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## Public Health Announced Pueblo's Newest Food Facility to Meet Exceptional Food Safety Practices



Pueblo, CO – The Food Safety Program at the Pueblo City-County Health Department proudly announced the continued growth of its ***Pueblo Partners in Food Safety*** program. The *Pueblo Partners in Food Safety* recognizes local restaurants with exceptional food safety practices, protocols and health reports. The program launched in April 2015 with six facilities and has since grown to a total of eighty-one. The newest *Partner* is the **St. Mary- Corwin Medical Center Cafeteria**.

“We are happy to see *Pueblo Partners in Food Safety*'s growth and acceptance in the community, especially with local restaurant owners,” said Vicki Carlton, food safety program manager at the Pueblo City-County Health Department.

Sylvia Proud, public health director of the Pueblo City-County Health Department stated, “The Health Department congratulates St. Mary-Corwin Medical Center and all restaurants that are *Partners* due to their hard work and dedication to health standards. All restaurants are encouraged to apply; assistance is available with resources for program enrollment, self-assessments and safe food handler training.”



The *Pueblo Partners in Food Safety* not only recognizes and promotes restaurants and food facilities but is also a tool to develop Active Managerial Control, a system to ensure steps for safe food handling are being followed. Active Managerial Control empowers food handlers to take control of risks and ensure operations remain safe. Participating facilities conduct a self-assessment of practices and apply to join the program. The Pueblo City-County Health Department reviews and approves applications, allowing partners to receive an official decal for their place of business, a certificate of approval and public recognition on The Dish of Pueblo website.

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Look for the *Partners* window decal at your favorite restaurant in Pueblo and a full list is available online. For more information about the program, food safety news and to view health inspections in Pueblo, visit [www.thedishpueblo.com](http://www.thedishpueblo.com) and like [The Dish of Pueblo](#) on [Facebook](#).

### Current List of Pueblo's Partners in Food Safety

- Auntie Bev's Restaurant
- Cactus Flower
- Chick-Fil-A
- Chili's Grill and Bar
- Cracker Barrel Old Country Store
- Doss Aviation Initial Flight Training
- Estela's Millstop Café
- Eurest at Vestas Towers
- The Gathering
- GG's BBQ & Catering
- Gold Dust Saloon
- Orange Julius
- Pueblo City Schools (all 33 schools)
- Pueblo County School District 70 (all 20 schools)
- Pueblo Joe's at Pueblo Community College
- Pueblo SRDA (all feeding sites)
- Rocco's Riverside Deli
- Schlep's Sandwiches
- St. Mary-Corwin Medical Center's cafeteria
- Tuscan Bean

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