

OMAHA REDUCES

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Handling of Customers' Reusable Containers

Customers may bring in reusable containers, such as mugs, cups, plates, bowls, storage containers, or bags, for the purpose of carrying out food or beverage as long as the following conditions apply:

- The container is not visibly soiled.
- The container does not contact food service equipment, such as tongs, scoops, dispensers, etc., or if it does, the equipment must be washed and sanitized.
- The container does not contact food preparation surfaces, such as cutting boards or prep tables.

After handling a customer's reusable container, employees will wash hands, or, if handling with gloves, change gloves.

If you have any questions or need help problem-solving ways to allow reusable containers, please ask any Omaha Reduces volunteer or contact OmahaReduces@gmail.com.