

Public Protection (food & safety)

Food Premises Inspection Report

Name of business:	Queen Of Icen
Address of food business:	Unit 6 Wherry Road Norwich, NR1 1WX
Date of inspection:	12/03/2026
Risk rating reference:	26/00237/FOOD
Premises reference:	20779/0008/0/000
Type of premises:	Public House with catering
Areas inspected:	Back of House, Cellar, Yard, Storeroom, Main Kitchen, Dry Store
Records examined:	Pest Control Report, FSMS, Cleaning Schedule, Temperature Control Records
Details of samples procured:	None
Summary of action taken:	Informal
General description of business:	Pub serving food

Relevant Legislation

Food Safety Act 1990 (as amended)
 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 applied by The General Food Regulations 2004 (as amended)
 Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 and No 853/2004 applied by Regulation 19 (1) of the Food Safety and Hygiene (England) Regulations 2013
 Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 and related regulations
 Food Information Regulations 2014

What you must do to comply with the law

The report may include **Contraventions** - matters which do not comply with the law. You must address all of the contraventions identified; failure to do so could result in legal action being taken against you.

As a guide, contraventions relating to cleaning, temperature control and poor practice, should be dealt with straight away.

Contraventions relating to structural repairs, your food safety management system and staff training, should be completed within the next 2 months.

Health and safety contraventions should be dealt with within 3 months unless otherwise stated.

To assist you the report may also include **Observations** of current practice, useful **Information, Recommendations** of good practice and reminders of **Legal Requirements**.

My inspection was not intended to identify every contravention of the law and only covers those areas, practices and procedures examined at the time of the inspection. If the report fails to mention a particular matter this does not mean you have necessarily complied with the law.

FOOD SAFETY

How we calculate your Food Hygiene Rating:

The food safety section has been divided into the three areas which you are scored against for the hygiene rating: 1. food hygiene and safety procedures, 2. structural requirements and 3. confidence in management/control procedures. Each section begins with a summary of what was observed and the score you have been given. Details of how these scores combine to produce your overall food hygiene rating are shown in the table.

Compliance Area	You Score					
Food Hygiene and Safety	0	5	10	15	20	25
Structure and Cleaning	0	5	10	15	20	25
Confidence in management & control systems	0	5	10	15	20	30
Your Total score	0 - 15	20	25 - 30	35 - 40	45 - 50	> 50
Your Worst score	5	10	10	15	20	-
Your Rating is	5	4	3	2	1	0



Your Food Hygiene Rating is 5 - a very good standard

1. Food Hygiene and Safety

Food hygiene standards are high. You demonstrated a very good standard of compliance with legal requirements. You have safe food handling practices and procedures and all the necessary control measures to prevent cross-contamination are in place. Some minor contraventions require your attention. **(5)**

Contamination risks

Contravention The following exposed food to the general risk of cross-contamination with bacteria or allergens or its physical contamination with dirt, foreign objects or chemicals:

- frozen food products had not been covered from the night before
- allergen sticks stored on the top shelf were kept in a container without a lid
- chemical bottle stored on the edge of the bin

Handwashing

Observation I was pleased to see handwashing was well managed.

Temperature Control

Contravention The following evidence indicated there was a risk of bacteria growing on food:

- the fridge in the upstairs area storing milk was switched off

2. Structure and Cleaning

The structure facilities and standard of cleaning and maintenance are all of a good standard and only minor repairs and/or improvements are required. Pest control and waste disposal provisions are adequate. The minor contraventions require your attention. **(5)**

Cleaning of Structure

Contravention The following items were dirty and require more frequent and thorough cleaning:

- walk in freezer floor
- upstairs cellar ceiling

Cleaning of Equipment and Food Contact Surfaces

Contravention The following items are dirty and must be cleaned:

- bottom of the hand soap dispenser

Maintenance

Contravention The following had not been suitably maintained and must be repaired or replaced:

- hole in the ceiling in the spirit cupboard
- upstairs corridor flooring

Pest Control

Contravention Pest proofing is inadequate particularly in the following areas:

- external wall cover damaged
- upstairs cellar tiles missing or not put back in place properly
- holes in the internal wall cladding

3. Confidence in Management

A food safety management system is in place, and you comply fully with the law. Hazards to food are understood properly controlled managed and reviewed. Your records are appropriate and being maintained. All your staff are suitably supervised and trained. You have a very good track record. **(0)**

Traceability

Observation Your records were such that food could easily be traced back to its supplier.

Waste Food and other Refuse

Contravention The following evidence indicated that waste food was not being disposed of appropriately:

- bin bags were not properly secured inside the bins

Training

Observation I was pleased to see that food handlers had been trained to an appropriate level and evidence of their training was made available.

Allergens

Observation You had clearly shown the presence of allergens in your food on your menu.