

COTTAGE BAKERY FROM HOME

Can I sell from my kitchen in Florida?

Home kitchen sales in Florida. Then check your city or county. Not a shop or rented commercial kitchen. Last verified 2026-05-05.

STATE FOOD PERMIT

No

KITCHEN INSPECTION

Upon-complaint

SALES CAP

\$250,000 / year

PLACES IN THIS FILE

67

FLORIDA RULES

[Florida cottage food law page](#)[Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services cottage food program](#)[Statute: Fla. Stat. §500.80](#)**NOT LEGAL ADVICE**

This is what the state asks for a home cottage bakery. Local zoning still applies even when the state requires no food permit.

What the state asks

Registration: No. Routine inspection: Upon-complaint. Sales cap: \$250,000 / year.

Florida prohibits wholesale sales but allows online, mail-order, and in-person sales including delivery to consumers; state law preempts local restrictions on cottage food operations.

Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services: <https://www.fdacs.gov/Business-Services/Food/Cottage-Foods>

Statute: [Fla. Stat. §500.80](#)

Florida cottage food law: crosodo.com/states/florida. Pick your city or county: crosodo.com/what-permits.

Florida counties and independent cities

Each city or county can add zoning and a business license. Independent cities are listed separately from the surrounding county.

Place	Home occupation	Business license	Pickup
Volusia County	No	No	Yes
Pasco County	No	No	Yes
Brevard County	No	No	Yes
Nassau County	No	Varies	Yes
Lee County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Polk County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Pinellas County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Bay County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Levy County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Jefferson County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Jackson County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Liberty County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Madison County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Okeechobee County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Suwannee County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Taylor County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Union County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Wakulla County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Washington County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Walton County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Highlands County	Conditional	Varies	Yes

Place	Home occupation	Business license	Pickup
Osceola County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Putnam County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Lafayette County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Sarasota County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Hernando County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Charlotte County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Santa Rosa County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Flagler County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Manatee County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Lake County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Collier County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Marion County	Conditional	Yes	Yes
Clay County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Okaloosa County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Indian River County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Martin County	Conditional	Varies	Yes
Duval County	Conditional	Yes	Conditional
Seminole County	Conditional	Yes	Conditional
Citrus County	Conditional	Yes	Conditional
Columbia County	Varies	Varies	Yes
Leon County	Varies	Varies	Yes
Alachua County	Varies	Varies	Yes
Escambia County	Varies	Varies	Yes
St. Johns County	Varies	Varies	Yes
St. Lucie County	Varies	Varies	Yes
Sumter County	Varies	Varies	Yes
Orange County	Varies by city	Varies by city	Yes
Hillsborough County	Varies by city	Varies by city	Yes
Palm Beach County	Varies by city	Varies by city	Yes
Miami-Dade County	Yes	Yes	Conditional
Broward County	Varies by city	Varies by city	Conditional

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Monroe County	Yes	Yes	No
Baker County	Yes (Baker County local occupational license required for home-based businesses)	Yes; Baker County Occupational License from Tax Collector; contact (904) 259-6880	True
Holmes County	Likely; verify with Holmes County	Likely; Holmes County local business tax receipt; contact Holmes County Tax Collector	True
Glades County	Likely; verify with Glades County	Likely; Glades County local business tax receipt; contact Glades County Tax Collector	True
Gilchrist County	Likely; verify with Gilchrist County	Likely; Gilchrist County local business tax receipt; contact Gilchrist County Tax Collector	True
Gadsden County	Likely; verify with Gadsden County Building & Zoning	Likely; Gadsden County local business tax receipt; contact Gadsden County Tax Collector	True
Franklin County	Likely; verify with Franklin County	Likely; Franklin County local business tax receipt; contact Franklin County Tax Collector	True
Dixie County	Likely; verify with Dixie County	Likely; Dixie County local business tax receipt; contact Dixie County Tax Collector	True
DeSoto County	Likely; verify with DeSoto County Building & Zoning	Likely; DeSoto County local business tax receipt; contact DeSoto County Tax Collector	True
Calhoun County	Likely; verify with Calhoun County	Likely; Calhoun County local business tax receipt; contact Calhoun County Tax Collector	True
Bradford County	Likely; verify with Bradford County Building & Zoning	Likely; Bradford County local business tax receipt; contact Bradford County Tax Collector	True
Gulf County	Likely; verify with Gulf County	Likely; Gulf County local business tax receipt; contact Gulf County Tax Collector	True
Hamilton County	Likely; verify with Hamilton County	Likely; Hamilton County local business tax receipt; contact Hamilton County Tax Collector	True
Hardee County	Likely; verify with Hardee County Building & Zoning	Likely; Hardee County local business tax receipt; contact Hardee County Tax Collector	True
Hendry County	Likely; verify with Hendry County	Likely; Hendry County local business tax receipt; contact Hendry County Tax Collector	True