

# Are You Ready For Your Fire Inspection?



Your business is due for the **Annual Fire Inspection** next month. We want to provide efficient and effective inspections, correct any violations found, and educate owners/managers on the importance of fire prevention code compliance.

The majority of fire code violations discovered during our inspections are related to the following items. Please review the [checklist](#) to prepare your business and correct any deficiencies before your inspection. This will ensure you pass your inspection and keep your business safe year-round.

- Emergency Lights and Exit Signs** must work properly in both normal and emergency power modes when tested.
- Fire Extinguishers** must be visible and accessible, mounted properly and serviced annually by a qualified licensed contractor.
- Electrical Extension Cords** cannot be used for permanent wiring. Grounded multi-outlet power strips may be used to power computers and related equipment.
- Exit Doors, and Aisles, Pathways and Walkways** leading to exits must be clear of obstructions.
- Fire Sprinkler and Fire Alarm Systems** must be tested and inspected annually by a qualified licensed contractor.
- Electrical Outlets, Junction Boxes, and Circuit Breaker Panels** must have appropriate cover plates in place.
- Fire Suppression for Kitchen Hoods** must be tested and inspected by a qualified licensed contractor. Exhaust hoods and ducts must be inspected and cleaned at regular intervals.
- Click [here](#) for a **comprehensive fire safety checklist for your business.**

For more information on the Office of Fire Prevention, please click [here](#).



Not required, but you may schedule a specific date and time for your inspection. Call or email one of our Inspectors:

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