### CHAPTER 100

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100.01 SHORT TITLE.

These regulations shall be known and may be cited as the "Environmental Health Code of the Summit County Combined General Health District, 2019," or just the "Environmental Health Code." (Resolution 190-77 adopted 11/18/77) (Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19)

# 100.02 DEFINITIONS.

As used in this Environmental Health Code, unless otherwise provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) "Board of Health" means the Board of Health of the Summit County, Ohio, Combined General Health District. References to the Board of Health or the Board mean any employee, agent or authorized representative of the Board acting for or on behalf of the Board, unless expressly provided otherwise or unless the context otherwise requires.
- (b) "Health District" means the Summit County Combined General Health District.
- (c) "Health Department" means the Summit County Combined General Health District.
- (d) "Health Commissioner" means the Summit County Health Officer or his or her employee, agent or authorized representative acting for or on behalf of such Officer, unless expressly provided otherwise or unless the context otherwise requires.
- (e) "County" means County of Summit, Ohio.

- (f) "State" means the State of Ohio.
- (g) "Person" means the State, any municipal corporation, political subdivision, public or private corporation, individual, partnership, firm, association or other entity.
- (h) The plural includes the singular and the singular includes the plural.
- (i) The masculine gender includes the feminine and the feminine includes the masculine.
- (j) "And" includes "or" and "or" includes "and."

(Resolution 190-77 adopted 11/18/77) (Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19)

#### 100.03 RIGHT OF ENTRY.

No person shall prevent or attempt to prevent or refuse to allow the Health Commissioner to enter any building or premises at any reasonable time for the purpose of inspecting any installation, facility, equipment, process or other item or thing regulated by any provision of this Environmental Health Code or other regulation of the Board of Health for which a permit or license is required by such Code or regulation. (Resolution 190-77 adopted 11/18/77) (Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19)

#### 100.04 SEPARABILITY.

Should any provision of this Environmental Health Code be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remainder of this Code shall not be affected thereby.

(*Resolution 101 adopted 10/2/62*) (*Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19*)

## 100.05 CONFLICT OF LAWS.

In the event of a conflict between any of the provisions of this Environmental Health Code or any resolution, regulation or order of the Board of Health of the Summit County Combined General Health District, that provision which establishes the higher or stricter standard shall control. (Resolution 17-91 adopted 1/24/91 and Resolution 156-02 adopted 6/13/02) (Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19)

### 100.99 GENERAL CODE PENALTY.

Whoever violates or fails to comply with any of the provisions of this Environmental Health Code shall be in violation of ORC 3707.48, 3709.20, 3709.21 or 3709.22, and subject to penalties provided in ORC 3707.99 and 3709.99.

(*Resolution 410 adopted 6/11/68*) (*Resolution 011-19 adopted 4/11/19*)