

Public Protection (food & safety)

Food Premises Inspection Report

Name of Business:	Norwich And European Social Club
Address of food business:	First Floor, 119 - 121 Magdalen St, NR3 1LN
Date of Inspection:	25/04/2017
Risk Rating Reference	17/00239/FOOD
Premises Reference	16/00311/FD_HS
Type of Premises:	Food Premises open and unrated
Areas Inspected:	All
Records Examined:	None
Details of Samples Procured:	None
Summary of Action Taken:	Informal
General Description of business	Bar with catering

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

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 <u>straight away</u>.

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

Health and safety contraventions should be dealt with within <u>3 months</u> 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	2	5 - 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 1 - major improvement is necessary



1. Food Hygiene and Safety

Food hygiene standards are generally satisfactory and maintained. There is evidence of some non-compliance with legal requirements. Some lapses are evident however generally you have satisfactory food handling practices and procedures and adequate control measures to prevent cross-contamination are in place. The contraventions require your attention; although not critical to food safety they may become so if not addressed. **(Score 10)**

Contamination risks

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

• raw food i.e an open packet of Sucuk sausage was being stored above ready-to-eat foods i.e tomatoes, peppers, lemons and bread in the Artica fridge

Contravention You could not demonstrate effective heat disinfection of food equipment and utensils used for both raw and ready-to-eat (RTE) foods and did not have a dishwasher. Undertake the following work:

• purchase different containers and utensils for raw foods and ready-to-eat foods I recommend colour coded containers and utensil

Hand-washing

Contravention The following evidence indicated hand-washing was not suitably managed:

• the sink was being used for both handwashing and washing up

Recommendation I recommend you dedicate a sink for the use of hand washing only and supply hand towel dispenser

Personal Hygiene

Contravention The following are examples of poor personal hygiene or where it was made difficult for food handlers to maintain sufficiently high standards of personal cleanliness:

• it was noted that there was no aprons available for food handlers. You must ensure that all persons working in food handling areas wear suitable clean and where appropriate, protective clothing

Temperature Control

Observation I was pleased to see you were able to limit bacterial growth and/or survival by applying appropriate temperature controls at points critical to food safety and that you were diligently monitoring temperatures.

Poor Practices

Observation The following matters represented poor practice and if allowed to continue may cause food to become contaminated or lead to its deterioration

- food was not dated in fridges, food should be labelled with a date stating when it should be used by to enable good stock rotation. Food should be stored so that the oldest food is used first i.e 'first in first out'
- food i.e tomatoes, peppers, chilies and coriander were being stored in cardboard boxes in the fridge. Absorbent containers e.g cardboard boxes, must not be used for the storage of foods in fridges, as they are not capable of being effectively cleaned. Use clean lidded plastic containers
- lemons were being stored in a plywood crate in the Artica fridge. Please use clean plastic containers as these can be cleaned

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. **(Score 5)**

Cleaning of Structure

Observation The kitchen had been well maintained and the standard of cleaning was exceptionally high.

Cleaning of Equipment and Food Contact Surfaces

Contravention The following surfaces and equipment in contact with food were dirty and/or could not be cleaned and require cleaning or discarding:

• seals to the door of the display fridge

Cleaning Chemicals / Materials / Equipment and Methods

Information Ensure you use a surface sanitiser that conforms to BS EN 1276:1997 or BS EN 13697:2001. This information should be available on the label or by contacting the manufacturer.

Maintenance

Observation I was pleased to see the kitchen had recently been refurbished.

Pest Control

Observation I was pleased to see that you had employed a pest control contractor

3. Confidence in Management

There is major non-compliance with legal requirements. Your food safety management system was not written down. You were failing to apply your written food safety management system. Some staff not suitably supervised instructed and/or trained in food hygiene. The contraventions require your urgent attention. A revisit is planned and formal enforcement action is likely. **(Score 20)**

Type of Food Safety Management System Required

Contravention You currently do not have a food safety management system. Provide a simple documented system such as 'Cook Safe' or Safer Food Better Business (SFBB)

Information You can download a Safer Food Better Business pack and refill diary pages from the FSA website: www.food.gov.uk/business-industry/caterers/sfbb or you can buy a printed copy from Coventry City Council www.coventry.gov.uk (short link = http://tinyurl.com/zumxm74)

Food Hazard Identification and Control

Contravention The following matters demonstrated that you have not identified hazards to food (such as bacteria growing on food, bacteria surviving in cooked food and cross-contamination) or the methods of control at critical points in your operation:

• open foods stored in the Artica fridge

Infection Control / Sickness / Exclusion Policy

Guidance Public Health England recommends that food handlers known or suspected to be suffering from a food-borne infection or gastrointestinal illness stay away from work until symptom-free for 48 hours.

Allergens

Contravention You have not yet identified the allergens present in the food you prepare.

Contravention You have not properly informed your customers about the presence of allergens in the food you prepare.

Contravention You have not warned your customers about the potential for cross-contamination with allergens.

Legal requirement Caterers must provide allergy information on all unpackaged food they sell. Catering businesses include restaurants, takeaways, deli counters, bakeries and sandwich bars etc. The potential for cross-contamination by allergens must also be made known to consumers. You can obtain more information from the Trading Standards website: www.norfolk.gov.uk/abc

Information The 14 allergens are:

cereals containing gluten

crustaceans, for example prawns, crabs, lobster and crayfish

eggs

fish

peanuts

soybeans

milk

nuts, such as almonds, hazelnuts, walnuts, pecan nuts, Brazil nuts, pistachio, cashew and macadamia (Queensland) nuts

celery (and celeriac)

mustard

sesame

sulphur dioxide, which is a preservative found in some dried fruit

lupin

molluscs, for example clams, mussels, whelks, oysters, snails and squid