

COMMUNITY	12 Communities with “Entertainment” in the Definition for Nightclubs, Bars or Lounges
Charlotte, NC	<p>NIGHTCLUB: Any commercial establishment serving alcoholic beverages and providing entertainment for patrons including bars, lounges, and cabarets.</p>
Atlanta, GA	<p>NIGHTCLUB: An establishment having a capacity of at least 100 persons per the City of Atlanta Fire Code, with all booths and tables unobstructed and open to view, dispensing alcoholic beverages and in which music, dancing or entertainment is conducted. All such establishments shall be equipped with air conditioning. The principal business of a nightclub shall be entertaining, and the serving of alcoholic beverages shall be incidental thereto.</p> <p>BAR: An establishment having a minimum capacity of 25 persons and a maximum capacity of 100 persons per the City of Atlanta Fire Code that does not meet the definition of a restaurant, nightclub, lounge, farm winery, convention center, hotel, brewpub, open air cafe or sidewalk cafe, that is primarily devoted to selling and dispensing alcoholic beverages by the drink for on-premises consumption. The bar must make food available to its patrons.</p> <p>BOTTLE HOUSE: Any place of business open to the public or any private club which allows patrons or members to bring in and consume alcoholic beverages on the premises.</p> <p>BREW PUB: Any eating establishment in which beer or malt beverages are manufactured or brewed, subject to the barrel production limitation prescribed in O.C.G.A. § 3-5-36 for retail consumption on the premises and solely in draft form. As used herein, the term "eating establishment" means an establishment which is licensed to sell distilled spirits, malt beverages, or wines and which derives at least 50 percent of its total annual gross food and beverage sales from the sale of prepared meals or food.</p> <p>LOUNGE: A separate room connected with a part of and adjacent to a restaurant or located in a hotel or located in any airport owned by the city, with all booths, stools and tables being unobstructed and open to view. All lounges shall be air conditioned and shall have a seating capacity for at least 50 persons. However, lounges located in any airport owned or operated by the city shall be exempt from the seating capacity requirement. A lounge that is operated on a different floor in the premises or in a separate building or that is not connected to or adjacent to a restaurant shall be considered a separate establishment and an additional license fee shall be paid therefore.</p> <p>EATING AND DRINKING ESTABLISHMENTS shall mean those establishments whose primary purpose is to derive income from the sale of food and drink, including malt beverages, wine and/or distilled spirits. Any establishment that serves food and drink, but which also operates as another use under Chapter 10 of</p>

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	the City Code (the Alcohol Code) with separate parking regulations shall follow the parking regulations in Chapter 10 applicable to that use.
Boston, MA	Bar: An establishment devoted primarily to the retailing and on-premises drinking of alcoholic beverages. Such establishment may or may not serve food, and may or may not include dancing or entertainment .
Chicago, IL	Tavern: An establishment that is primarily engaged in serving alcoholic liquor for consumption on the premises and in which the serving of prepared food, live entertainment and dancing are permitted.
Greenville, SC	<p>NIGHTCLUB: An establishment, whether public or a private club, including cocktail lounges, etc., serving a predominantly adult clientele, and whose primary business is the sale of alcoholic beverages, including beer and wine, for consumption on the premises in conjunction with dancing or live performances. The purchase of food is at the option of the customers and not required by the operator. The sale of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine must be licensed by the state alcoholic beverage commission.</p> <p>BAR: An establishment having as its principal or predominant use the serving of beer, wine or liquor for consumption on the premises. Sandwiches, light meals, snacks and/or full service meals are available for consumption on the premises but are not the principal or predominant use of the establishment.</p>
Huntersville, NC	Nightclub: Any commercial establishment serving alcoholic beverages and/or providing entertainment for patrons, including bars, lounges, taverns, cabarets, and similar establishments.
Indianapolis, IN	<p>NIGHT CLUB: An establishment engaged primarily in offering entertainment to the general public, in the form of music for dancing or live or recorded performances. The establishment may or may not engage in the preparation and retail sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises. For the purposes of this article, an establishment of a similar nature which caters to, or markets itself predominantly to, persons under twenty-one (21) years of age shall not be construed to be a night club, but rather an indoor commercial amusement/recreation establishment.</p> <p>TAVERN: An establishment used primarily for the serving of liquor by the drink to the general public, but where minors cannot be within the use, and where food or packaged liquors may be served or sold only as accessory to the primary use.</p>
Memphis/Shelby County, TN	NIGHTCLUB: A place of entertainment typically open at night, generally providing music, space for dancing, or similar entertainment and where alcoholic beverages and minor food-stuffs may be sold for on-premises consumption

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	<p>contingent upon the establishment possessing a current and valid license permitting such sales.</p> <p>BAR: Any establishment primarily in the business of the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption and possessing the appropriate licenses for such and where the sale of prepared food-stuffs and other non-alcohol related sales account for 40% or less of the establishment’s income. For regulatory purposes of this code the following terms are synonymous with “Bar”: “Cocktail Lounge”, “Nightclub”, and “Tavern”.</p>
Miami/Dade County FL	<p>NIGHT CLUB: Any place of business located within any building or establishment under one (1) roof and on one (1) floor, established and operated for the purpose of supplying entertainment or music, or both, and providing meals and refreshments prepared on the premises, having a seating capacity of not less than forty (40) people at tables; having an aggregate floor space of not less than two thousand two hundred (2,200) square feet, and providing a dance floor containing not less than three hundred eight (308) square feet; such floor space providing for dancing to be free from chairs, tables or other obstructions at all times.</p> <p>BAR OR SALOON: Any place devoted primarily to the selling or dispensing and drinking of malt, vinous or other alcoholic beverages or any place where any sign is exhibited or displayed indicating that alcoholic beverages are obtainable within or thereon and where such beverages are consumed on the premises</p> <p>CABARET: The term shall mean a place of business other than a "night club" located in a hotel or motel having fifty (50) or more guest rooms, where liquor, beer or wine is sold, given away or consumed on the premises, and where music or other entertainment is permitted or provided for the guest of said hotel or motel only.</p>
Nashville/Davidson County Metro , TN	<p>After hours establishment: Any establishment open to the general public at any time between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., which has for its primary purpose entertainment, teen clubs, dance clubs, and establishments which feature the playing of live or recorded music. If the establishment requires a cover charge upon entry, contains a dance floor, or uses either a disc jockey or a live band, it shall be considered an 'after hours establishment,' regardless of whether the establishment serves or sells prepared food for consumption.</p>
Philadelphia, PA	<p>Nightclubs and Private Clubs: An establishment where 50 or more people regularly congregate primarily for entertainment purposes in the form of dancing or live or recorded music. The establishment may serve food or beverages to patrons for on- or off-premise consumption or may have one or more temporary or permanent area(s) set aside for the purpose of dancing by the</p>

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	patrons of the establishment. Such establishments may include, but are not limited to, discotheques, cabarets, private clubs, banquet halls, and similar places of assembly.
San Francisco, CA	<p>BAR: A retail use which provides on-site alcoholic beverage sales for drinking on the premises, including bars serving beer, wine and/or liquor to the customer where no person under 21 years of age is admitted (with Alcoholic Beverage Control [ABC] license types 42, 48, or 61) and drinking establishments serving beer where minors are present (with ABC license types 42 or 60) in conjunction with other uses such as movie theaters and other entertainment.</p> <p>NIGHTTIME ENTERTAINMENT USES: Nighttime entertainment uses shall include dance halls, discotheques, nightclubs, private clubs, and other similar evening-oriented entertainment activities which require Place of Entertainment or Limited Live Performance permits, as defined in Section 1060 of the Police Code, which are not limited to non-amplified live entertainment, including restaurants and bars which present such activities, but shall not include any arts activities or space as defined in Section 102.2 of this Code, any theater performance space which does not serve alcoholic beverages during performances, or any temporary uses permitted pursuant to Sections 205 through 205.3 of this Code</p>
Washington, D.C.	<p>Cabaret: a restaurant or nightclub providing as the main focus of its business, programs of live entertainment such as singing, dancing, comedy, literary readings, or performance art. In a cabaret, the clientele generally sit at tables in order to watch the entertainment and are attended by waiters or waitresses who serve food or drink. Typically, there may be more than one show in an evening and a complete turnover in patrons.</p>