



# Attention

## Home-Based Food Vendors

### You are required to have a current Home-Based Food Vendor placard.

A Home-Based Food Vendor (HBFV) is a Gila River Indian Community (GRIC) Member owned food operation who offers food products to the public that have been prepared from home. HBFVs are exempt from food safety standards outlined in the food code and are not inspected by Environmental Health Services. **To qualify for a HBFV placard, you must:**

- Be an enrolled member of the Gila River Indian Community
- Provide proof of enrollment by submitting a copy of your GRIC Tribal ID card
- Provide a copy of a valid Food Handler Certificate which is valid for 3 years from the issue date.
- Submit menu and/or list of food items
- If HBFV placard is issued, the member is also required to obtain a business license and meet all other community regulations.

❖ **HBFV placards are valid for 3 years from the issue date.**

❖ **HBFVs must display their placard and business license during operation.**

❖ **HBFVs are not allowed to use their placards to sell at community events.**

Placard verification will be conducted throughout the community to ensure vendor has a placard and it is posted during operation.

Contact the Tribal Health Department - Environmental Health Program for any questions regarding home based food placard at **(520) 562-5100**

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