

WAC 246-215-04405 Installation—Fixed equipment, spacing or sealing (FDA Food Code 4-402.11). (1) EQUIPMENT that is fixed because it is not EASILY MOVABLE must be installed so that it is:

(a) Spaced to allow access for cleaning along the sides, behind, and above the EQUIPMENT;

(b) Spaced from adjoining EQUIPMENT, walls, and ceilings a distance of not more than one thirty-second inch (1 mm); or

(c) SEALED to adjoining EQUIPMENT or walls, if the EQUIPMENT is exposed to spilling or seepage.

(2) COUNTER-MOUNTED EQUIPMENT that is not EASILY MOVABLE must be installed to allow cleaning of the EQUIPMENT and areas underneath and around the EQUIPMENT by being:

(a) SEALED; or

(b) Elevated on legs as specified under WAC 246-215-04410.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 43.20.050 and 43.20.145. WSR 21-01-122, § 246-215-04405, filed 12/15/20, effective 3/1/22; WSR 13-03-109, § 246-215-04405, filed 1/17/13, effective 5/1/13.]