Illini Regional -- Champaign-Urbana Restaurant Guide

Casual dining within walking distance of Holiday Inn: (= Local favorite)

American: State Street Grille (in the hotel)

Fast food:

Hooter's, South State Street (1 block south)

Everyday Kitchen, Fox Drive (3 blocks south) – Grill & small plates Scotty's Brewhouse, Neil Street (5 blocks south) – Sports bar & brewery

Steakhouse: ♦ The Ribeye, Neil Street (½ block south)

Baxter's American Grille, Trade Center Drive (½ block north)

Asian: ♦ Rainbow Garden, Neil Street (4 blocks north) -- Chinese

B. Won, Neil Street (5 blocks south) – Korean Asian Noodle & Sushi, 305 Cedar (5 blocks north)

Mexican:Cactus Grill, Neil Street (2 blocks north)Diner:Merry Ann's, Neil Street (1 block north)Coffee:Espresso Royale, Neil Street (2 blocks north)Pizza:♦ Papa Del's, 1201 S. Neil (4 blocks north)

Subway Sandwiches, Neil Street (2 blocks north)
Meatheads Burgers & Fries, Neil Street (4 blocks north)

McDonalds, Steak 'n' Shake, Taco Bell, Hardees - all on Neil St. (1 to 5 blocks south)

Ice cream: ♦ Jarling's Custard Cup, Kirby Avenue (2 blocks northwest)

Oberweis Ice Cream & Dairy, Neil Street (4 blocks south)

A short drive:

American: ♦ Houlihan's at the I-Hotel, 1302 South 1st (.8 miles east)

◆ Sun Singer Wine Bar & Restaurant, 1115 W. Windsor (2 miles southwest)

Applebee's, South Neil (2 miles south)

Buffalo Wild Wings, Savoy Plaza, South Neil (2 miles south) Panera Bread, Old Farm Shops, Kirby & Mattis (2 miles west) Farren's, 308 N. Randolph (downtown, 1.6 miles northwest)

Destihl Restaurant & Brew Works, 301 N. Neil (downtown, 1.6 miles northwest)

Asian: ♦ Peking Garden, 206 N. Randolph (downtown, 1.6 miles north)

Good Fella Korean Bistro, 905 S. Neil (.7 miles north)

Moki Sushi, 2017 S. Neil (½ mile south) Golden Harbor, 505 S. Neil (1 mile north)

BBQ: ♦ Lil Porgy's, 1917 W. Springfield (2.9 miles northwest)

♦ Black Dog Smoke & Ale, 320 N. Chestnut (1.7 miles north) Smoky's House BBQ, 1333 Savoy Plaza Lane (2 miles south)

Hickory River Smokehouse, 1706 N. Cunningham, Urbana (4.5 miles northeast)

Italian: ♦ Biaggi's, 2235 S. Neil (.8 miles south)

♦ Manzella's Italian Patio, 115 S. 1st (1.6 miles northeast)

Mexican: ♦ El Toro #2, 723 S. Neil (.8 miles north)

♦ Fiesta Cafe, 216 S. 1st (1.6 miles northeast)

♦ Maize at the Station, 100 Chestnut (1.5 miles northeast) Panchero's Mexican Grill, 2009 S. Neil (½ mile south) Moe's Southwest Grill, 2041 S. Neil (.6 miles south)

Breakfast/coffee: ♦ Original Pancake House, Round Barn (Springfield & Mattis, 2.8 miles northwest)

♦ Le Peep, 2209 S. Neil (1 mile south) Starbucks, 2011 S. Neil (½ mile south)

Farmhouse, 2029 S. Neil (inside Harvest Market grocery .6 miles south)

Fast food: ♦ Jimmy John's sandwiches, 43 E. Green (1.1 miles north)

Slim Chickens, A&W, Arby's, Wendy's, KFC, Culver's, Sonic (½ to 3 miles south)

Upscale:Big Grove Tavern, 1 Main Street (downtown) -- 217-239-3505(ReservationsHamilton Walker's, 201 N. Neil (1.7 miles north) - 217-350-0363suggested)Nando Milano (Italian), 204 N. Neil (1.7 miles north) - 217-954-1439

Timpone's, 710 S. Goodwin, Urbana (2.3 miles northeast) – 217-344-7619

KoFusion, 1 E. Main (downtown) -- 217-531-1166 ◆ Silver Creek, 402 North Race, Urbana -- 217-328-3402

Chain restaurants -- Applebee's, Alexander's, Bob Evans, Chili's, Chipotle, Fazoli's, Longhorn, Olive Garden, Outback, Portillo's, Red Lobster, TGI Friday – Marketplace Mall (north on Neil or Prospect, past I-74).