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Suggestions for BYOB businesses:

-  The City of Chicago does not regulate the practice of BYOB (Bring Your Own Bottle) in any restaurant or commercial business, except for sidewalk cafes.
-  A business must guard against minors consuming alcohol.
-  A customer should purchase their own alcohol, bring it in to a business, serve themselves, keep the alcohol in their possession and leave the business with the empty alcohol container.
-  Employees of a business should limit how much they handle, deliver, pour or store the alcohol for the customer.
-  A business should obtain liability insurance to protect against potential lawsuits.
-  A business is allowed to provide a glass and ice for the customer.
-  A business should place limits on how much alcohol can be brought in by a customer.

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