## **Food Safety Guidelines**

take what you need, leave what you can

## **Donation Rules:**

- Allowed items:
  - Whole fruits and vegetables
  - Eggs and frozen meat
  - Pre-packaged, non-potentially hazardous foods (shelf-stable), including baked goods and dry cereals
  - Commercially packaged meals
  - Homemade goods following Maryland Cottage Food Laws

Donations must be labeled with: all ingredients, package date, expiration date, and any allergens.

Allergens may include: dairy, eggs, fish, shellfish, wheat/gluten, soy, nuts

## **Cleaning Procedure:**

• This community fridge is safety-checked at least once a day and cleaned at least once a week. Any item that doesn't comply with the above rules will be removed. For any concerns or complaints please contact SMADC.

Only touch items you plan to take!

Please keep the fridge door closed when not in use and do not leave food outside to spoil. Help us keep the food fresh!

Taking care of our fridges and community is a group effort.

Please visit smadc.com/somdcommunityfridges for more information

If you are interesting in gifting a monetary donation, please contact SoMDFridges@smadc.com





