



Emma Jo Boyden  
as Shelley

# A RECIPE FOR DISASTER

"The terrific cast gives it their all whether dishing up the comedy or actually serving Bayless' menu samplings...And nod out to the commanding Boyden for leading this misfit crew thru all its misadventures." – Katy Walsh (The Fourth Walsh)

Chicago On  
Stage

KAREN TOPHAM

"Boyden is ingratiating as the frontline figure for this restaurant, but her plan for an "Influencer Night" (because "they fired all the critics") immediately lands in jeopardy when she fields a call from the head chef saying she will not be able to make it."

Third Coast  
Review

ANGELA ALLYN

"Hostess Shelley (played with sincere can-do attitude and high energy by Emma Jo Boyden) comes out and takes her position at the hostess stand in our midst."

Chicago Theatre  
Review

COLIN DOUGLAS

"We're privy to the many problems with which Shelley (Emma Jo Boyden, an impressive, take-charge ringmaster), the restaurant's assistant manager, is being forced to deal with this particular evening."

