Food Service Inspection Requirements
Religious Exempt Child Care Centers
Child Care Food Program

Child Care Food Program (CCFP) regulations require child care facilities to have a current health/sanitation permit or satisfactory food service inspection report issued by a local authority at least yearly.

The Environmental Health (EH) section of your local county health department is able to provide the food service inspection, if requested, for a fee of $40.00 plus any surcharges required by your county.

Complete and send the attached Request for Food Service Inspection form to your local county health department when requesting an inspection. Please refer to the attached list for your county environmental health contact.

EH will inspect within 60 days of receiving the Request for Food Service Inspection.

Keep in mind, the county health department may require a separate inspection application and submission of documentation (facility floor plan, etc.) prior to the on-site inspection.

For additional food safety training please refer to the following online training modules from the CCFP website at www.floridahealth.gov/ccfp/. Click on Food Safety and Alerts from drop down box to access:

- Online module, *Serving Safe Food in the CCFP*, located under Child Care Food Program Resources
- Institute of Child Nutrition online course, *Serving Safe Food in Child Care,* also located under Child Care Food Program Resources

Please refer to www.Foodsafety.gov for the latest in food recall and safety alert information. FoodSafety.gov is the gateway to food safety information provided by government agencies.