Written Notification of Major Food Allergens as Ingredients

Regulation 6 CCR 1010-2: Retail Food Establishments

Identifying the Nine Major Allergens as Ingredients



Unintended exposure to food allergens is a serious risk for consumers with food allergies. Consumers depend on information about any ingredients that are a major food allergen. Establishments shall notify consumers to inquire about major food allergens as ingredients for menu items.

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For more information, contact your local health department or visit:

3-602.12 Colorado Food Code

Establishments shall notify

consumers by written notification

to inquire about information on major food allergens as ingredients



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An example of a statement that could be listed on a menu, table tent, placard or display board that informs the consumer of major food allergens that are present as ingredients could be:



The following major food allergens are used as ingredients: Milk, Egg, Fish, Crustacean Shellfish, Tree Nuts, Peanuts, Wheat, Soy, and Sesame. Please notify staff for more information about these ingredients.



Written notification can be provided in many forms such as: physical or electronic means, including, but not limited to, brochures, deli case or menu notifications, label statements, table tents, placards, or other effective written means.

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