

Beverage Vending Machines

Implementation Guide



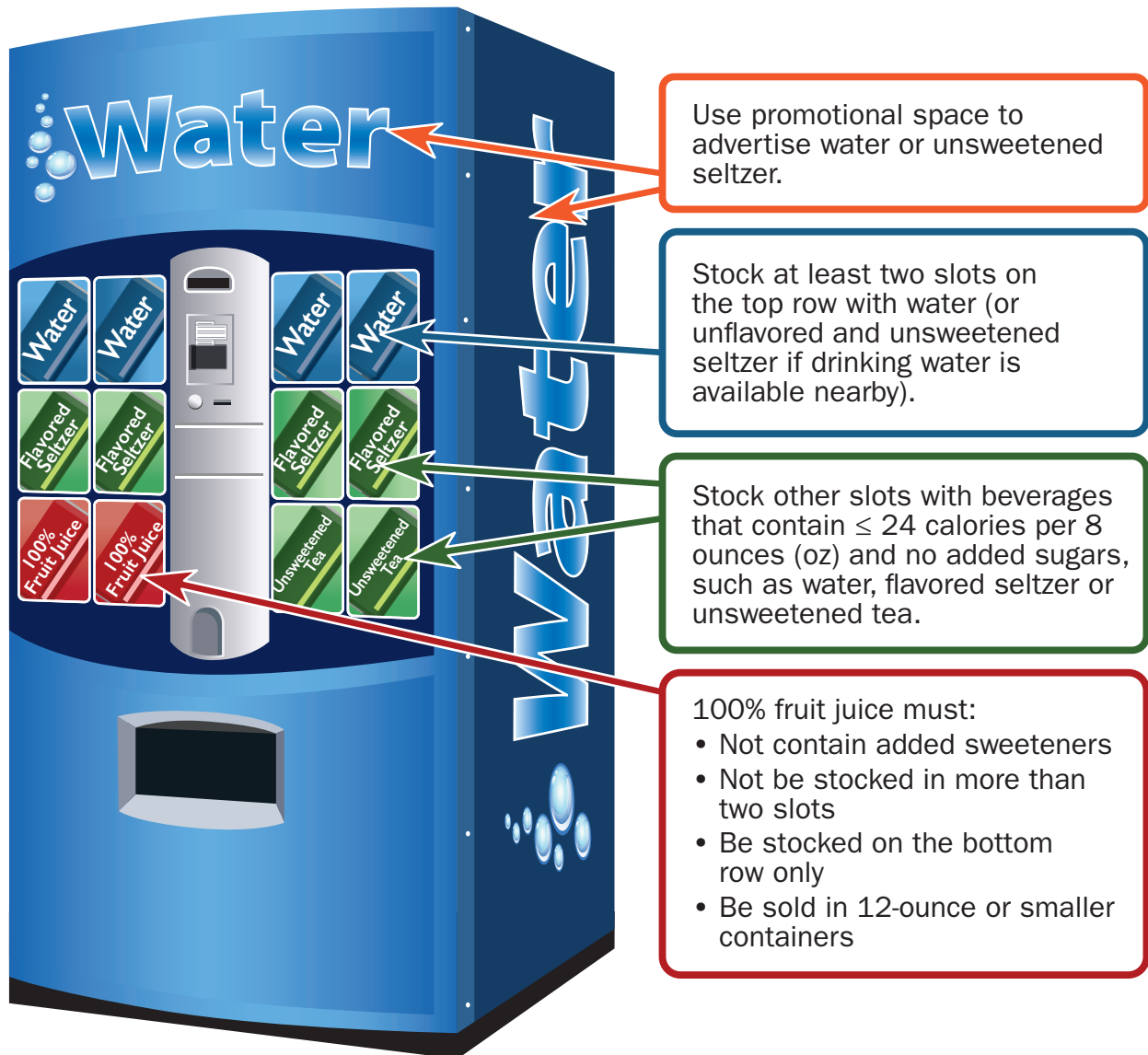
Using the Implementation Guide

This guide is to help City agencies and nongovernment employers implement the Standards for Beverage Vending Machines by providing examples of how to stock a machine and beverages that can and cannot be stocked. The Standards for Beverage Vending Machines fall under the New York City (NYC) Food Standards, which aim to reduce the availability and consumption of sugary drinks, with the goal of improving the health of all New Yorkers. Beverage vending machines on City property are required to follow the Standards for Beverage Vending Machines.

To read the Standards for Beverage Vending Machines, visit nyc.gov/health and search for **NYC Food Standards**.

Example Beverage Vending Machine

Below is an example of a machine that meets the Standards for Beverage Vending Machines. You can use it to help stock your own machine.



Examples of Beverages

Below are examples of beverages that can be stocked in an unlimited number of or maximum of two slots, or cannot be stocked at all.

Beverages that can be stocked in an unlimited number of slots:

- | Water
- | Flavored water
- | Unsweetened or unflavored water
- | Unsweetened tea (for adults only, unless caffeine-free)
- | Beverages labeled “diet” or “zero” (for adults only)
- | Unsweetened 1% and nonfat milk and nutritionally equivalent milk substitutes (such as soy milk) that contain ≤ 9 grams of total sugar

Beverages that can be stocked in a maximum of two slots:

- | 100% fruit juice with no added sweeteners

Beverages that cannot be stocked:

- | Soda not labeled “diet” or “zero”
- | Sports drinks
- | Energy drinks
- | Juice drinks
- | Lemonade
- | Sweetened iced tea
- | Sweetened coffee drinks
- | Sweetened milk
- | Flavored water with added sugars

Create a Planogram

You can create your own planogram and share it with your vending machine company to make sure your machine is stocked correctly. To create a planogram, draw the number of slots your machine has and use this guide and the Standards for Beverage Vending Machines to fill in the slots with appropriate beverages.

Example of a planogram for a nine-slot beverage vending machine:

Water	Water	Water
Plain seltzer	Orange seltzer	Lime seltzer
100% orange juice (10 oz)	100% apple juice (12 oz)	Diet ginger ale

Example of a planogram for a 40-slot beverage vending machine:

Water	Water	Water	Water	Water	Water	Water	Water
Plain seltzer	Plain seltzer	Plain seltzer	Lime seltzer	Lime seltzer	Orange seltzer	Raspberry seltzer	Cherry seltzer
Mint water	Berry water	Lemon water	Diet citrus water	Diet cherry water	Diet fruit punch	Diet lemonade	Diet lemon sports drink
Diet cola	Diet cola	Diet cherry cola	Diet cherry cola	Diet orange soda	Diet orange soda	Diet lemon soda	Diet lime soda
100% apple juice (12 oz)	100% grapefruit juice (12 oz)	Unsweetened lemon tea	Unsweetened peach tea	Unsweetened green tea	Unsweetened green tea	Unsweetened plain tea	Unsweetened plain tea

Key:

- Water
- Beverages that contain ≤ 24 calories per 8 oz and no added sugars
- 100% fruit juice

For more information, contact nycfoodstandards@health.nyc.gov, visit nyc.gov/health and search for **NYC Food Standards**, or call **311**.