



# TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTION REPORT

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Establishment Name BABALU TAPAS FOOD SERVICES Type of Establishment ☒ Farmer's Market Food Unit ☐ Permanent ☐ Mobile  
Address 6450 POPLAR STE 101 ☐ Temporary ☐ Seasonal  
City Memphis Time in 03:20 AM AM / PM Time out 03:40 PM AM / PM  
Inspection Date 05/23/2024 Establishment # 605263782 Embargoed 000  
Purpose of Inspection ☐ Routine ☒ Follow-up ☐ Complaint ☐ Preliminary ☐ Consultation/Other  
Risk Category ☐ 1 ☒ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 Follow-up Required ☐ Yes ☒ No Number of Seats 52

**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.)

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

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

OUT=not in compliance COS=corrected on-site during inspection R=repeat (violation of the same code provision)					Compliance Status			COS R WT		
Safe Food and Water					Utensils and Equipment					
28	OUT				Food and nonfood-contact surfaces cleanable, properly designed, constructed, and used					1
29	OUT				Warewashing facilities, installed, maintained, used, test strips					1
30	OUT				Nonfood-contact surfaces clean					1
Food Temperature Control					Physical Facilities					
31	OUT				Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control					2
32	OUT				Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure					2
33	OUT				Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices					2
34	OUT				Sewage and waste water properly disposed					2
35	OUT				Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned					1
Food Identification					52	OUT				1
35	OUT				Food properly labeled; original container; required records available					1
Prevention of Food Contamination					53	OUT				1
36	OUT				Physical facilities installed, maintained, and clean					1
37	OUT				Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas used					1
38	OUT				Administrative Items					
39	OUT				Current permit posted					0
40	OUT				Most recent inspection posted					0
Proper Use of Utensils					Compliance Status			YES NO WT		
41	OUT				Non-Smokers Protection Act					
42	OUT				Compliance with TN Non-Smoker Protection Act					0
43	OUT				Tobacco products offered for sale					
44	OUT				If tobacco products are sold, NSPA survey completed					

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, 68-14-709, 68-14-711, 68-14-715, 68-14-716, 4-5-329.

Signature of Person In Charge [Signature] Date 05/23/2024 Signature of Environmental Health Specialist [Signature] Date 05/23/2024

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

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***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.

Age-restricted venue does not require each person attempting to gain entry to submit acceptable form of identification.

"No Smoking" signs or the international "Non-Smoking" symbol are not conspicuously posted at every entrance.

Garage type doors in non-enclosed areas are not completely open.

Tents or awnings with removable sides or vents in non-enclosed areas are not completely removed or open.

Smoke from non-enclosed areas is infiltrating into areas where smoking is prohibited.

Smoking observed where smoking is prohibited by the Act.

***Warewashing Info***

Machine Name	Sanitizer Type	PPM	Temperature ( Fahrenheit)

***Equipment Temperature***

Description	Temperature ( Fahrenheit)

***Food Temperature***

Description	State of Food	Temperature ( Fahrenheit)

### Observed Violations

Total # 7

Repeated # 0

34: Missing thermometers in one or more cooling units.

35: Unlabeled food containers.

37: Uncovered food on shelves and walk in cooler.

39: Wiping cloths improperly stored on cutting boards. Must store wiping cloths in sanitizing bucket.

42: Clean utensils improperly stored upright. Must invert.

45: Ovens need cleaning. Work stations need cleaning.

53: Stained ceiling tiles throughout the kitchen.

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***Comments/Other Observations***

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26: Violation has been corrected.  
27: Establishment is applying for HACCP plan. They have ceased all ROP operations and removed Sous Vide machine. PIC understands he has to have a state approved HACCP plan in order to resume ROP.

\*\*\*See page at the end of this document for any violations that could not be displayed in this space.

***Additional Comments***

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