TOURO UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA
Kosher Food Service Policy

Touro University California adheres to Touro Policy and follows Glatt Kosher dietary laws. This kosher food service policy extends to food operations, vending machine products, and food and beverages served at events on or off campus.

Touro University Food Service (TUFS) is certified Glatt Kosher by Rabbi Aharon Simkin. Rabbi Simkin serves as a consultant to the Associate Vice President for Administration, Kitchen Manager, and campus Mashgiachs to insure compliance with kosher dietary laws in the campus food service operation. Rabbi Simkin serves as the Rabbinic supervisor for TUFS and approves any outside caterer or vendor which is authorized to operate on campus.

TUFS has the first right of refusal when planning food and beverage service for university events or activities held on or off campus. In the event that TUFS cannot provide the requested refreshments, Rabbi Elchonon Tenenbaum, will coordinate arrangements with outside kosher caterers or for kosher food and beverage purchases. Rabbis Simkin and Tenenbaum, in a coordinated effort, will help assure compliance with kosher standards while insuring prompt facilitation of food and beverage requests.

This policy is intended to guide planning for university events or activities which are organized, and usually funded, by Touro University California. Individual members of the campus community are welcome to bring food and beverages to campus for their own personal consumption.