Reply to
Attn of: CACFP-773

January 10, 2006

Subject: Age Limits for Children in Emergency Shelters

To: STATE AGENCY DIRECTORS - Colorado DPHE, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri DH, Montana DPHE, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming
(Special Nutrition Programs)

Attached is interim rule, “Child and Adult Care Food Program: Age Limits for Children Receiving Meals in Emergency Shelters”, that was published in the Federal Register on January 3, 2006 (71 FR1). Also attached is an errata sheet correcting some minor errors found in the document. In addition, within paragraph d., it should read “…Head Start participant”, rather than “…Head Start participation”.

The effective date for the interim rule is February 2, 2006, and the 60-day comment period ends on March 6, 2006. If you have any questions, please contact our office at (303) 844-0354.

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Electronic Attachment
Page 1, 2nd column, 3rd bullet

The bullet should read:

- Hand Delivery or Courier: Deliver comments to 3101 Park Center Drive, Room 640, Alexandria, Virginia 22302-1594, during normal business hours of 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Page 4, 2nd and 3rd columns, items d, e, and f of amendatory paragraph 2

The items should read:

d. Amend the definition of “free meal” by adding in the first sentence the phrase “or to a child who is receiving temporary housing and meal services from an approved emergency shelter;” after the phrase, “a child who is a Head Start participation;”;

e. Amend the definition of “Independent center” by adding the words “emergency shelter,” after the words “child care center,;” and

f. Revise the first sentence of the definition of “Sponsoring organization”.

Page 5, 3rd column, item b of amendatory paragraph 11

The item should read:

b. Amend the first sentence of paragraph (e)(1)(i) by adding the words “(other than emergency shelters)” after the word “institutions”.

ERRATA SHEET
CACFP INTERIM RULE
PUBLISHED ON JANUARY 3, 2006 (71 FR 1)