

COTTAGE BAKERY FROM HOME

Can I sell from my kitchen in Klamath County, Oregon?

Home kitchen sales. Not a shop or rented commercial kitchen. Last verified 2026-05-05.

STATE FOOD PERMIT

Depends

HOME OCCUPATION

Varies

BUSINESS LICENSE

Varies

SALES CAP

\$50,000 / year

OREGON RULES. OPEN THESE FIRST.

[Oregon permits PDF](#)[Oregon cottage food law page](#)[Oregon Department of Agriculture cottage food program](#)[Statute: ORS §616.723](#)**NOT LEGAL ADVICE**

This is what it takes to sell from a home kitchen in Klamath County. Confirm each step with Planning, Health, and the license office before you sell.

What you need

Klamath County, Oregon. File every Yes. Confirm every Check or Ask. Stay under the sales cap.

STATE FOOD PERMIT

Depends

ANNUAL SALES CAP

\$50,000 / year

HOME OCCUPATION / ZONING

Varies

LOCAL HEALTH

No

BUSINESS LICENSE

Varies

PICKUP AT THE HOUSE

Yes

HOME KITCHEN ONLY

If you want a shop or a rented commercial kitchen, these rows do not apply.

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Oregon permits PDF →

<https://crosodo.com/reports/pdf/permits/oregon.pdf>

Oregon cottage food law page →

<https://crosodo.com/states/oregon>

Permit page for this place →

<https://crosodo.com/what-permits/oregon/klamath-county>

Klamath County cottage food law page →

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Not legal advice. Rules change. Confirm with the office before you file.

Where to file

State

Oregon registration: Depends. Routine kitchen inspection: No. Direct sales to end users are permitted in any manner including online, mail, and at events. Sales to retailers (including coffee shops but not restaurants) are permitted if the retailer agrees to store/display the foods separately and clearly indicate they are homemade and not prepared in an inspected food establishment. Sales to institutions (restaurants, schools, hospitals, caterers, day care centers, nursing homes, correctional facilities) are prohibited. A Domestic Kitchen Bakery License (~\$50/year) is required for establishments wishing to sell to retailers under licensed status rather than using the residential-dwelling exemption. The department may provide a unique identification number for use on labels. Annual records must be maintained for 3 years.

Oregon permits PDF: crosodo.com/reports/pdf/permits/oregon.pdf

State law page: crosodo.com/states/oregon

Oregon Department of Agriculture: <https://www.oregon.gov/oda/programs/foodsafety/pages/dkb-licensing.aspx>

Statute: [ORS §616.723](#)

Zoning / home occupation

Varies. No county govt URL provided. Klamath County unincorporated areas follow county zoning. City of Klamath Falls has its own zoning and business licensing. No county-specific cottage food overlay identified.

Health

No. No routine inspection; complaint-based possible

Business license

Varies

Pickup / delivery

Limited indirect sales via designated venues; direct delivery permitted in-state

If you rent a commissary kitchen

ODA licenses food establishments. Oregon residential-dwelling exemption is a home path. A commissary or licensed domestic kitchen bakery is an ODA food establishment.

Official source: [ODA food safety](#)

Local health office we have on file: <https://www.klamathcounty.gov>

This file is the home-kitchen path. A rented kitchen uses a different permit. Ask the kitchen manager which license they expect, then call the local health office.

SOURCES

<https://www.klamathcounty.gov>

<https://www.oregon.gov/oda/programs/foodsafety/pages/dkb-licensing.aspx>

Klamath County and nearby places

Regulation	Klamath County	Douglas County	Lake County
HOME KITCHEN ALLOWED	Yes	Yes	Yes
SEPARATE DEDICATED KITCHEN	No	No	No
PETS ALLOWED	Not specified in state law	Pets may not be in food preparation area but their presence elsewhere in the dwelling no longer disqualifies (SB 643).	Pets not allowed in food preparation area during food production per ORS 616.723 / ODA rules. Label must note presence of pets in home if a...
INSPECTION REQUIRED	No	No	No
ON-SITE CUSTOMER PICKUP	Yes	Yes	Yes
ON-SITE SIGNAGE	Conditional	Conditional	Conditional
DELIVERY / PICKUP	Limited indirect sales via designated venues; direct delivery permitted in-state	Oregon allows direct sales at home, online, mail, and events. Retail sales to stores permitted under specific conditions (with Domestic Kit...	Direct sales to end users permitted from home, online, through the mail, and at events. Sales to retailers permitted under specific condi...
HOME OCCUPATION PERMIT	Varies	Varies	Conditional
LOCAL BUSINESS LICENSE	Varies	Varies	Varies
RESTRICTIONS	Annual sales cap \$50,000. Food handler certification required. No kitchen inspection required. Registration required for some operations (d...	Oregon allows packaged non-PHF foods from residential dwelling. \$50,000 annual cap (SB 643, 2023, CPI-adjusted). Food handler certification...	Residential dwelling allowed. Only non-potentially-hazardous foods permitted. Annual sales cap \$50,000 (CPI-adjusted; \$51,200 in 2025). Can...
FOOD STORAGE	Appropriate storage for non-PHF products	Non-PHF packaged products only. Cannabis products expressly excluded. Refrigerated products not permitted.	Non-potentially-hazardous shelf-stable foods must be stored appropriately. Separate storage for cottage food ingredients, packaging, and la...
POPULATION	69,506	111,322	7,869

More pages for this place

These Crosodo pages cover the same home cottage-food path:

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