

Admonition # 5

Don't skip feedings. It's incredibly important to feed your Counter Mother 2x/day.

To ensure proper progression of your Counter Mother, it is important to develop a consistent feeding schedule. Feeding your mother two times a day takes less than a minute but is incredibly important to its development. It helps aerate your mother and replenishes its food supply. If the critters in your mother exhaust their food supply and it isn't replenished, they will inevitably die off and this will result in mold formation.

If you are keeping a Refrigerator Mother, the activity of your mother is slowed by the cooler temperature, and as a result, your mother consumes food slower. This is what allows you to only need to feed it once a week. After a week, your mother will need its food supply replenished, and as with a Counter Mother, if it doesn't get it, the critters will die off and mold will develop.