

LEVEL OF IMPLEMENTATION OF FOOD SANITATION PRACTICES IN SCHOOL CAFETERIAS AS RATED BY UPHSL STUDENTS



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Abstract

A survey on food sanitation practices and their level of implementation as rated by 100 students from different colleges in school cafeterias from a university in the city of Binan, Laguna was done. A two-part standardized survey tool was used which included questions on the demographic profile of the respondents in terms of gender and year level. The second part was a four-point Likert-scale statement, composed of eighteen (18) statements in three categories, namely: Food Handlers, Environmental Concerns, and Food Preparation, to determine the level of perception of the implementation of food sanitation practices of food establishments by the select students. From the summary of findings of the study, the following conclusions were drawn: all year levels were equally represented, and there were more females than males. The rating of select students on the level of implementation of food sanitation practices in school cafeterias was high. The respondents have the same mark in the level of implementation of food sanitation practices in school cafeterias regardless of their gender and year level.

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