Cottage Food Operation A (CFO) Checklist

Submit all applicable documents, and fees to Homebased Food Operations Program homebasedfoods@ph.lacounty.gov| (626)-430-9855

Questions on CFO A Registration? Call Homebased Food Operations Program (626) 430-9855

Step 1 – Submit forms using Class A Registration Request at: https://bit.ly/ClassARegistration		
Submit Online Application		
Submit copy of the sample labels for the product(s)		
Submit proof that you have registered for Food Handler Card course OR copy of certification for Food Handler Card		
If you have a private well:		
 Test water by an approved laboratory analysis to verify that it meets the state's water standards. 		
Submit recent laboratory results to Specialized Food Services		
Provide Copy of Ownership Documents if they were not attached to the online application:		
Sole proprietorship: Copy of driver's license/photo I.D.	Corporation or LLC (If applicable): 1. Copy of the Statement of Information 2. Copy of Articles of Incorporation/Organization 3. Copy of IRS form with employee identification number (tax I.D. #)	
Step 2 – Pay for Fee (Refer to the CFO A webpage: https://bit.ly/CFO-A)		
 Notified via email that registration fee is required. Pay Registration Fee - \$118.00 *Invoice will be sent to you once all requirements have been met 		
Step 3 – Application and Documents Reviewed (Refer to the CFO A webpage: https://bit.ly/CFO-A)		
Meets CFO Requirements:Operator notified by email that fee is required	Does not meet CFO Requirements:Feedback sent to operator.Requested changes made by operator.	
Step 4 – Application Approved/Registration Sent		
Once application has been approved, registration letter will be sent by email		