

Time As Public Health



How: **WRITTEN PROCEDURES** Must be on **SITE** and...

- Foods shall be marked or identified to indicate the time that is **PAST 4 HOURS** past the point when the food or food items are removed from temperature control;
- Foods shall be cooked & served or served if in ready to eat form or discarded, within 4 hours from when the food is removed from temperature control;
- The food in unmarked containers or packages or marked to exceed **4 HOUR LIMIT** shall be discarded

What:

- If time only is used, rather than time and temperature is as the public health control for a working supply of potentially hazardous food before cooking, or for ready-to-eat potentially hazardous food before cooking or on display or held for immediate consumption...

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