



Child Nutrition & Wellness

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Sent by listserv to SFSP Sponsors and posted at
www.kn-eat.org, Summer Food Service Program, What's New

2018 SFSP Program Renewal

All program renewal forms, instructions and guidance are available at www.kn-eat.org, Summer Food Service Program, Administration, Program Renewal (Program Renewal is in the drop-down list when you hover over Administration). Program renewal documents are due by **May 1, 2018**. Reimbursement claims cannot be processed until all program renewal documents are approved by KSDE.

2018 Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) Administrative Training

Information about required Administrative Training is available at www.kn-eat.org, SFSP, Training.

2018 Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) Kick-Off Webinars

- April 24, 2:00 pm: SFSP Best Practices From the Field,
<https://meet.lync.com/ksde/kchanay/D56D0VLP>
- May 3, 2:00 pm: What to Expect When You are Inspected – Webinar presented by Kansas Department of Agriculture and Child Nutrition & Wellness,
<https://meet.lync.com/ksde/kchanay/NF1KPKJN>

KSDE Training Portal: Online SFSP Administrative Training

CNW staff continue to develop new interactive online training classes and quick train tutorials that can be accessed free of charge 24/7 via the KSDE Training Portal. The professional development classes offer a certificate upon successful completion which can be printed. Quick train tutorials are 5 minutes or less with no quiz and no certificate. Create an account now at <https://learning.ksde.org/moodle/login/index.php> and see the entire list of classes and tutorials available. For detailed instructions on creating an account and accessing the training, go to www.kn-eat.org, School Nutrition Programs, Training.

Coming Soon! On-line SFSP Administrative Training modules will be available through the KSDE Training Portal. The Administrative Training will be available as three modules: Program Administration, Daily Operations and Program Finances. Each module will be 30 minutes long. Completion of all three modules meets the annual SFSP training requirement.

Child Nutrition & Wellness Master Calendar

A Child Nutrition & Wellness master calendar is available at www.kn-eat.org as a menu item on the right hand side. Note that different view options are available. Just click on the tab at the top of the calendar: week, month, or agenda. Click on an item to see time, location and a link that will lead to a page with more information about the event as well as registration information.

Summer Meals Texting Hotline: Update and Data Reports

No Kid Hungry will continue a national texting hotline to provide information about summer meals sites to children and families in 2018. Beginning in late May, children and families can text 'FOOD' or 'COMIDA' to 877-877 to receive information about meal service sites in their area. Last month CNW announced USDA FNS is kicking off a new text number for Summer 2018. Households can **text "Summer Meals" to 97779** to find Summer meal sites once the site finder is ready for this summer. Households now have two options that can be used to locate summer meal service sites in addition to KSDE's Locate a Site Near You at www.kn-eat.org, SFSP!

Webinar Opportunities:

Partner with Universities to Build Your Summer Meals Capacity Webinar

April 24, 2018, 1:00 pm-2:00 pm. Register at <http://bestpractices.nokidhungry.org/webinars/partner-universities-build-your-summer-meals-capacity>

Boosting Your Budget – Summer Meals Financial Planning

May 15, 2018, 12:00 pm-1:00 pm. Register at <https://cc.readytalk.com/registration/#/?meeting=8ft2zi9vljh&campaign=fwmmha5i780z>

Summer Meals at Public Housing Facilities

May 22, 2018, 1:00 pm -2:00 pm. Register at <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/5574510047012088322>

Middle of Summer Strategies

June 14, 2018, 12:00 pm -1:00 pm. Register at <https://cc.readytalk.com/registration/#/?meeting=rprukplkdk50&campaign=yp7acaesnusi>

Now Available from Google Play Store: Food Buying Guide (FBG) for Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) Mobile App

The FBG has been released on the Google Play store in addition to already being available via the Apple App store. The FBG assists CNP operators, food manufacturers, and other stakeholders with purchasing the correct amounts of foods for CN meal programs and determining the contribution each food makes toward meal pattern requirements. The app features the ability to easily search and navigate food yields for foods typically served in CNPs, compare food yields to determine the best food to purchase, and create favorite foods lists!

The FBG Mobile App includes access to narrative content which provides CN Program-specific information for meeting meal pattern requirements, helpful information related to food purchasing, and how to utilize food yield information in the FBG, and additional resources related to meal pattern requirements and menu planning for CNPs. More information can be found on the USDA website at <https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/food-buying-guide-for-child-nutrition-programs>.

Child Nutrition & Wellness KANSANS CAN 2017-18 Best Practice Awards

The Kansas State Board of Education has a new vision: Kansas leads the world in the success of each student. This new vision for education calls for a more child focused system that provides support and resources for individual success and will require everyone to work together to make it a reality. The academic achievement and physical well-being of our students in Kansas today will impact the success of our communities, our state and the nation in the future. The good health that results from good nutrition and physical activity, and the learning that is made possible as a result, is primary among those tools.

The purpose of this program is to encourage and reward outstanding practices in Child Nutrition & Wellness Programs in Kansas that support the Kansans CAN vision. There are many outstanding child nutrition programs in Kansas. We encourage you and your staff to make nominations for outstanding and/or innovative practices for recognition of your efforts. A nomination entry form is available at www.kn-eat.org, SFSP, What's New. **Nominations are due to the Child Nutrition & Wellness office on or before June 30, 2018.** Winners will be notified by July 31 and presentations will be made at the August State Board of Education meeting.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Child Nutrition & Wellness team at (785) 296-2276 if we can be of assistance with this process. We look forward to receiving your nominations and celebrating the Kansans CAN Best Practice Awards with you at the August 2018 State Board of Education Meeting.

1.5 Million Meal Challenge

Summer 2017 was another record breaking year. Kansas Sponsors served over 1.41 million meals! Child Nutrition & Wellness is positive that the goal of serving 1.5 million meals by continuing the “ONE MORE” campaign challenge will result in Kansas meeting or surpassing the goal of serving 1.5 Million Meals in 2018! The “ONE MORE” campaign encourages Sponsors of Summer Food Service Programs to take the challenge to:

- Offer **one more** meal
- Operate **one more** week
- Add **one more** day of meal service
- Incorporate **one more** activity
- Collaborate with **one more** partner to increase access

Please share with CNW your plans for “ONE MORE” this summer by emailing Kelly Chanay at kchanay@ksde.org. Kansans CAN serve over 1.5 million meals in Summer 2018!

Kelly, Cheryl, and Mark