and very dusty. Please clean and/or repair floors, walls, and ceilings.



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Comments/Other Observations

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Additional Comments

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Comments/Other Observations (cont'd)

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Additional Comments

All points cannot be returned at this time due to not correcting all priority violations. Proper reheating procedures for hot holding, hot holding, and cold holding are still outstanding. Queso must be reheated to 165 before it is placed in hot box and, before it is placed on the serving line. Cold holding temperatures are still above 41 degrees on two cold holding station. A closure letter will be issued. Closure process has been explained and PIC does understand.