Standard Operating Procedures for

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Donated Foods for Institutions and Non-Profits

Why:	Donated foods must be checked to make sure that they are not hazardous, are wholesome, protected from contamination, and received at proper temperatures.	
Who:	Designated receiving employee.	
When:	When traditional wild game meat, seafood, plants, and other food is donated.	
Where:	Where foods are received, stored and prepared. □	
How:	 Check the food to be sure that: It is not a prohibited food. Donated game, fish and poultry was whole, gutted, gilled, as quarters, or roasts, without further processing. Check donated surplus food for source temperature, condition and protection from contamination. Check with the donor to be sure that: The donated game animal is not diseased. Donated game, fish and poultry was butchered, dressed, transported, and stored to prevent contamination, microbial growth or deterioration. Do not prepare or process the food at the same time, or in the same area as other food, to prevent cross-contamination. Clean and sanitize food-contact surfaces of equipment and utensils after processing the food. Store it separately from other food, and label it with the name of the food. Do not accept swollen, leaking, or badly dented cans. Do not accept any home canned foods. 	
Records:	"Donated Food Source Record" □	
Correction:	 Discard foods that have been contaminated with donated food. Reject food from diseased animals. Reject food that has not been maintained at required temperatures or protected from contamination, or is not wholesome. Reject foods that are not commercially canned foods. 	
PIC Verification:	 Observe receiving procedures and review records. Check storage areas to verify that donated foods are stored separately. Observe processing of donated foods, and check temperatures if applicable. 	

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