

How to Search for Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operations (MEHKOs) on SD Food Info

The Department of Environmental Health and Quality's SD Food Info website allows the public to search online for the most recent routine inspection information for all retail food facilities in San Diego County.

The SD Food Info app allows you to search by name, address, city or ZIP; and also provides a map feature allowing you to see food facilities near your current location. Inspection results for the last three years are displayed, including violations. This guidance document will go over searching for the Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operations (MEHKOs) business type in a specific city.

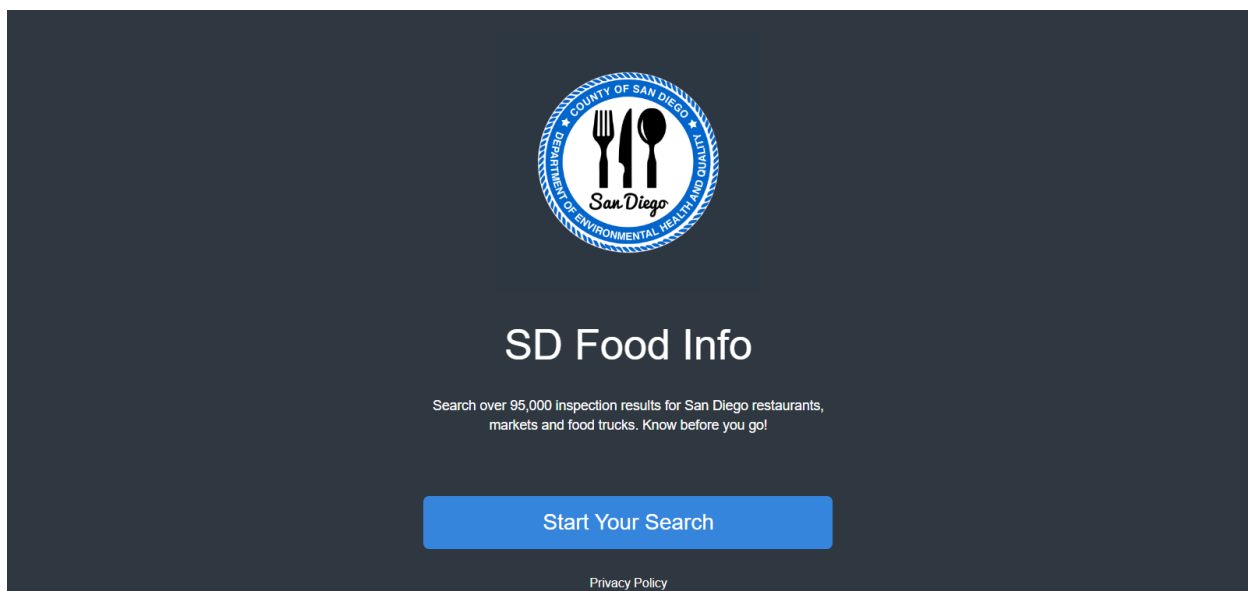
SD Food Info may be downloaded from the County App Center:

<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/dmpr/gfx/appcenter/index.html>

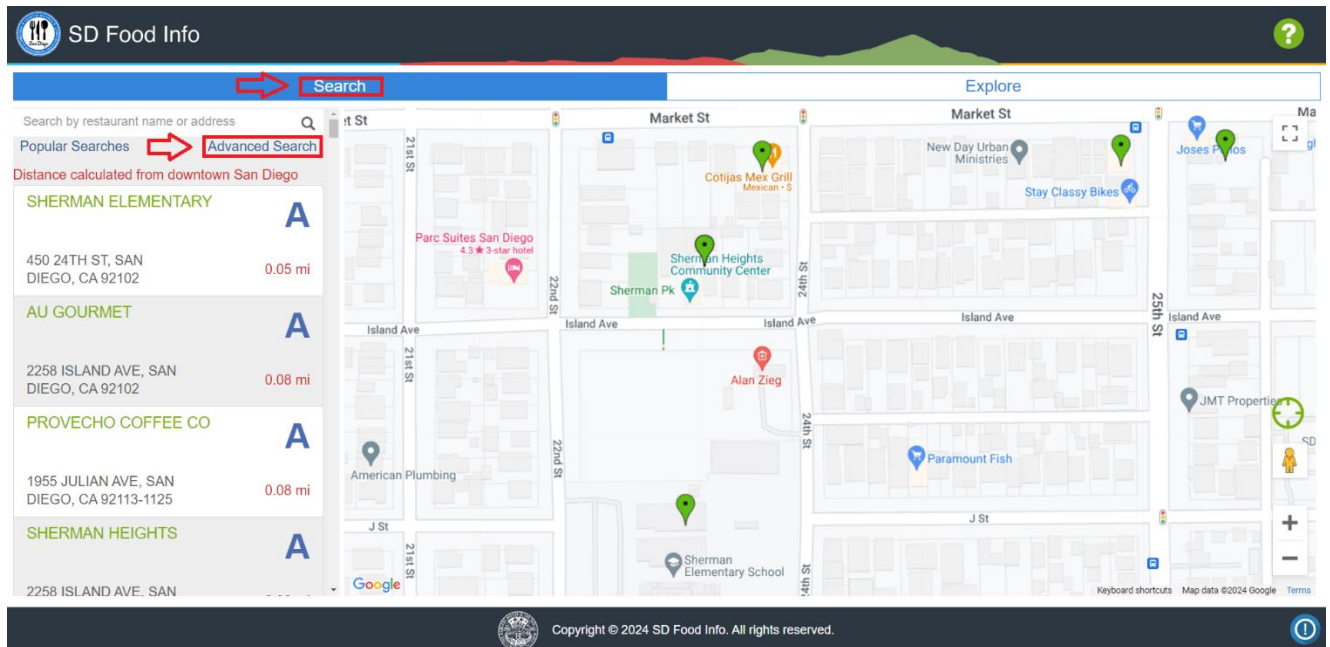
The SD Food Info website may also be accessed at <https://www.sdfoodinfo.org>

MEHKO Search Instructions for SD Food Info Website (<https://www.sdfoodinfo.org>)

1. Click on "Start Your Search"



2. Select the “Search” button and click on “Advanced Search” option (boxed in red below)



3. Check the box for “Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation” in the **Business Type** section. Then you may filter your search by selecting a city in the **Select City** dropdown option, or by entering a 5-digit zip code.

The screenshot displays the 'SD Food Info' search interface. On the left, a list of search results is shown, including 'SHERMAN ELEMENTARY', 'AU GOURMET', 'PROVECHO COFFEE CO', and 'SHERMAN HEIGHTS', each with a grade of 'A' and a distance from downtown San Diego. The main search area on the right includes a search bar and several filter sections. The 'Business Type' section has a red box around the 'Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation' checkbox, which is checked. Other business types listed are Restaurant/Market, Mobile Food Truck, and Cottage Food Operation. The 'Grade' section shows checkboxes for A, B, and C. The 'Inspection Type' section has checkboxes for Routine, Re-Inspection, Investigation, Status Verification, and Environmental, all of which are checked. The 'Show Only Closures' section has a checkbox for 'Show Only Closures' which is unchecked. The 'Violation Issued' section has a dropdown menu set to 'No Violations'. The 'Select City' dropdown is set to 'Select all' and the 'Zip' field is empty. The 'Score' section has sliders for 'Min Score' and 'Max Score'.

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Search by restaurant name or address

Popular Searches **Advanced Search**

Distance calculated from downtown San Diego

SHERMAN ELEMENTARY **A**
450 24TH ST, SAN DIEGO, CA 92102 0.05 mi

AU GOURMET **A**
2258 ISLAND AVE, SAN DIEGO, CA 92102 0.08 mi

PROVECHO COFFEE CO **A**
1955 JULIAN AVE, SAN DIEGO, CA 92113-1125 0.08 mi

SHERMAN HEIGHTS **A**
2258 ISLAND AVE, SAN

Search:
Search by restaurant name or address

Select City: Select all **Zip:** Enter a 5-digit ZIP code, or leave blank

Business Type:

- ☐ Restaurant/Market
- ☐ Mobile Food Truck
- ☐ Cottage Food Operation
- ☒ Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation

Grade:
Show only the facilities that have inspections with the selected grades.

- ☐ A
- ☐ B
- ☐ C

Show Only Closures:
Show only facilities that have been ordered closed.

- ☐ Show Only Closures

Inspection Type:
Show only the facilities that have the inspection types selected.

- ☒ Routine
- ☒ Re-Inspection
- ☒ Investigation
- ☒ Status Verification
- ☒ Environmental

Score
Min Score:
Max Score:

Violation Issued:
Show only the facilities that have had inspections with the chosen violation(s).

- ☐ No Violations

Explore
Market St
New Day Urban Ministries
Stay Classy B
Island Ave
Paramount Fish
J St

- Once a search selection is made, scroll to the bottom of the Advanced Search page and click on the “Apply” button.

The screenshot displays the 'SD Food Info' website's Advanced Search interface. On the left, a list of search results is shown, including 'SHERMAN ELEMENTARY' (Grade A, 0.05 mi), 'AU GOURMET' (Grade A, 0.08 mi), 'PROVECHO COFFEE CO' (Grade A, 0.08 mi), and 'SHERMAN HEIGHTS' (Grade A, 0.08 mi). The right side features a 'Search' panel with various filters. The 'Business Type' section includes checkboxes for 'Restaurant/Market', 'Mobile Food Truck', 'Cottage Food Operation', and 'Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation' (checked). The 'Show Only Closures' section has a checkbox for 'Show Only Closures'. The 'Inspection Type' section includes checkboxes for 'Routine', 'Re-Inspection', 'Investigation', 'Status Verification', and 'Environmental' (all checked). The 'Grade' section includes checkboxes for 'A', 'B', and 'C'. The 'Violation Issued' section includes a checkbox for 'No Violations' and a dropdown menu. At the bottom of the search panel, there are 'Reset' and 'Apply' buttons. A red arrow points to the 'Apply' button.

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- ☐ Restaurant/Market
- ☐ Mobile Food Truck
- ☐ Cottage Food Operation
- ☒ Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation

Show Only Closures:
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☐ Show Only Closures

Inspection Type:
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- ☒ Routine
- ☒ Re-Inspection
- ☒ Investigation
- ☒ Status Verification
- ☒ Environmental

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Show only the facilities that have inspections with the selected grades.

- ☐ A
- ☐ B
- ☐ C

Score

Min Score:

Max Score:

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☐ No Violations

Reset **Apply**

5. The MEHKOs will be listed on the left and on the map for the specified city or zip code searched for. For more information on a specific MEHKO, click on the MEHKO in the left list or on its green location icon on the map to the right.

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Search | **Explore**

Search by restaurant name or address

Popular Searches | **Advanced Search**

LANG & KETTLE
555 FRONT ST 203,
SAN DIEGO, CA
92101-6774
0.38 mi

BODEGA SD
3173 JUNIPER ST,
SAN DIEGO, CA
92104-5623
2.26 mi

L & M BREAKFAST
3150 LOGAN AVE,
SAN DIEGO, CA
92113-2540
2.39 mi

**EPICURES PRIVATE
CHEF SERVICE**
3675 ARNOLD AVE

MEAL AND MUNCH
11816 INNIS PT, SAN DIEGO, CA 92126-1318
Ph# 940-209-5920

San Diego

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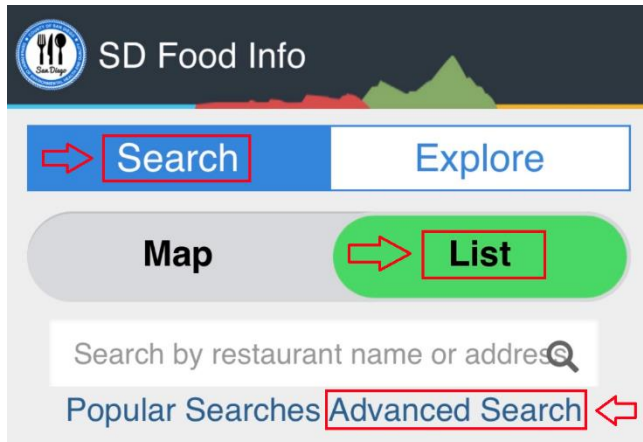


1. After downloading the SD Food Info app, find and open the app.



2. Click on "Start Your Search"

3. Select the "Search" button and click on the "List" button. Click on the "Advanced Search" option.



4. Check the box for “Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation” in the **Business Type** section. Then you may filter your search by selecting a city in the **Select City** dropdown option, or by entering a 5-digit zip code.

Advanced Search

Search:

Search by restaurant name or address

Select City:

Select all

Zip:

Enter a 5-digit ZIP code, or leave blank

Business Type:

☐ Restaurant/Market

☐ Mobile Food Truck

☐ Cottage Food Operation

☒ Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation

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Advanced Search

Search:

Search by restaurant name or address

Select City:

SAN DIEGO

Zip:

Enter a 5-digit ZIP code, or leave blank

Business Type:

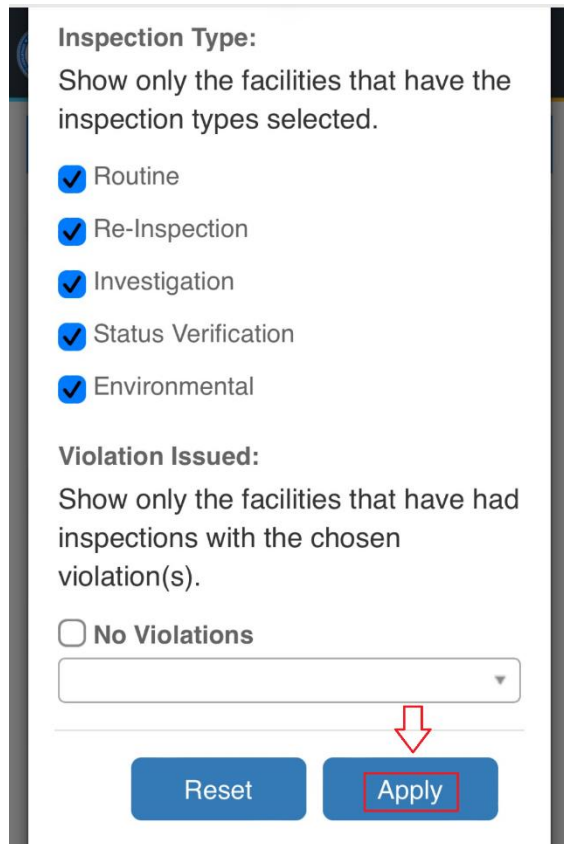
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☐ Mobile Food Truck

☐ Cottage Food Operation

☒ Microenterprise Home Kitchen Operation

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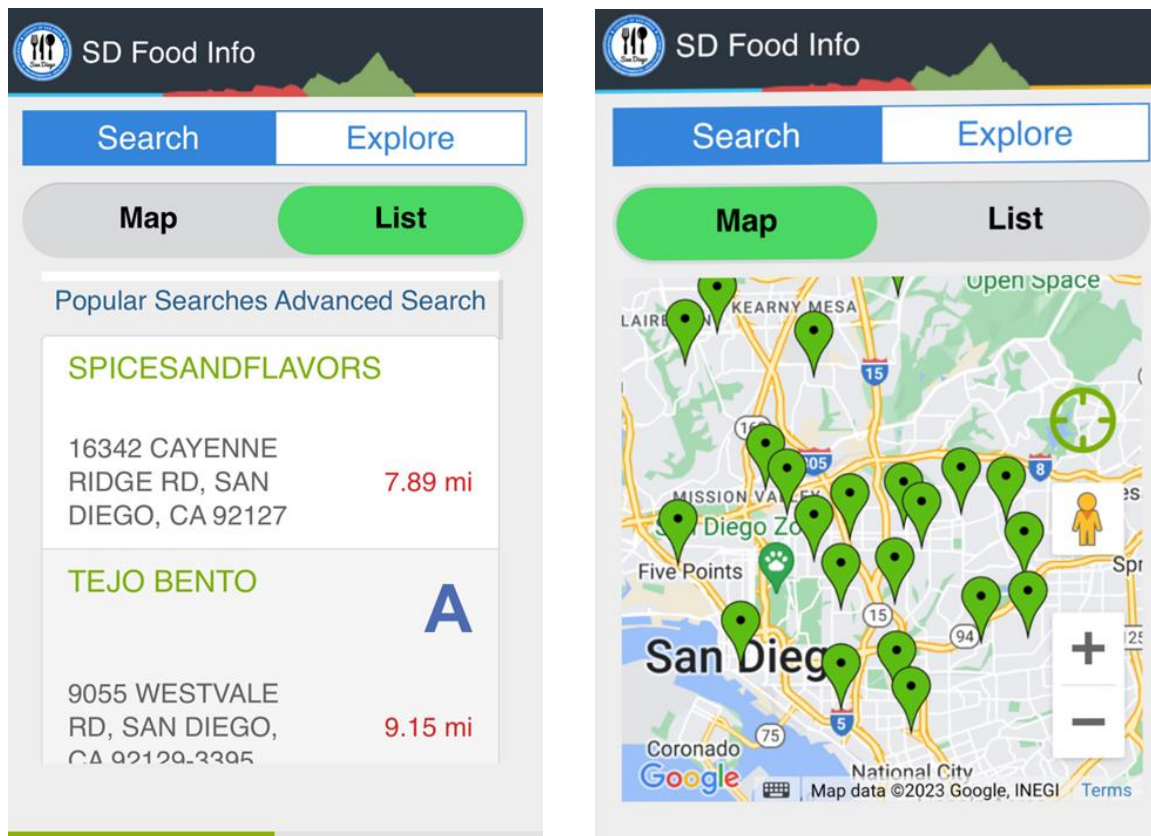
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6. The MEHKOs for the city or zipcode searched for can be viewed as a list in the “List” tab, or on the map in the “Map” tab.



7. For more information on a specific MEHKO, click on the MEHKO from the list or on its green location icon on the map.