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Definitions

Please see ATCP 75.103 for complete, official definitions.

Prepackaged Restaurant:

Pre-packaged restaurant means a restaurant that serves only individually wrapped single food servings that are prepared and packaged off-premise by a licensed processor with preparation on the premise limited to heating and serving.

Restaurant:

Restaurant means any building, room or place where meals are prepared, served or sold, and all places used in connection with the building, room or place and includes any public or private school lunchroom in which food service is provided by contract.

Restaurant Category Assignment

Complexity Factors	Point(s)
Food is not prepared until an order is placed.	0
Food items are held hot for one meal period or for a maximum of 4 hours, whichever is less.	0
Food preparation is limited to mixing together prepackaged products that do not need to be cooked further except for aesthetic reasons (such as frozen soup concentrate with milk), or to condiment preparation (such as slicing pickles and onions).	0
The restaurant contains a self-service salad or food bar.	1
The restaurant handles raw poultry, meat, or seafood.	1
The seating capacity of the restaurant or operation is 50 or more.	1
Food is served through a drive through window for food pickup	1
The restaurant promotes delivery of ready-to-eat food products to customers.	1
Potentially hazardous foods are cooled, reheated, or hot or cold held for service longer than 4 hours.	1
Food is prepared in one location and then transported to be served in another location.	1
The restaurant contains or uses banquet facilities as well as main dining area.	1
Food is served that requires preparation activities such as chopping, dicing, slicing, boiling, cooling, blanching, or reheating in order for that product to be served.	1

A restaurant whose point value equals zero, shall be included in the **simple** permit category. A restaurant whose point value is at least one but not greater than 4 shall be included in the **moderate** permit category.

A restaurant whose point value equals 5 or greater shall be included in the **complex** permit category.

Temporary Restaurant:

Temporary restaurant means a restaurant that operates at a fixed location in conjunction with a single event or celebration such as a fair, carnival, circus, public exhibition, anniversary sale or occasional sales promotion. *S. 9701 (15b)*

Additional Area:

Restaurants that have additional, physically separate food holding, serving or preparation areas will be charged for each additional area.

Retail Food Establishment:

A permanent or mobile food processing facility where food processing is conducted primarily for direct retail sale to consumers at the facility, a mobile facility from which potentially hazardous food is sold to consumers at retail or a permanent facility from which food is sold to consumers at retail, whether or not that facility sells potentially hazardous food or is engaged in food processing. It includes a restaurant or temporary restaurant, but does not include an establishment holding a license under s. 97.605, to the extent that the activities of the establishment are covered by that license.

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