



Mobile Unit or Kiosk Water Sample Requirements

(18 AAC 31.500)

WHAT IS REQUIRED?

The operator of a mobile food unit or kiosk, except a pushcart, must:

1. At least annually and before seasonal setup:
 - a. Superchlorinate each potable water tank for at least two hours with a 50ppm chlorine solution. (Use bleach (unscented): 1 oz (2TBL) per 5 gallons of water);
 - b. Drain, thoroughly rinse, and refill the tank.
2. Submit water samples to a certified laboratory, found at <http://dec.alaska.gov/applications/eh/ehllabreports/certmicrolabs.aspx>. for coliform analysis:
 - a. Before initial startup and before seasonal startup; and
 - b. Every 3 months during operation.
3. Take the following actions if notified that a water sample exceeds the maximum contaminant level (MCL):
 - a. Immediately superchlorinate the tank as described in (1)(a) and (b) above; and
 - b. Submit another water sample to a certified laboratory for coliform analysis within 24 hours after superchlorination.

WHAT TO DO WITH RESULTS?

All laboratory results must be forwarded to the operator's local ADEC Food Safety and Sanitation Program office.

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