

PROPER THERMOMETER CALIBRATION

When do you need to Calibrate your Thermometer?

- At *LEAST* weekly.
- Anytime it is dropped.
- After storage or little use.

IT IS A VIOLATION OF OAC 3717-4.1(K) TO HAVE A THERMOMETER MORE THAN 2°F OUT OF CALIBRATION.



1. Make a slurry of ice and water in a cup or small container.

70% Ice / 30% Water

When you fill the cup with ice, add a little water and let the mix sit for a minute or two to allow the ice to melt slightly.



2. Place the probe stem in the ice.

Hold the probe in the middle of the ice mixture for about one minute.



3. Turn the dial to 32°F.

The probe thermometer should have a nut on the underside of the dial. Use this nut to turn the dial and reset the reading.



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