

Imminent Health Hazards

If any of the following conditions exist, a food establishment should close voluntarily and call the health department for advice:

- Lack of potable water
- Inadequate amount of refrigeration
- Sewage back-up
- Lack of sanitation, which is defined as a score of 69 or below on an inspection
- Lack of hot water
- Extended interruption of electrical or water
- Misuse of poisonous/toxic chemicals
- On-set of an apparent food-borne disease outbreak
- Fire/flood
- Failure to exclude an infectious employee
- Other conditions which affect public health
- Non-compliance issue: any violation documented three (3) consecutive inspections, will require a follow-up inspection within 48 hours