

Each of us at Compass Group has a moral obligation to safeguard each other, our customers and the environment by aspiring to operate a safe, injury free and healthy workplace serving food that is always safe to eat and to minimise our impact on the environment.

Our primary concern is that the food we serve is prepared to the very highest standards using quality products and ingredients and as the very minimum we will comply with all relevant legislation and approved codes of practice.

# FOOD SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT

In 2020, we launched a new set of common minimum operating standards and behaviours across both our supply chain and operational food safety, including allergen management. These are based on regulatory requirements and industry best practice and are being introduced at every location where we operate.

We will regularly measure compliance against these standards and implement performance objectives to assure our clients and customers that we are providing food which is safe to eat while meeting their quality expectations.

Specifically, we will require that:

- Food is always prepared under sanitary conditions that do not expose it to the risk of contamination
- All employees are provided with the information, training and tools necessary to their job in a hygienic and compliant manner
- Employees comply with all company food safety policies and procedures
- Management assume the role of supervision of our employees for compliance and conformance with our standards.

We will also expect similarly high standards from our suppliers and contractors.

It is my responsibility as Chief Executive to ensure that the appropriate human and financial resources are committed towards implementing this policy across all our operations and communicating them to all our employees.

Our food safety performance will be considered at every management meeting in Compass Group and the Board will review this policy annually, to ensure that it continues to reflect the aims and aspirations of the Company and keeps up to date with legislative requirements.

We will report annually on progress in our Group Corporate Responsibility Report and Sustainability Report at: [www.compass-group.com](http://www.compass-group.com)



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