



Safety Huddle:

Food & Nutrition Services

Fire Response Procedures

The Ansul system is the **primary** means of fire suppression for grease fires.

- The Ansul can be activated by pulling a special manual pull switch.
- The **K Class fire extinguisher** is the **secondary means** of grease fire suppression, only use after the Ansul system has been activated.

Use a K extinguisher to extinguish a grease fire:

- Arch and aim the nozzle to mist the extinguishing agent over the top of the fire to smother it.
- Avoid using the P.A.S.S. (Pull, Aim, Squeeze, Sweep) method for grease fires as it could spread the fire to other areas.

For all other types of fire use an ABC extinguisher.

- Ensure you know the location of the ABC extinguisher.
- Remember to use P.A.S.S. (Pull – Aim – Squeeze – Sweep) when using an ABC extinguisher only.

Two types of pull stations, understanding the difference

- The fire alarm pull station will activate the facility fire alarm system and alert the local fire department.
- The Ansul manual pull switch will activate the hood fire suppression system, the facility fire alarm and in conjunction will alert the local fire department.



Ansul Manual Pull Switch



Fire Alarm Pull Station



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Take time to become familiar with the locations of:

- Ansul system pull stations
- Fire alarm pull stations
- ABC Fire Extinguishers
- K Class Fire Extinguishers

Steps for using a fire extinguisher:

To operate an extinguisher:

