

LABELING PACKAGED FOODS

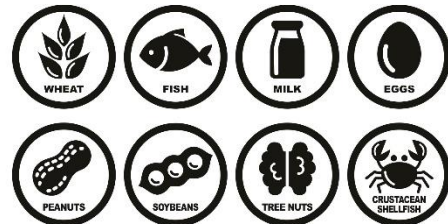
Code Subsections: 1-201.10, 3-602.11 (A-D)

Packaged foods and beverages have labeling requirements when offered for self-service. The label on the package tells consumers exactly what is inside the package. Food package label information must be written in English. Some common ways packaged foods and beverages are offered at a retail level include packaged in advance of retail sale for consumer self-service, packaged in advance for employee convenience, packaged at the point of sale by an employee, and packaged at the point of sale by the consumer (bulk foods).

Packaged vs. Unpackaged

- Packaged **IS** bottled, canned, bagged, or wrapped in advance of retail sale and made available for self-service. An example of this would be individually packaged sides or desserts displayed where customers can select or purchase from a reach-in cooler or shelf.
- Packaged **ISN'T** bagged, wrapped, or placed in a container by an employee upon request of a customer. An example of this would be boxing up leftovers from a patron's plate or slicing deli meats per customer order.

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Food Packaged in an Establishment

If packaged prior to being displayed for consumer self-service, the label should include:

1. Common name of food.
2. List of ingredients and sub-ingredients in descending order based on weight.
3. Net quantity of all contents.
4. Name and address of manufacturer, packager and/or distributor.
5. Common name of any **MAJOR FOOD ALLERGEN** (Milk, Eggs, Fish, Shellfish, Tree Nuts, Peanuts, Wheat, and Soybean).
6. Nutrition Labeling (applicable if your business makes >\$500,000 a year)
7. Salmonid fish using canthaxanthin or astaxanthin for color.

Please Note: If packaged foods are stored in a location only accessible to employees, a label is not required (example: individually wrapped desserts stored in a display case that is only accessible by employees).

Chocolate Chip Cookies

Riley's Cookiearia * 2116 N Sheridan
Peoria, IL 61604
Produced on: April 28, 2022

Ingredients: flour (bleached wheat flour, niacin, iron, thiamin mononitrate, oiflavin, enzymes, folic acid), chocolate chips (sugar, chocolate, cocoa butter, ilkfaf and soy lecithin), milk (reduced fat milk, vitamin A palmitate, vitamin D3), butter (sweet cream, salt), eggs, sugar, baking powder (corn starch, dium bicarbonate, sodium aluminum sulfate, monocalcium phosphate), salt
Contains: wheat, milk, eggs **3.0 oz**



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Bulk Foods Dispensed by Consumer

Bulk foods dispensed directly by the customer have two options for labeling:

1. Manufacturer or processor's label if the food is not prepared on-site; **OR**
2. A written notice including common name of food, list of ingredients and sub-ingredients in descending order based on weight, and nutrition labeling (More information in 21 CFR 101).