

57 begins employment that includes food handler services.

58 (3) An approved food handler training program shall include:

59 (a) at least 75 minutes of training time;

60 (b) an exam, which requires a passing score of 75% and, except as provided in

61 Subsection (11) ~~H→~~ [(b)] ~~←H~~, consists of:

62 (i) 40 multiple-choice questions developed by the department, in consultation with
63 local health departments; and

64 (ii) four content sections designated by rule of the department with 10 randomly
65 selected questions for each content section; and

66 (c) upon completion, the awarding of a certificate of completion that is valid with any
67 local health department in the state for 30 days after the day on which the certificate is issued:

68 (i) to a student who:

69 (A) completes the training; and

70 (B) passes the exam ~~H→~~ described in this Subsection (3) or an exam approved by the
70a department in accordance with Subsection (11) ~~←H~~; and

71 (ii) which certificate of completion:

72 (A) includes student identifying information determined by department rule; and

73 (B) is delivered by mail or electronic means.

74 (4) (a) A person may obtain a food handler permit by:

75 (i) providing a valid certificate of completion of an approved food handler training
76 program and an application, approved by the local health department, to a local health
77 department; and

78 (ii) paying a food handler permit fee to the local health department.

79 (b) ~~H→~~ (i) ~~←H~~ A local health department may charge a food handler permit fee that is
79a reasonable

80 and that reflects the cost of managing the food safety program.

80a ~~H→~~ (ii) The department shall establish by rule the maximum amount a local health
80b department may charge for the fee described in Subsection (4)(b)(i). ~~←H~~

81 (5) A person working as a food handler for a food service establishment shall obtain a
82 food handler permit:

83 (a) before handling any food;

84 (b) within 30 days of initial employment with a food service establishment; and

85 (c) within seven days of the expiration of an existing food handler permit.

86 (6) (a) A person who holds a valid food handler permit under this section may serve as
87 a food handler throughout the state without restriction.