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| ***Food***  ***Contamination***  ***Prevention*** |  | **2-401.11 Eating, Drinking, or Using Tobacco.**  (A) Except as specified in ¶ (B) of this section, an employee shall eat, drink, or use any form of tobacco only in designated areas where the contamination of exposed food; clean equipment, utensils, and linens; unwrapped single-service and single-use articles; or other items needing protection can not result. |
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|  |  | (B) *A food employee may drink from a closed beverage container if the container is handled to prevent contamination of:* |
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|  |  | (1) *The employee's hands;* |
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|  |  | (2) *The container; and* |
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|  |  | (3) *Exposed food; clean equipment, utensils, and linens; and unwrapped single-service and single-use articles.* |