

Food Establishment Inspection Report

Score: 98

Establishment Name: DON ZAPATAS MEXICAN GRILL

Establishment ID: 3034012614

Location Address: 137 JONESTOWN ROAD

City: WINSTON SALEM State: North Carolina

Zip: 27104 County: 34 Forsyth

Permittee: DON ZAPATA'S MEXICAN GRILL, LLC

Telephone: (336) 529-6000

Inspection Re-Inspection

Wastewater System:

Municipal/Community On-Site System

Water Supply:

Municipal/Community On-Site Supply

Date: 01/12/2022 Status Code: A

Time In: 1:11 PM Time Out: 3:40 PM

Category#: IV

FDA Establishment Type: Full-Service Restaurant

No. of Risk Factor/Intervention Violations: 5

No. of Repeat Risk Factor/Intervention Violations: 1

Foodborne Illness Risk Factors and Public Health Interventions

Risk factors: Contributing factors that increase the chance of developing foodborne illness.

Public Health Interventions: Control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury

Compliance Status		OUT	CDI	R	VR
Supervision .2652					
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
PIC Present, demonstrates knowledge, & performs duties		1	0		
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Certified Food Protection Manager		1	0		
Employee Health .2652					
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Management, food & conditional employee; knowledge, responsibilities & reporting		2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Proper use of reporting, restriction & exclusion		3	1.5	0	
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Procedures for responding to vomiting & diarrheal events		1	0.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Good Hygienic Practices .2652, .2653					
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Proper eating, tasting, drinking or tobacco use		1	0.5	0	
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth		1	0.5	0	
Preventing Contamination by Hands .2652, .2653, .2655, .2656					
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Hands clean & properly washed		4	2	0	
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
No bare hand contact with RTE foods or pre-approved alternate procedure properly followed		4	2	0	
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Handwashing sinks supplied & accessible		2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Approved Source .2653, .2655					
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food obtained from approved source		2	1	0	
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food received at proper temperature		2	1	0	
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food in good condition, safe & unadulterated		2	1	0	
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Required records available: shellstock tags, parasite destruction		2	1	0	
Protection from Contamination .2653, .2654					
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Food separated & protected		3	1.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food-contact surfaces: cleaned & sanitized		3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned & unsafe food		2	1	0	
Potentially Hazardous Food Time/Temperature .2653					
18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper cooking time & temperatures		3	1.5	0	
19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper reheating procedures for hot holding		3	1.5	0	
20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper cooling time & temperatures		3	1.5	0	
21	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper hot holding temperatures		3	1.5	0	
22	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper cold holding temperatures		3	1.5	0	
23	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Proper date marking & disposition		3	1.5	0	
24	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Time as a Public Health Control; procedures & records		3	1.5	0	
Consumer Advisory .2653					
25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Consumer advisory provided for raw/undercooked foods		1	0.5	0	
Highly Susceptible Populations .2653					
26	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered		3	1.5	0	
Chemical .2653, .2657					
27	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food additives: approved & properly used		1	0.5	0	
28	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Toxic substances properly identified stored & used		2	1	0	
Conformance with Approved Procedures .2653, .2654, .2658					
29	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Compliance with variance, specialized process, reduced oxygen packaging criteria or HACCP plan		2	1	0	

Good Retail Practices

Good Retail Practices: Preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.

Compliance Status		OUT	CDI	R	VR
Safe Food and Water .2653, .2655, .2658					
30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Pasteurized eggs used where required		1	0.5	0	
31	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Water and ice from approved source		2	1	0	
32	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Variance obtained for specialized processing methods		2	1	0	
Food Temperature Control .2653, .2654					
33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control		1	0.5	0	
34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Plant food properly cooked for hot holding		1	0.5	0	
35	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A/N/O				
Approved thawing methods used		1	0.5	0	
36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Thermometers provided & accurate		1	0.5	0	
Food Identification .2653					
37	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Food properly labeled: original container		2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Prevention of Food Contamination .2652, .2653, .2654, .2656, .2657					
38	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Insects & rodents not present; no unauthorized animals		2	1	0	
39	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display		2	1	0	
40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Personal cleanliness		1	0.5	0	
41	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Wiping cloths: properly used & stored		1	0.5	0	
42	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Washing fruits & vegetables		1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	0	
Proper Use of Utensils .2653, .2654					
43	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
In-use utensils: properly stored		1	0.5	0	
44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Utensils, equipment & linens: properly stored, dried & handled		1	0.5	0	
45	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Single-use & single-service articles: properly stored & used		1	0.5	0	
46	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Gloves used properly		1	0.5	0	
Utensils and Equipment .2653, .2654, .2663					
47	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Equipment, food & non-food contact surfaces approved, cleanable, properly designed, constructed & used		1	0.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
48	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained & used; test strips		1	0.5	0	
49	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Non-food contact surfaces clean		1	0.5	0	
Physical Facilities .2654, .2655, .2656					
50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Hot & cold water available; adequate pressure		1	0.5	0	
51	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices		2	1	0	
52	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Sewage & wastewater properly disposed		2	1	0	
53	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT/N/A				
Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied & cleaned		1	0.5	0	
54	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		1	0.5	0	
55	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Physical facilities installed, maintained & clean		1	0.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
56	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT				
Meets ventilation & lighting requirements; designated areas used		1	0.5	0	
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS:					2



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 Comment Addendum Attached? Status Code: A
 Water sample taken? Yes No Category #: IV
 Email 1: ERIC@DONZAPATAS.COM
 Email 2:
 Email 3:

Temperature Observations

Effective January 1, 2019 Cold Holding is now 41 degrees or less

Item	Location	Temp	Item	Location	Temp	Item	Location	Temp
ServSafe	Luis Mendez 3/28/26	00	beans	walk in cooler	40			
hot water	3 compartment sink	136	ceviche	walk in cooler	40			
lactic acid sanitizer	3 compartment sink (mL/L)	272	air temperature	2 door server upight cooler	35.4			
chlorine sanitizer	dishmachine	50						
final cook	chicken	176						
rice	steam well	136						
beans	steam well	136						
cheese dip	steam well	135						
ground beef	steam well	140						
air temperature	sandwich make unit	40.4						
pico de gallo	sandwich make unit	40						
sour cream	sandwich make unit	41						
cooked cactus	small make unit	41						
cabbage shredded	small make unit	41						
air temperature	small make unit	32.7						
shrimp	4-drawer cooler	39						
corn	4-drawer cooler	40						
ground beef	walk in cooler	41						
shredded chicken	walk in cooler	39						
cheese dip	walk in cooler	40						

Person in Charge (Print & Sign): Eric *First* *Last*
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 Regulatory Authority (Print & Sign): Jackie *First* *Last*
Martinez




REHS ID: 3003 - Martinez, Jackie

Verification Required Date:

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Observations and Corrective Actions

Violations cited in this report must be corrected within the time frames below, or as stated in sections 8-405.11 of the food code.

- 3 2-201.11 (A), (B), (C), and (E) Responsibility of Permit Holder, Person in Charge and Conditional Employees-P- Employee health policy does not have salmonella nontyphoidal as one of the reportable illnesses. A food employee shall report to the PIC if they have any of the "Big 6" reportable illnesses: norovirus, hepatitis A virus, shigella spp., shiga-toxin producing e.coli, salmonella typhi or salmonella nontyphoidal. CDI- Management educated and provided with new employee health policy containing reportable illnesses and symptoms.
- 5 2-501.11 Clean-up of Vomiting and Diarrheal Event-PF- Establishment does not have a written procedure in place for clean-up of vomit or diarrheal incidents. A FOOD ESTABLISHMENT shall have written procedures for EMPLOYEES to follow when responding to vomiting or diarrheal events that involve the discharge of vomitus or fecal matter onto surfaces in the FOOD ESTABLISHMENT. The procedures shall address the specific actions EMPLOYEES must take to minimize the spread of contamination and the exposure of EMPLOYEES, consumers, FOOD, and surfaces to vomitus or fecal matter. CDI- Management educated and provided educational flyers with an example of a written procedure that they may use.
- 10 6-301.12 Hand Drying Provision-PF- No paper towels at handsink in back of kitchen. Provide paper towels or approved alternative for hand drying at each handsink. CDI- Paper towel roll replaced.// 5-205.11 Using a Handwashing Sink - Operation and Maintenance-PF- Container of soapy water stored in vat of bar handsink. A handwashing sink shall be maintained so that it is accessible at all times for employee use. A handwashing sink may not be used for purposes other than handwashing. CDI- Container removed.
- 15 3-302.11 Packaged and Unpackaged Food - Separation, Packaging, and Segregation-C- Unwashed produce stored on shelf above ready-to-eat food in walk in cooler. Separate unwashed fruits and vegetables away from ready-to-eat foods. Do not store unwashed produce above ready-to-eat foods.
- 16 4-601.11 (A) Equipment, Food-Contact Surfaces, Nonfood Contact Surfaces, and Utensils-P- Cheese slicer had cheese residue still attached to blade. Can opener blade needs to be cleaned. Equipment food contact surfaces and utensils shall be clean to sight and touch. CDI- Items placed at dishmachine to be rewashed.//4-602.11 Equipment Food-Contact Surfaces and Utensils - Frequency-P- Asked kitchen manager how often cutting boards, utensils and knives for service are cleaned throughout the day, kitchen manager responded with once per day. Soda gun needs to be cleaned. If used with TCS foods, equipment food-contact surfaces and utensils shall be cleaned throughout the day at least every 4 hours. In equipment such as ice bins, and beverage dispensing nozzles and enclosed components shall be cleaned at a frequency specified by manufacturer or as frequent as necessary to preclude accumulation of soil or mold. CDI- Education provided on cleaning frequencies.
- 37 3-302.12 Food Storage Containers Identified with Common Name of Food-C- Sugar container not labeled. Label all working containers of food (oils, spices, salts) except food that is easy to identify such as dry pasta. Label sugar container.
- 42 3-302.15 Washing Fruits and Vegetables-C- Several avocados in sandwich make unit still had stickers attached to skin. Half a sliced avocado still had sticker attached. Raw fruits and vegetables shall be thoroughly washed in water to remove soil and other contaminants before being cut, combined with other ingredients, cooked, served, or offered for human consumption in ready-to-eat form. Remove stickers from produce while washing them.
- 47 4-501.11 Good Repair and Proper Adjustment - Equipment-C- Repair left side door on sandwich make unit so it shuts as intended. Hood system broke down at beginning of inspection and needs to be repaired so it functions as intended. Maintain equipment in good repair and proper adjustment. Hood system was in process of being repaired, mechanical inspection notified.
- 55 6-101.11 Surface Characteristics - Indoor Areas-C- REPEAT- A few floor tiles cracked throughout kitchen such as in walk in cooler. Floors and walls shall be maintained in good repair.