

Food Establishment Inspection Report

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Local Health Department Name and Address Woodford County Health Department 1831 S. Main Street, Eureka, IL 61530		No. of Risk Factor/Intervention Violations	0	Date	03/20/2024
Establishment AJ's Lounge of Benson		License/Permit #	23 051	No. of Repeat Risk Factor/Intervention Violations	0
Street Address 322-324 Front Street		Permit Holder AJ's Lounge of Benson Inc		Risk Category I	
City/State Benson, IL		ZIP Code 61516		Purpose of Inspection Routine Inspection	

FOODBORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND PUBLIC HEALTH INTERVENTIONS

Circle designated compliance status (IN, OUT, N/O, N/A) for each numbered item
IN=in compliance **OUT**=not in compliance **N/O**=not observed **N/A**=not applicable
 Mark "X" in appropriate box for COS and/or R
COS=corrected on-site during inspection **R**=repeat violation

Risk factors are important practices or procedures identified as the most prevalent contributing factors of foodborne illness or injury. Public health interventions are control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury.

Compliance Status		COS	R
Supervision			
1	In		
Person in charge present, demonstrates knowledge, and performs duties			
2	In		
Certified Food Protection Manager (CFPM)			
Employee Health			
3	In		
Management, food employee and conditional employee; knowledge, responsibilities and reporting			
4	In		
Proper use of restriction and exclusion			
5	In		
Procedures for responding to vomiting and diarrheal events			
Good Hygienic Practices			
6	In		
Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use			
7	In		
No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth			
Preventing Contamination by Hands			
8	In		
Hands clean and properly washed			
9	In		
No bare hand contact with RTE food or a pre-approved alternative procedure properly allowed			
10	In		
Adequate handwashing sinks properly supplied and accessible			
Approved Source			
11	In		
Food obtained from approved source			
12	N/O		
Food received at proper temperature			
13	In		
Food in good condition, safe, and unadulterated			
14	N/A		
Required records available: shellstock tags, parasite destruction			

Compliance Status		COS	R
Protection from Contamination			
15	In		
Food separated and protected			
16	In		
Food-contact surfaces; cleaned and sanitized			
17	In		
Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned and unsafe food			
Time/Temperature Control for Safety			
18	In		
Proper cooking time and temperatures			
19	In		
Proper reheating procedures for hot holding			
20	In		
Proper cooling time and temperature			
21	In		
Proper hot holding temperatures			
22	In		
Proper cold holding temperatures			
23	In		
Proper date marking and disposition			
24	N/A		
Time as a Public Health Control; procedures & records			
Consumer Advisory			
25	In		
Consumer advisory provided for raw/undercooked food			
Highly Susceptible Populations			
26	N/A		
Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered			
Food/Color Additives and Toxic Substances			
27	N/A		
Food additives: approved and properly used			
28	In		
Toxic substances properly identified, stored, and used			
Conformance with Approved Procedures			
29	N/A		
Compliance with variance/specialized process/HACCP			

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES

Good Retail Practices are preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.
 Mark "X" in box if numbered item is not in compliance Mark "X" in appropriate box for COS and/or R **COS**=corrected on-site during inspection **R**=repeat violation

Compliance Status		COS	R
Safe Food and Water			
30			
Pasteurized eggs used where required			
31			
Water and ice from approved source			
32			
Variance obtained for specialized processing methods			
Food Temperature Control			
33			
Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control			
34			
Plant food properly cooked for hot holding			
35			
Approved thawing methods used			
36			
Thermometers provided & accurate			
Food Identification			
37			
Food properly labeled; original container			
Prevention of Food Contamination			
38			
Insects, rodents, and animals not present			
39	X		X
Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage and display			
40			
Personal cleanliness			
41			
Wiping cloths: properly used and stored			
42			
Washing fruits and vegetables			

Compliance Status		COS	R
Proper Use of Utensils			
43			
In-use utensils: properly stored			
44			
Utensils, equipment & linens: properly stored, dried, & handled			
45			
Single-use/single-service articles: properly stored and used			
46			
Gloves used properly			
Utensils, Equipment and Vending			
47			
Food and non-food contact surfaces cleanable, properly designed, constructed, and used			
48			
Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained, & used; test strips			
49			
Non-food contact surfaces clean			
Physical Facilities			
50			
Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure			
51			
Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices			
52			
Sewage and waste water properly disposed			
53			
Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, & cleaned			
54			
Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained			
55			
Physical facilities installed, maintained, and clean			
56			
Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas used			
Employee Training			
57			
All food employees have food handler training			
58			
Allergen training as required			

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Heat: N/A

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Tena Lee 20787384 - ServSafe Exp. 7/2026	Donna J. Gerdes 20787381 - ServSafe Exp. 7/2026	Josh Brown 1d44ci-jjgjc2a - State Food Safety Exp. 3/2029	
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HACCP Topic: TCS food temperature, date marking, and cooling procedures; no bare hand contact with ready-to-eat food; employee health

Date _____


Follow-up Date:

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Person in Charge (Signature) 

Mar 20, 2024

Date _____

Paul Wilbur WCHD
Inspector (Signature)

Follow-up: ☐ Yes ☒ No (Check one)

Follow-up Date: