

Hospitality License: Guidance with Public Health and Sanitation Plans

The Denver Department of Public Health & Environment (DDPHE) recommends that all marijuana hospitality licensees develop and implement a public health and sanitation plan.

Each marijuana hospitality licensee should consider including the following information in their plan:

- Name and description of the underlying business.
- Address where the license will be held.
- A detailed menu of any food or beverages to be served, if applicable.
 - Include what food handling will occur (preparing sandwiches, coffee, etc.)
 - If any foods or beverages are pre-packaged, please address in menu description and list source.
 - Depending on scope of menu, a health plan review may be required.
- Identify the type of consumption that will be allowed at the facility (Vaping? Edibles? Etc.)
- Provide a detailed floor plan of the facility including designated consumption areas, restrooms, hand washing sinks, mop sink, ware washing areas, etc.
- Identify types of consumption equipment that may be provided by the facility for customer rental (vaporizing equipment, mouth pieces, types of glass, etc.)
 - Address if equipment is disposable or re-usable.
- If any equipment is re-used, identify process for cleaning and sanitation.
 - Address the type of sanitizer that will be used.
 - *** All equipment shall be washed, rinsed, and sanitized between uses. Sanitizer shall be EPA approved.
- Identify the process for cleaning the exterior of the equipment and fixtures that are handled by the customer.
- Identify plan for storage of all equipment.
- Ensure that orally consumable products, including hemp-derived cannabinoids such as CBD, are from approved sources. See [Cannabis Approved Source and Shelf Stability Guidance Document](#) for more information.
 - Some CBD products may be considered a potentially hazardous food (such as tinctures, beverages, infused oils) that are required to be held at 41F or below. If you are unsure if a product is shelf stable and approved to be stored at room temperature, you may contact phicomments@denvergov.org for further guidance.
- Identify procedures for training staff regarding public health and sanitation.
- Identify the employee illness policy.
- Identify a cannabis waste removal plan.

Contact Denver Department of Public Health & Environment for more information pertaining to your business and the Public Health and Sanitation Plan. <http://www.denvergov.org/phi>

Contact Denver Department of Excise & Licensing for more information regarding marijuana hospitality licensing. <https://www.denvergov.org/Government/Agencies-Departments-Offices/Agencies-Departments-Offices-Directory/Business-Licensing/Business-Licenses/Marijuana-Licenses>

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