

§416.12 Development of SSOPs

- (a) The Sanitation SOPs shall describe all procedures an official establishment will conduct daily, before and during operations, sufficient to prevent direct contamination or adulteration of product(s).
- (b) The Sanitation SOPs shall be signed and dated by the individual with overall authority on-site or a higher level official of the establishment. This signature shall signify that the establishment will implement the Sanitation SOPs as specified and will maintain the Sanitation SOPs in accordance with the requirements of this part. The Sanitation SOPs shall be signed and dated upon initially implementing the Sanitation SOPs and upon any modification to the Sanitation SOPs.
- (c) Procedures in the Sanitation SOPs that are to be conducted prior to operations shall be identified as such, and shall address, at a minimum, the cleaning of food contact surfaces of facilities, equipment, and utensils.
- (d) The Sanitation SOPs shall specify the frequency with which each procedure in the Sanitation SOPs is to be conducted and identify the establishment employee(s) responsible for the implementation and maintenance of such procedure(s).