

Safe Minimum Cooking Temperatures

CATEGORY	FOOD	TEMPERATURE (°F)	REST TIME
Ground Meat & Meat Mixtures	Beef, Pork, Veal, Lamb	160	None
	Turkey, Chicken	165	None
Fresh Beef, Veal, Lamb	Steaks, Roasts, Chops	145	3 minutes
Poultry	Chicken & Turkey, Whole	165	None
	Poultry Breasts, Roasts	165	None
	Poultry Thighs, Legs, Wings	165	None
	Duck & Goose	165	None
	Stuffing (cooked alone or in bird)	165	None
Pork and Ham	Fresh Pork	145	3 minutes
	Fresh Ham (raw)	145	3 minutes
	Precooked Ham (to reheat)	140	None
Eggs & Egg Dishes	Eggs	Cook until yolk and white are firm	None
	Egg Dishes	160	None
Leftovers & Casseroles	Leftovers	165	None
	Casseroles	165	None
Seafood	Fin Fish	145 or cook until flesh is opaque, separates easily	None
	Shrimp, Lobster, Crabs	Cook until flesh is pearly and opaque.	None