

COVID-19 Update



Child Nutrition Program Meal Service during COVID-19 Outbreaks

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Join us today for the Tuesday Town Hall at 2 to discuss the twelve nationwide waiver extension released last week by USDA. A new ZOOM link has been created to allow more participants. Join at this link:

<https://ksde.zoom.us/j/92714890170?pwd=WVJ2S094aWhYOU5TeWp3b0hiS3Jjdz09>

The twelve nationwide waivers extending flexibilities for the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), Seamless Summer Option (SSO) and the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) At-Risk Afterschool Care component are:

- COVID-19 Response #59 – Nationwide waiver to allow SFSP and SSO operations through SY 2020-21 – extension
- COVID-19 Response #60 – Nationwide waiver to extend area eligibility waivers – extension #3
- COVID-19 Response #61 – Nationwide waiver to allow non-congregate feeding in SFSP/SSO – extension #5
- COVID-19 Response #62 – Nationwide waiver to allow parents and guardian to pick up meals for children – extension #5
- COVID-19 Response #63 – Nationwide waiver to allow meal pattern flexibility in SFSP/SSO – extension #8
- COVID-19 Response #64 – Nationwide waiver to allow area eligibility for closed enrolled sites in SFSP/SSO – extension #2
- COVID-19 Response #65 – Nationwide waiver to waive first week site visits in SFSP – extension #2
- COVID 19 Response #66 – Nationwide waiver of meal service time restrictions in SFSP/SSO – extension #2
- COVID 19 Response #67 – Nationwide waiver to allow OVS flexibilities in SFSP – extension #2
- COVID 19 Response #68 – Nationwide waiver of area eligibility in the CACFP at risk afterschool care component – extension
- COVID 19 Response #69 – Nationwide waiver to allow reimbursement for meals served prior to notification of preapproval and provide flexibility for preapproval visits in SFSP – extension
- COVID 19 Response #70 – Nationwide waiver to allow meal pattern flexibility in the Child Nutrition Programs – extension #5

Note: COVID-19 Responses #59-#70 will be posted soon on the USDA FNS COVID Response Website: <https://www.fns.usda.gov/coronavirus>.



Free School Meals Flyer for Families – Resources Have Been Updated

The flyer developed by KSDE Child Nutrition & Wellness to provide information for families about the opportunity for free school meals has been updated due to the new waivers. Access the flyer at www.kn-eat.org, School Nutrition Programs, What's New. The flyer is available in different formats and one is editable to add school contact information.

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