



NAVAL HEALTH CLINIC HAWAII
PREVENTIVE MEDICINE DEPARTMENT
MAKALAPA CLINIC, BLDG. 1514



IMPORTANT NOTICE

EFFECTIVE MONDAY 05 JANUARY 2015

Due to the implication of the Tri-Service Food Code section 2-201.11 Health Cards will no longer be required. The person in charge will now be responsible for employee's medical screening. Food employees and conditional employees will report to the Person in charge, information about their health and activities as they relate to diseases that are transmissible through food. A food employee or conditional employee shall report the information in a manner that allows the person in charge to reduce the RISK of foodborne disease transmission, including and providing necessary additional information, such as the date of onset of symptoms and an illness, or of a diagnosis without symptoms. Person in charge is responsible for restricting and excluding employees with symptoms and diagnosis (2-201.12). Person in charge will also report all reportable diseases to the Preventive Medicine Department (2-201.11). All employees must read, and sign a Food Employee Reporting Agreement Form.

(1) Reportable symptoms:

- (a) Vomiting
- (b) Diarrhea
- (c) Jaundice
- (d) Sore throat with fever
- (e) A lesion containing pus such as a boil or infected wound that is open or draining.

(2) Reportable diagnosis: (Must be diagnosed by a HEALTH PRACTITIONER and excluded from the facility)

- (a) Norovirus
- (b) Hepatitis A virus
- (c) *Shigella* spp.
- (d) Enterohemorrhagic (EHEC) or Shiga Toxin-Producing Escherichia Coli (STEC)
- (e) *Salmonella* Typhi

***All excluded Employees will be reinstated with a note from Health Practitioner stating that the Employee is free of an infection.**

If you have any additional questions or comments, please contact Preventive Medicine at (808)471-2212 Ext. 1348.