

CITY OF APPLETON, HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Weights and Measures Inspection Summary
September 29, 2018

TOTAL BOOTHS INSPECTED FOR WEIGHTS & MEASURES – 24

BOOTHS FOUND WITH VIOLATIONS 2

Total Super Lot of Misc Packaged Foods in Compliance 2713

Dandelion Farm Soaps had 24 Soap bars removed from sale. Packages stated a net weight of 4 oz. but weighed in the 3.7 5oz. range. Bars to be relabeled to 3.5 oz.

Poppy Apothecary had 13 Soap bars short weight. All bars to be changed from 5 oz. to 4.5 oz.

Booth operators were very easy to deal with and appreciated City of Appleton Health Departments help with keeping the booths open and in compliance.

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REPORT OF HEALTH INSPECTIONS AT OCTOBERFEST 2018 AND LICENSE TO CRUISE 2018

This year, there were 86 food stand inspections and 10 re-inspections conducted by the Health Department during License to Cruise and Oktoberfest. Three food stand inspections were conducted at License to Cruise. Eighty three (83) non-profit food stand inspections were conducted at Oktoberfest.

Of the 86 stands that were inspected this year, 67 foodstands had *no violations* at the time of the inspection (78%). There were a total of 27 violations recorded at 17 food stands during Oktoberfest and 3 violations found at 2 foodstands at License to Cruise.

For comparison, in 2017 there were 98 food stand inspections and 7 re-inspections conducted during License to Cruise and Oktoberfest. Eighty (80) food stands had no violations at the time of the inspection (81%). There were a total of 20 violations recorded at 15 food stands during Oktoberfest and 4 violations found at 3 food stands at License to Cruise.

Of the points that are checked during an inspection, some items are critical and some are non-critical, but all have a potential impact on the health and safety of the general public. A breakdown of violations found at this year's events are listed below.

There were:

- 10 notices of non-compliance with hand washing (lack of hand wash facilities or soap and toweling, improper facilities, inadequate hand washing frequency).
- 7 notices of non-compliance with hot food storage temperatures (<135 degrees).
- 5 notices of non-compliance with cold food storage temperatures (>41 degrees).
- 3 notices of inadequate spare utensils on hand.
- 1 notice of non-compliance with food thermometers
- 0 notice of non-compliance with bare hand contact with food
- 3 notices of food stand construction/lack of screening
- 1 notice of miscellaneous violations.

This year, the Oktoberfest Board held a vendor-training meeting for new organizations participating in the event and anyone else wishing to attend. All other vendors were required to take an on-line test upon signing up for the event.