

ALLERGEN TABLET

THE REPLACEMENT OF A PAPER ALLERGEN REPORT WITH A DIGITAL DISPLAY VIA A TABLET

OBJECTIVE

Replacement of the daily paper allergen report with a digital version displayed via a countertop tablet device

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- 10.5 Samsung Tab (Wi-Fi + 4g)
- BouncePad desktop stand
- 2m power/security cable
- I.T. setup software & SIM installation, testing, etc.
- Delivery costs
- In-unit setup assistance
- Support for 3 years
 - Help desk
 - SIM management
 - Next day replacement
 - Configuration
 - Repairs
 - Software updates
 - Software licenses

COSTS

Above package costs £845 as a Capex cost over 3 years

BENEFITS

Based upon average printing costs estimated at £570 per unit per year, R.O.I. would be less than 2 years

BACKGROUND

Under the Food Information Regulations 2014 food businesses are required provide allergy information for known ingredients within food sold unpackaged via catering outlets or deli counters

Compass currently require units to print the allergen reports daily and display within a paper folder within a front of house location.

This task can lead to significant time and cost through re-printing the allergen report daily in order to keep it up to date and accurate

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The digitization of the allergen reports is a 3-phase project:

- **Phase 1:** The ability to display the current allergen report as a PDF document via a countertop tablet device
- **Phase 2:** To display a new simpler allergen report, including 'May Contain' information via a countertop tablet device
- **Phase 3**: the creation of an app allowing the customer to view the daily menu and filter by allergen or ingredient type

Phase 1

Any unit currently printing in excess of 20 sheets of paper per day to compile their allergen report should benefit from the use of a tablet to digitally this information to the customer.

The number of tablets required depends upon the number of individual food outlets within your site. For example, a unit with a remote coffee pod / café located in a different place to the main restaurant would benefit having an additional tablet to display its allergen report.

The tablets provided must be dedicated to the display of the allergen report throughout all service periods and must not be used for alternative tasks during this time.

Build menu in Source



Check allergen report against menu offer



Log onto Connect from tablet to access allergen report



Lock tablet into stand



Position stand in customer facing location

HOW IT WORKS

A catering unit would acquire recipes and develop their menu within the Source menu planning tool, which automatically builds the allergen report according to the recipes chosen

30 minutes before service the Unit Manager would log on to Connect via the tablet and access the unit's allergen report for today's menu offer and check its accuracy against the items being sold. Printing the allergen report creates a PDF & saving when prompted will automatically display it on the tablet.

The tablet would be locked into the stand and positioned at a suitable location within the unit, ensuring it is easily accessible to customers and located near to a plug socket for charging purposes.

ORDERING

Units wishing to acquire this package must verify the Capex costs with their RM and Finance Manager before proceeding. Orders can be placed by contacting allergens.tablet@compass-group.co.uk stating their Unit Number / Unit Name & Address / Contact Name / No of devices required.

All orders will be verified by your Op's Manager before distributed.

F.A.Q

Q. Can a unit use an existing tablet to display the allergen report?

A. Yes, however this is not recommended as the tablet would need to be the exact same size to fit into the housing, be dedicated to the display of allergen reports during all service periods and would need to be sent to Parklands for configuration and software upload.

Q. Do I need to have a 4G Wi-Fi tablet?

A. Yes, this is advisable as a back up should the client Wi-fi be inaccessible or drop out. The tablet would need to be positioned where it can receive a 4G connection in order to log on to Compass Connect.

Q. Can the tablet support other functionality

A. Yes, other applications could be used from the tablet, however it must be dedicated to allergen folder display during all service periods.