COVID-19 Update

Child Nutrition Program Meal Service during COVID-19 Outbreaks
October 9, 2020

Today, October 9, 2020, USDA released 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:

- 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.

We will discuss Child Nutrition Responses #59 through #70 during the October 13th Tuesday Town Hall at 2. Join at this link: https://ksde.zoom.us/j/92455494779?pwd=aWpUUDI3N3hOVGcxb01CRWg1NDJ2Zz09

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