

Does your restaurant use an app to take customer orders for delivery or pickup?

Know your rights and responsibilities under new NYC laws.

NYC's Third-Party Food Delivery Service Laws have a licensing requirement for apps and protections for the restaurants that use them. Restaurants have new requirements, as well.



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Starting January 24, 2022

- Apps must have a written agreement with your restaurant to list it on the app.

 Agreements entered after January 24, 2022 must include bathroom access for food delivery workers. See next section.
- Apps cannot charge your restaurant more than the fee caps. See fee cap amounts at nyc.gov/DeliveryApps.
- Apps that list or link to a phone number for your restaurant must include your direct phone number.
- Apps must make clear to customers that any additional listed phone number is for the app and confirm any fees to use numbers to place orders.
- Apps cannot charge your restaurant for phone orders that do not end with a sale.
- In some cases, apps must give your restaurant customer data if you request it.
- Restaurants must comply with agreements to provide bathroom access to food delivery workers when they pick up orders for delivery. Limited exceptions for health or safety reasons.
- Restaurants must let customers withdraw consent to use data shared by apps and delete it on request.
- Restaurants cannot sell, rent, or disclose customer data without customer consent.

For more information, contact the Department of Consumer and Worker Protection (DCWP):

- Visit nyc.gov/DeliveryApps
- Call 311 and ask for "Food Delivery App Complaint"