

Indian Standard
**CODE FOR HYGIENIC CONDITIONS
FOR ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE
OF MIDDAY SCHOOL MEAL PROGRAMMES**

1. SCOPE

1.1 This standard prescribes the general hygienic conditions required for establishment and maintenance of central kitchens, food transport vehicles and food distribution centres in the school for large-scale 'midday school meal' programmes, with a view to ensuring that the beneficiaries of these programmes are supplied with food that has been cooked, prepared, distributed and served under hygienic conditions and to avoid as far as possible, occurrence of food infections or poisonings through the programme.