



**Public Protection (food & safety)**

**Food Premises Inspection Report**

Name of business:	Zest
Address of food business:	Central Catering Building The Square University Of East Anglia Norwich NR4 7TJ
Date of inspection:	19/06/2019
Risk rating reference:	19/00500/FOOD
Premises reference:	05/00030/FOOD
Type of premises:	Restaurant or cafe
Areas inspected:	Main Kitchen, Storeroom
Records examined:	FSMS, Cleaning schedule, Temperature control records, Training certificates / records
Details of samples procured:	None
Summary of action taken:	Informal
General description of business:	University Restaurant

**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

<b>Your Total score</b>	<b>0 - 15</b>	20	25 - 30	35 - 40	45 - 50	> 50
<b>Your Worst score</b>	<b>5</b>	10	10	15	20	-

<b>Your Rating is</b>	<b>5</b>	4	3	2	1	0
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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. **(Score 5)**

#### **Contamination risks**

**Contravention** The following exposed food to the general risk of cross-contamination with bacteria or allergens:

- chopping boards were being stored directly touching

**Observation** I was pleased to see you were able to demonstrate effective controls to prevent cross-contamination.

**Recommendation** chopping/cutting boards were being stored directly touching. Chopping/cutting boards must be stored in a rack properly divided to stop cross-contamination and to allow aeration

#### Hand-washing

**Observation** I was pleased to see handwashing was well managed.

#### Personal Hygiene

**Observation** I was pleased to see that standards of personal hygiene were high.

#### 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 monitoring temperatures.

#### Poor Practices

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

- storing food i.e cooked pasta and sausages for 3 days
- vac packer used for ready-to-eat foods was being stored in the raw foods section

**Recommendation** You should have a system to identify when open or prepared foods need to be used by or discarded, to ensure the food is fit for consumption. I recommend you apply labels which give a day or date that is 2 days after the day of production e.g. if food is opened on Monday it should be used by the end of Wednesday.

## **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

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

- behind and under equipment
- edges to flooring

- flooring underneath and behind Rational ovens
- flooring underneath ovens

#### Cleaning of Equipment and Food Contact Surfaces

**Contravention** The following items are dirty and must be cleaned:

- towel and soap dispenser to wash hand basin in the servery section
- blade to table top can opener
- front plate to nozzles to coffee machines
- wheels to stainless steel tables

**Observation** You had dedicated equipment for the preparation of raw and ready-to-eat foods.

#### Cleaning Chemicals / Materials / Equipment and Methods

**Observation** I was pleased to see that the premises was kept clean and that your cleaning materials, methods and equipment were able to minimise the spread of harmful bacteria between surfaces.

#### Maintenance

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

- flooring was badly marked
- holes to wall above wash hand basin

#### Pest Control

**Observation** You have a pest control contract in place and there is no evidence of pest activity on the premises.

### **3. Confidence in Management**

A food safety management system is in place and you demonstrate a very good standard of compliance with the law. Food hazards are understood properly controlled managed and reviewed. Your records are appropriate and generally maintained. Your staff are suitably supervised and trained. You have a good track record. There are some minor contraventions which require your attention. **(Score 5)**

#### Type of Food Safety Management System Required

**Observation** Your SFBB/food safety management system was in place and working well. I was confident you had effective control over hazards to food.

**Observation** You were date labelling perishable foods appropriately and could demonstrate effective control over food spoilage organisms.

**Observation** You had colour-coded equipment and effective separation between raw and ready-to-eat food at all stages in your operation.

**Observation** You were monitoring (and recording) the temperatures of your fridges and freezers well as the temperature of cooked/hot-held food and could demonstrate effective systems for controlling bacterial growth and survival.

#### Proving your arrangements are working well

**Contravention** The following matters are needed in order to demonstrate your food safety management system is working as it should

- more attention is needed to cleaning

#### Traceability

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

#### Waste Food and other Refuse

**Observation** You had measures in place to dispose of waste food appropriately and were employing the services of an approved waste contractor.

#### 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.

#### 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.

**Observation** I was pleased to see that you had a return to work policy

## Allergens

**Observation** You had identified the presence of allergens in your non-prepacked food and had brought this to the attention of your customers.

**Observation** You had devised a chart listing all the food you provide with the allergens present in each and had brought this to the attention of your staff and customers.