

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0204446 - SUSHI HOUSE PALO ALTO. LLC		Site Address 158 TOWN & COUNTRY VILLAGE, PALO ALTO, CA 94301		Inspection Date 04/27/2022	
Program PR0303979 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 6-25 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP14			Owner Name UEKI, KENJI & NAGAMINE, M		Inspection Time 12:45 - 14:15
Inspected By DENNIS LY	Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION		Consent By KENJI UEKI	FSC Noriko Ueki 10/5/25	

Placard Color & Score
GREEN
85

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
		Major	Minor				
K01 Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification	X						S
K02 Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion	X						
K03 No discharge from eyes, nose, mouth	X						
K04 Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use	X						
K05 Hands clean, properly washed; gloves used properly			X	X			N
K06 Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible	X						S
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						S
K08 Time as a public health control; procedures & records	X						S
K09 Proper cooling methods	X						
K10 Proper cooking time & temperatures	X						S
K11 Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	X						
K12 Returned and reservice of food	X						
K13 Food in good condition, safe, unadulterated	X						
K14 Food contact surfaces clean, sanitized		X		X			
K15 Food obtained from approved source	X						
K16 Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display						X	
K17 Compliance with Gulf Oyster Regulations						X	
K18 Compliance with variance/ROP/HACCP Plan						X	
K19 Consumer advisory for raw or undercooked foods	X						
K20 Licensed health care facilities/schools: prohibited foods not being offered						X	
K21 Hot and cold water available	X						
K22 Sewage and wastewater properly disposed	X						
K23 No rodents, insects, birds, or animals	X						

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES	OUT	COS
K24 Person in charge present and performing duties		
K25 Proper personal cleanliness and hair restraints		
K26 Approved thawing methods used; frozen food		
K27 Food separated and protected	X	
K28 Fruits and vegetables washed		
K29 Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used		
K30 Food storage: food storage containers identified		
K31 Consumer self service does prevent contamination		
K32 Food properly labeled and honestly presented		
K33 Nonfood contact surfaces clean		
K34 Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips		
K35 Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity		
K36 Equipment, utensils, linens: Proper storage and use		
K37 Vending machines		
K38 Adequate ventilation/lighting; designated areas, use		
K39 Thermometers provided, accurate		
K40 Wiping cloths: properly used, stored		X
K41 Plumbing approved, installed, in good repair; proper backflow devices		
K42 Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		
K43 Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned		
K44 Premises clean, in good repair; Personal/chemical storage; Adequate vermin-proofing		
K45 Floor, walls, ceilings: built, maintained, clean		
K46 No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47 Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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K48	Plan review	
K49	Permits available	
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted	

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

K14 - 8 Points - Food contact surfaces unclean and unsanitized; 113984(e), 114097, 114099.1, 114099.4, 114099.6, 114101, 114105, 114109, 114111, 114113, 114115(a,b,d), 114117, 14125(b), 114141

Inspector Observations: Chlorine sanitizer for the dishwasher was measured at 0 ppm. [CA] Maintain chlorine in mechanical warewash machine at 50 PPM.

[COS] Auto Chlor technician corrected violation and chlorine sanitizer was measured at 50 ppm.

Minor Violations

K05 - 3 Points - Hands not clean/improperly washed/gloves not used properly; 113952, 113953.3, 113953.4, 113961, 113968, 113973 (b-f)

Inspector Observations: Improper handwashing by employee was observed as the employee washed their hands while still wearing disposable gloves. [CA] Gloves shall be removed prior to washing hands and putting on new gloves.

[COS] Employee was asked to properly wash hands.

K27 - 2 Points - Food not separated and unprotected; 113984(a-d,f), 113986, 114060, 114067(a,d,e,j), 114069(a,b), 114077, 114089.1(c), 114143(c)

Inspector Observations: 1) In the reach-in cooler next to the cook line, raw shrimp was observed stored on shelf above produce.

2) In the reach-in cooler located in the back of the facility, raw tuna was observed stored on the top shelf above produce.

[CA] Store raw foods separate or below ready-to-eat foods to prevent cross contamination.

K40 - 2 Points - Wiping cloths: improperly used and stored; 114135, 114185.1 114185.3(d,e)

Inspector Observations: Wiping towels was observed stored on top of the food prep table throughout the kitchen.

[CA] Wiping towels shall be stored in sanitizing solution of an approved concentration when not in use (100 ppm - chlorine, 200 ppm - quaternary ammonium).

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Hands clean/properly washed/gloves used properly.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Raw shrimp	Upright reach-in cooler	37.00 Fahrenheit	
grilled chicken	Cooked	165.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Chlorine sanitizer	dishwasher	0.00 PPM	Measured at 50 ppm after COS
Raw tuna	Upright reach-in cooler	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Yellow tail	Reach-in cooler	39.00 Fahrenheit	
Shrimp	Display cooler	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	handwash sink	100.00 Fahrenheit	
cut tomatoes	Food prep unit insert	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw salmon	Upright reach-in cooler	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw shell eggs	Upright reach-in cooler	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw salmon	Display cooler	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Tofu	Upright reach-in cooler	39.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw tuna	Display cooler	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Imitation crab	Upright reach-in cooler	30.00 Fahrenheit	
Shredded chicken	Food prep unit	41.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

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When required to determine compliance, a single reinspection will be conducted without additional charge. If subsequent reinspections are required, an hourly fee (minimum one hour) at the current rate approved by the Board of Supervisors will be assessed for each and every reinspection until the necessary changes or corrections are made. Unless otherwise noted by the inspector, all violations are to be corrected no later than **5/11/2022**. Any major change in menu or any change in ownership must have prior approval by this Department. This may require structural and/or equipment changes or remodeling to accommodate new operations.

Legend:

- [CA] Corrective Action
- [COS] Corrected on Site
- [N] Needs Improvement
- [NA] Not Applicable
- [NO] Not Observed
- [PBI] Performance-based Inspection
- [PHF] Potentially Hazardous Food
- [PIC] Person in Charge
- [PPM] Part per Million
- [S] Satisfactory
- [SA] Suitable Alternative
- [TPHC] Time as a Public Health Control



Received By: Kenji
Owner

Signed On: April 27, 2022