3717-1-03.7 Food: special requirements for highly susceptible populations.

In a food service operation or retail food establishment that serves a highly susceptible population:

(A) Prepackaged juice or a prepackaged beverage containing juice, that bears a warning label as specified in 21 C.F.R. 101.17(g) food labeling and in rule 3717-1-08 of the Administrative Code, may not be served or offered for sale;

(A) The following criteria apply to juice:

- (1) For the purposes of this paragraph only, children who are nine years of age or less and receive food in a school, day care setting, or similar facility that provides custodial care are included as highly susceptible populations;
- (2) Prepackaged juice or a prepackaged beverage containing juice, that bears a warning label as specified in 21 C.F.R. 101.17(g) food labeling and in rule 3717-1-08 of the Administrative Code, shall not be served or offered for sale;
- (3) Unpackaged juice that is prepared on the premises for service or sale in a ready-to-eat form shall be processed under a H.A.C.C.P. plan and as specified in 21 CFR part 120 hazard analysis and critical control point (H.A.C.C.P.) systems, subpart B pathogen reduction, 120.24 process controls. This is not intended to include freshly prepared fruit or vegetable purees that are prepared on-site.
- (B) Food in an unopened original package may not be re-served; Food employees may not contact ready-to-eat food as specified under paragraph (A)(2) of rule 3717-1-03.2 of the Administrative Code.
- (C) The following foods may not be served or offered for sale in a ready-to-eat form:
 - (1) Raw animal foods such as raw fish, raw-marinated fish, raw molluscan shellfish, and steak tartare,
 - (2) A partially cooked animal food such as lightly cooked fish, rare meat, soft-cooked eggs that are made from raw shell eggs, and meringue, and
 - (3) Raw seed sprouts; and.
- (D) Pasteurized shell eggs or pasteurized liquid, frozen, or dry eggs or egg products shall be substituted for raw shell eggs in the preparation of:
 - (1) Foods such as Caesar salad, hollandaise or Bearnaise Béarnaise sauce, mayonnaise, meringue, egg nogeggnog, ice cream, and egg-fortified

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beverages; and

(2) Recipes in which more than one egg is broken and the eggs are combined, unless:

- (a) The raw eggs are combined immediately before cooking for one consumer's serving at a single meal, cooked as specified under paragraph (A)(1)(a) of rule 3717-1-03.3 of the Administrative Code, and served immediately, such as an omelet, souffle soufflé, or scrambled eggs;
- (b) The raw eggs are combined as an ingredient immediately before baking and the eggs are thoroughly cooked to a ready-to-eat form, such as a cake, muffin, or bread; or
- (c) The preparation of the food is conducted under a H.A.C.C.P. plan that:
 - (i) Identifies the food to be prepared,
 - (ii) Prohibits contacting ready-to-eat food with bare hands,
 - (iii) Includes specifications and practices that ensure:
 - (a) Salmonella Enteritidis growth is controlled before and after cooking, and
 - (b) Salmonella Enteritidis is destroyed by cooking the eggs according to the temperature and time specified in paragraph (A)(1)(b) of rule 3717-1-03.3 of the Administrative Code,
 - (iv) Contains the H.A.C.C.P. plan information and including, includes procedures that:
 - (a) Control cross contamination of ready-to-eat food with raw eggs, and
 - (b) Delineate cleaning and sanitization procedures for food-contact surfaces, and
 - (v) Describes the training program that ensures that the food employee

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responsible for the preparation of the food understands the procedures to be used.

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