

Milwaukee Rep Proximity Restaurant Recommendations ([See Map](#))

Intercontinental Hotel

[Clear Bar and Lounge](#) 139 E. Kilbourne Ave (Opens 11:30 AM)

CLEAR is the in-lobby bar and lounge at InterContinental Hotel specializes in small plates for sharing from KIL@WAT menu, specialty drinks, select wines and domestic, imported and locally brewed beers.

[KIL@WAT](#) 139 E. Kilbourn Ave. (Opens 11:30 AM)

Chic spot serving New American fare, including a pre-theater menu, in a venue with Downtown views.

North/West (Both Sides of the Milwaukee River)

[Benihana](#) 850 N. Plankinton (Opens 11:30 AM)

Hibachi chain serving Japanese dishes grilled tableside by theatrical chefs.

[Brunch](#) 800 N. Plankinton Ave. (Just across Wells St. river bridge at corner)

Modern cafe serving classic & inventive brunch fare amid cheery, colorful decor.

[Calderone Club](#) 842 N. Old World 3rd St.

Old-world setting for thin-crust pies, made-from-scratch pasta, panini & an extensive wine list.

[Rock Bottom Restaurant and Brewery](#) 740 N. Plankinton Ave.

Brewpub chain serving house beers & upscale pub food & American fare in lively environs.

[Vagabond](#) 1122 N. Edison St. (Next to Water Street Brewery)

Mexican food & margaritas are served at this casual, brick-walled eatery with Latin-inspired decor.

[Water St. Brewery](#) 1101 N. Water St.

Long-running brewpub offering traditional & specialty beers, American fare & brewery tours.

South/East Downtown (Between Milwaukee Public Market and Milwaukee Rep)

[Café at the Pfister](#) 424 E. Wisconsin Ave.

Varied menu from Starbucks® favorites, traditional breakfast items to homemade soups, seasonal salads, a multitude of fresh sandwiches, as well as delicious gluten-free options.

[Cubanitas](#) 728 N. Milwaukee St.

Compact spot with sidewalk seating where locals line up for down-home Cuban cooking & mojitos.

[Downtown Kitchen](#) 777 E. Wisconsin Ave

Weekday-only spot offering gourmet sandwiches, sushi, a salad bar & more in a cafeteria-style setup.

[Flannery's Bar and Restaurant](#) 425 E. Wells St. *Laid-back Irish pub with a familiar bar menu, draft beer, big Bloody Marys & single-malt whiskeys.*

(Scroll below for more)

[Mason Street Grill](#) 425 E. Mason Street *Marcus Restaurant Group: Healthy options, Great desserts, Upscale*

[Millioke](#) 323 E. Wisconsin Ave.
Stylish tavern featuring meat & cheese boards, classic American fare & craft beer on tap.

[Milwaukee Waterfront Deli](#) 761 N. Water St.
Carry out & dine under the rotunda of Milwaukee Rep's Patty and Jay Baker Theater complex

[Pastiche at Metro](#) 411 E. Mason St. (Breakfast ends at 11 AM, Lunch begins at 11:30 AM)
Pastiche features a seasonally changing menu of traditional French Bistro dishes prepared whenever possible from locally-sourced ingredients.

[SafeHouse](#) 779 N. Front St. (Across Milwaukee Rep Wells St entrance & down alley (N Front St.)
Buzzy spy-themed hideaway features creative cocktails & casual fare in a quirky, dimly lit interior.

[Swinging Door Exchange Saloon and Eatery](#) 219 E. Michigan St.
History meets dining in Milwaukee's landmark Grain Exchange Building.