Attached are questions and answers that have been addressed since the publication of CACFP-792, Questions and Answers December 2006. The numbering system coincides with the existing sequence for the Consolidated Q & As August 2004, CACFP-758, 776, 784, and 792.

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Attachment
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Child Care Centers

13. Q. The state agency (SA) has a meal time policy which directs centers to notify them of any changes in meals times stated in their agreement. Should meals be disallowed if they are served outside of the state meal times?

A. The 2nd interim Rule training states it is up to the SA’s discretion to require meal service times. If it is a SA policy that institutions must adhere to the meal service times in their agreement, it is within the authority of the SA to disallow meals not served within the agreed upon times. (226.20(k))

Claims for Reimbursement

36. Q. A child care center has recently enrolled a 14 month old disabled child with a feeding tube. The doctor’s note regarding the child’s food states that the child can only receive a liquid premixed formula, which the parents will supply. Can the center claim the child on the food program?

A. No. In order to claim any child that is not an infant, the center or home must provide at least one component, per FNS Instruction 784-3. The only exception is for infants. (CACFP 700)

37. Q. A center has requested to claim a snack at 5:30 AM, prior to breakfast. The center is licensed for this time period.

A. Yes, it is allowable to claim a snack before breakfast as long as the center is not claiming more than 2 meals and one snack, or 2 snacks and one meal a day per child. (226.17(b))

Family Day Care Homes

41. Q. Does “termination for convenience’ include when a sponsor and a provider have a personality conflict? There are no issues of “considerations unrelated to either party’s performance of Program responsibilities under the agreement”.

A. No. Termination for convenience does not include personality conflicts, since the sponsor will still be serving the providers area. The provider can transfer to another sponsor that serves her area when she is eligible. If there is no other sponsors that serve the provider’s area, the current sponsor would have to continue to provide services.