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Home for Dinner Guidelines

As a Home for Dinner member, it is your responsibility to share the following guidelines with all group members and ensure they are followed.

GROUP REQUIREMENTS	 1-2 group members have attended an in-person Home for Dinner orientation Maximum group size: 10 Calgary / 12 Edmonton / 6 Medicine Hat / 8 Red Deer Minimum age: 14 years with a ratio of 1 adult to 3 youth Do not proceed to cook or be in the House if you are sick or have recently been sick. For House guest safety, you must be 48 hours symptom free. Minimum 1 of the group members MUST have attended orientation. Wearing a mask is mandatory for the duration of time you are in the House. No <u>exceptions.</u> Tie hair back. Feel free to use the hair nets. Closed-toe shoes or socks to be worn in the kitchen. NO bare feet or sandals. COMPLETE group sign-in sheet and attach receipts if requiring a tax receipt.
MEAL 🛞	 Brunch portions: 70 Calgary / 70 Edmonton / 10-15 Medicine Hat / 10-15 Red Deer Dinner portions: 70 Calgary / 70 Edmonton / 10-15 Medicine Hat / 15-20 Red Deer Please prepare a main course meal with a salad or vegetables. Juice, pop, and dessert are optional.
	 Be a HAPPY and FREQUENT hand washer. Gloves MUST ALWAYS be worn when directly handling food. Aprons need to be worn when cooking and removed when using the washroom. Use the designated kitchen area. Stoves take approximately 40 minutes to pre-heat. BBQ operates off natural gas. PLEASE use wire brushes to clean after use. All food must be prepared onsite or purchased from another industrial/commercial kitchen. If you are using equipment from outside, please wash, rinse, and sanitize before using.
COOKING TEMPERATURES	 Core temperature must reach and hold 74°C or 165°F for a minimum of 15 seconds. If you are ahead of scheduled service time, food should be kept above 60°C.
MEAL SERVICE	 Brunch: 11:30. Dinner: 5:30. Dinner group is to serve families. Gloves MUST be worn. Supper should only be served for 30 minutes and then individually packaged.
CLEAN-UP PROCESS	 Individually package ALL leftovers with provided containers and labels. Wash all dishes the group uses including pots and pans; families do their own dishes. Sanitizers are NOT dishwashers: you will need to prewash and rinse before sanitizing. Wipe down stoves & countertops with sanitizing spray & appropriate cleaning cloths. Place used tea towels, dish and sanitizing cloths, and aprons in designated area. Sweep/vacuum the floor. Take out the garbage and compost.
OTHER INFORMATION	 Dinner groups get to enjoy dinner too! In family Interactions, please do not ask personal questions. Feel free to take group photos. Please do not include family members in photos. The Houses are non-denominational. If you have any questions, please ask a staff member. More information on Safe Food Handling can be found on the AHS website: http://www.albertahealthservices.ca/assets/wf/eph/wf-eph-afsf-main-prosontation poty