

## **Food Safety News**

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# Manual Dishwashing Procedure

## Why is proper dishwashing needed?

Proper dishwashing is an important part of a good sanitation program. Correct manual dishwashing involves five steps:

Scraping

Washing

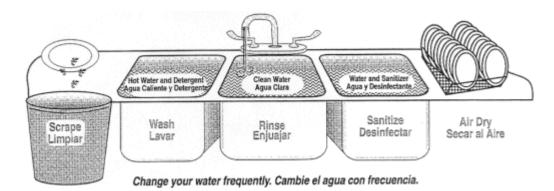
Rinsing

Sanitizing

Air Drying

A sink with a least 3 compartments should be provided for manually washing, rinsing, and sanitizing equipment.

### What to do?



### What should be used?

Bleach (Chlorine): 50-200 ppm

Iodine: 12.5-25 ppm

Quaternary Ammonium: 200 ppm-400ppm

Concentrations below these levels are not effective and concentrations above these levels can be toxic. To ensure the correct amount, **always read the label directions** and use test strips to check the concentrations. Temperatures for the solutions need to follow the manufacturer's directions and can vary due to water hardness and pH levels.

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English Classes in Prescott- Sept. 7, Oct. 4, Nov. 1, Dec. 6 at UA Cooperative Extension, 840 Rodeo Dr., Bldg. C English Classes in Cottonwood-Sept. 15, Oct. 13, Nov. 10, Dec. 13 at County Annex Bldg., 10 S. 6<sup>th</sup> St., 2<sup>nd</sup> floor-Verde Room Call 928-445-6590 x221 to register or download the registration form from our Web site at: cals.arizona.edu/Yavapai

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