



# TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTION REPORT

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Establishment Name China Gourmet Type of Establishment ☒ Farmer's Market Food Unit ☐ Permanent ☐ Mobile  
Address 321 Browns Ferry Rd Ste A1 ☐ Temporary ☐ Seasonal  
City Chattanooga Time in 11:45 AM AM / PM Time out 01:15 PM AM / PM  
Inspection Date 02/12/2024 Establishment # 605214769 Embargoed 3  
Purpose of Inspection ☒ Routine ☐ Follow-up ☐ Complaint ☐ Preliminary ☐ Consultation/Other  
Risk Category ☐ 1 ☒ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 Follow-up Required ☒ Yes ☐ No Number of Seats 0

**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			COS R WT		
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			COS R WT		
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					Proper cooking time and temperatures			COS R WT		
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					Proper reheating procedures for hot holding			COS R WT		
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					5
12	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Required records available: shell stock tags, parasite destruction					
Protection from Contamination					Proper cooling time and temperature			COS R WT		
13	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Food separated and protected					5
14	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Food-contact surfaces: cleaned and sanitized					
15	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Proper disposition of unsafe food, returned food not re-served					2
Consumer Advisory					Proper hot holding temperatures			COS R WT		
23	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Consumer advisory provided for raw and undercooked food					4
Highly Susceptible Populations					Proper cold holding temperatures			COS R WT		
24	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered					5
Chemicals					Proper date marking and disposition			COS R WT		
25	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Food additives: approved and properly used					5
26	IN	OUT	NA	NO	Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used					
Conformance with Approved Procedures					Time as a public health control: procedures and records			COS R WT		
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					Compliance Status			COS R WT		
28	OUT				Pasteurized eggs used where required					1
29	OUT				Water and ice from approved source					2
30	OUT				Variance obtained for specialized processing methods					1
Food Temperature Control					Utensils and Equipment			COS R WT		
31	OUT				Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control					2
32	OUT				Plant food properly cooked for hot holding					1
33	OUT				Approved thawing methods used					1
34	OUT				Thermometers provided and accurate					1
Food Identification					Physical Facilities			COS R WT		
35	OUT				Food properly labeled; original container; required records available					1
Prevention of Food Contamination					Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure			COS R WT		
36	OUT				Insects, rodents, and animals not present					2
37	OUT				Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display					1
38	OUT				Personal cleanliness					1
39	OUT				Wiping cloths: properly used and stored					1
40	OUT				Washing fruits and vegetables					1
Proper Use of Utensils					Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices			COS R WT		
41	OUT				In-use utensils; properly stored					1
42	OUT				Utensils, equipment and linens; properly stored, dried, handled					1
43	OUT				Single-use/single-service articles; properly stored, used					1
44	OUT				Gloves used properly					1
Administrative Items					Sewage and waste water properly disposed			COS R WT		
55	OUT				Current permit posted					0
56	OUT				Most recent inspection posted					0
Non-Smokers Protection Act					Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned			COS R WT		
57	OUT				Compliance with TN Non-Smoker Protection Act					0
58	OUT				Tobacco products offered for sale					0
59	OUT				If tobacco products are sold, NSPA survey completed					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, 4-5-329.

Signature of Person In Charge Chun JB Date 02/12/2024 Signature of Environmental Health Specialist Joshua P. Elle Date 02/12/2024

\*\*\*\* 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)
Triple Sink	Chlorine	50	

***Equipment Temperature***

Description	Temperature ( Fahrenheit)
See Remarks	

***Food Temperature***

Description	State of Food	Temperature ( Fahrenheit)
Shrimp (cookline low boy)	Cold Holding	38
Tofu (cookline low boy)	Cold Holding	39
General Tso Chicken (walk in)	Cold Holding	38
Sweet & Sour Chicken (walk in)	Cold Holding	38
Steamed Rice	Hot Holding	158
Fried Rice	Hot Holding	166
*Shredded Cabbage (cut leafy green)	Cold Holding	55

## Observed Violations

Total # 11

Repeated # 0

1: Active managerial control not provided over foodborne illness risk factors, employee handwashing, general cleanliness and sanitation during inspection. Recommend ANSI approved food safety certification for food handlers to increase food safety knowledge.

3: Observed employee working with bandages on fingers not properly covered by a single use glove. Wounds must be covered by an impermeable cover such as a finger cot or stall and a single use glove over the impermeable cover to adequately protect food and food contact surfaces.

6: Adequate handwashing not observed by employees during inspection. Hands must be washed between accepting payments from customers and preparing/cooking food items.

14: Numerous food and non-food contact surfaces dirty throughout establishment. Dried raw animal foods noted on surfaces in prep area. Adequate cleaning and sanitizing frequency not provided to maintain general cleanliness and overall sanitation levels in the establishment. Recommend detailed cleaning and sanitizing regiment to maintain sanitation levels throughout kitchen and prep areas.

20: Shredded cabbage (cut leafy green) sitting out at room temperature and not under time or temperature control. Product holding at 59°F. Must be 41°F or below. (Embargoed ~3lbs).

34: No thermometers provided in upright or chest freezer storing TCS foods.

37: Uncovered/unprotected food items noted in walk in cooler unit.

39: Wet wiping cloths stored on working surfaces and not in sanitizer solution.

41: In use utensils stored in standing water.

45: Shelving rusted/poor repair and not easily cleanable in walk in cooler. Chest freezer lid in poor repair.

50: Greywater from used mop water disposed of on ground outside back door. Greywater must be disposed of down the designated and provided mop sink.



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**Comments/Other Observations**

- 2: (IN) An employee health policy is available. PIC aware of symptoms and reportable illnesses per employee illness policy.
- 3: (IN) There are no food workers observed working with specific reportable symptoms or illnesses.
- 4: (IN) Employee isn't drinking, eating, or using tobacco in a food preparation area.
- 5: (IN) No employees exhibiting persistent coughing, sneezing, runny nose, or watery eyes.
- 7: (IN) Employees are observed using suitable utensils or gloves to prevent bare hand (or arm) contact with ready-to-eat foods.
- 8: (IN): All handsinks are properly equipped and conveniently located for food employee use.
- 9: (IN) Food products obtained from approved sources.
- 10: (NO): No food received during inspection.
- 11: (IN) All food was in good, sound condition at time of inspection.
- 12: (NA) Shell stock not used and parasite destruction not required at this establishment.
- 13: (IN) All raw animal food is separated and protected as required.
- 15: (IN) No unsafe, returned or previously served food served.
- 16: (NO) No raw animal foods cooked during inspection.
- 17: (NO) No TCS foods reheated during inspection.
- 18: (NO) No TCS foods observed in the cooling process at time of inspection.
- 19: (IN) TCS foods holding at 135°F or above. See food temperatures listed above.
- 21: (IN) Verified date marking system in place for all ready-to-eat TCS foods that are held longer than 24 hours.
- 22: (NA) No food held under time as a public health control.
- 23: (NA) Establishment does not serve animal food that is raw or undercooked.
- 24: (NA) A highly susceptible population is not served.
- 25: (NA) Establishment does not use any additives or sulfites on the premises.
- 26: (IN) All poisonous or toxic items are properly identified, stored, and used.
- 27: (NA) Establishment is not required to have a variance or HACCP plan, performs no special processes.
- 57: (IN) Establishment does not allow smoking inside facility and is in compliance with the State of TN non-smokers protection act.
- 58: (IN) Tobacco products not sold at establishment.

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

**Additional Comments**

**See last page for additional comments.**

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**Comments/Other Observations (cont'd)****Additional Comments (cont'd)*****See last page for additional comments.***

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### Sources

Source Type:	Food	Source:	Approved sources noted
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Source Type: Water Source: Public Water Supply

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### ***Additional Comments***