

Fats, Oils, and Grease are collectively called F.O.G. Fog comes from sources such as:

- **Cooking Oil**
- **Shortening**
- **Bacon Grease**
- **Meat Fats**
- **Food Scraps**
- **Butter**
- **Dairy Products**
- **Lard**
- **Gravy**
- **Salad Dressings**

When F.O.G. gets washed down the sinks, toilets, or other household drains, it enters the sanitary sewer. Over time, F.O.G buildup can block the sewer line and cause the sewer to backup into the streets, yards or even homes!

You can prevent F.O.G from clogging your home drains and the sanitary sewer by doing the following:

- Pour cooled fats, oils, and grease into a jar or another container and dispose of it in the trash.
- Scrape food, fats, and grease in the garbage before washing dishes.
- Wipe down greasy pots and pans with paper towels before washing them.



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Sanitary Sewer backups release harmful bacteria into the environment that can pollute waterways, cause noxious odors in neighborhoods, and harm other infrastructure.

