

1. General Kitchen Safety

I understand that there are known and unknown risks associated with participating in an urbanCHEF activity. I understand that I will be working in a residential-style kitchen with gas burners, kitchen knives, and small appliances in an activity in which Participants are actively involved in the use of such equipment. I acknowledge that I may be exposed to common kitchen hazards that include but are not limited to: burns, cuts, falls, and allergic reactions. I, the named Participant(s), our heirs, assigns, and representatives indemnify and hold harmless urbanCHEF, Inc., its owners, affiliates, officers, and employees for any and all injuries, liabilities, or damages from participation, except for those arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of urbanCHEF, Inc.

2. Safety Review

I agree to listen carefully to the safety review conducted at the beginning of class and adhere to all safety precautions outlined by the instructor. I will adhere to the any further instructions from the instructor or staff regarding safety throughout the event. I understand that failure on the part of the instructor or staff to provide precautions does not negate my waiver of liability outlined in Section 1, except in cases of gross negligence or willful misconduct.

3. Food Allergies and Dietary Restrictions

I understand that some food items offered at urbanCHEF may be allergenic or violate other dietary restrictions. urbanCHEF tries as much as it is able to accommodate Participants with dietary restrictions in good faith. I agree to inform urbanCHEF of any food allergies or other dietary restrictions at least three days prior to an event, and further that I will alert the instructor of such allergy or restriction upon my arrival and before consuming or handling any food. I understand that I will be working in a kitchen and eating in a dining room that have handled nuts, eggs, wheat, shellfish, meat products (including pork), and other items that might violate dietary restrictions. I, the named Participant(s), our heirs, assigns, and representatives indemnify and hold harmless urbanCHEF, Inc., its owners, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, and employees for any adverse consequence of consuming food that may cause an allergic reaction or violate dietary restrictions, except for those arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of urbanCHEF, Inc.

4. Personal Belongings

I understand that urbanCHEF is in no way responsible for the safekeeping of my personal belongings while I attend an event. I, the named Participant(s), our heirs, assigns, and representatives indemnify and hold harmless urbanCHEF, Inc., its owners, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, and employees for any damage to or loss of property, except for those arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of urbanCHEF, Inc.

5. Use of Image

I understand that entry by myself and the named Participant(s) constitutes consent for urbanCHEF to use any film, video, image, or likeness of Participants for instructional or marketing purposes, without payment to the Participant.

6. Enforceability

The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other portion of this Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect.

I represent that I am legally competent to understand and complete this agreement on my own behalf or that I am the parent or legal guardian of the Participant and able to execute this agreement on his or her behalf.