# Module 1: CACFP Basics

## **New Center Training**

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### Mississippi Department of Education

#### **VISION**

To create a world-class educational system that gives students the knowledge and skills to be successful in college and the workforce, and to flourish as parents and citizens

#### **MISSION**

To provide leadership through the development of policy and accountability systems so that all students are prepared to compete in the global community



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## Module 1: Summary

 This module covers the purpose and administration of the Child & Adult Care Food Program.

• It will also identify the groups of participants that may receive a reimbursable meal through the program.



## Module 1: Objectives

By the end of this class, participants will be able to:

- Recognize the function and structure of the CACFP.
- Recognize key requirements and duties of the CACFP.
- Create a menu that fits the CACFP meal patterns.



## •Topic 1: What, Why & How?

#### What is the CACFP?

The CACFP is a nutrition assistance program that provides supplemental reimbursement for eligible meals and snacks that are served to program eligible children & adults at participating day care services.



## •What, Why & How?

 The regulations for the CACFP are issued by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) at 7 CFR Part 226.





## •Why is it Important?

• The Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) plays a vital role in improving the quality of day care and making it more affordable for many low-income families.



# •Why is it Important?

 According to USDA, 3.3 million children receive nutritious meals and snacks through CACFP each day.

 The program also provides meals and snacks to 120,000 adults who receive care in nonresidential adult day care

centers.



# •Why is the CACFP Important?

• In the year 2019, <u>28,445,533</u> meals were served through the Child and Adult Care Food Program, in Mississippi alone.





### CACFP Basics









## Program Breakdown

There are three (3) sub-groups within the CACFP, each differs slightly from each other:

- 1. Child Care Centers
- 2. Adult Care Homes
- 3. Day Care Homes



These differences will be discussed throughout the training and a summary table will be completed.



## Child Care Centers (CCC)

### **Child Care types Includes:**

- "For-Profit"
- Public
- Non-profit sites or sponsors of sites, that provide organized, non-residential childcare services.





# Child Care Centers (CCC)

The following are types of sites that can be operated, each with different program requirements:

- Traditional Centers
- Emergency Shelters
- At-Risks Centers
- Outside School Hours





# Adult Day Cares (ADC)

#### **ADC Includes:**

- "For-Profit"
- Public
- Non-profit sites



 Sponsors of sites, which provide organized, nonresidential Adult Day Care services.



# Day Care Homes (DCH)

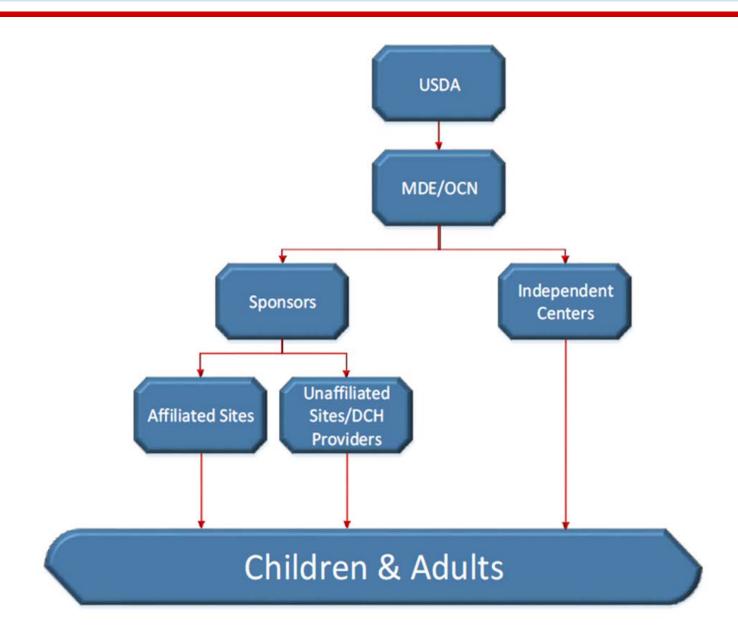
#### **DCH Includes:**

- Eligible public
- on-profit sponsors





### • How is the CACFP Administered?





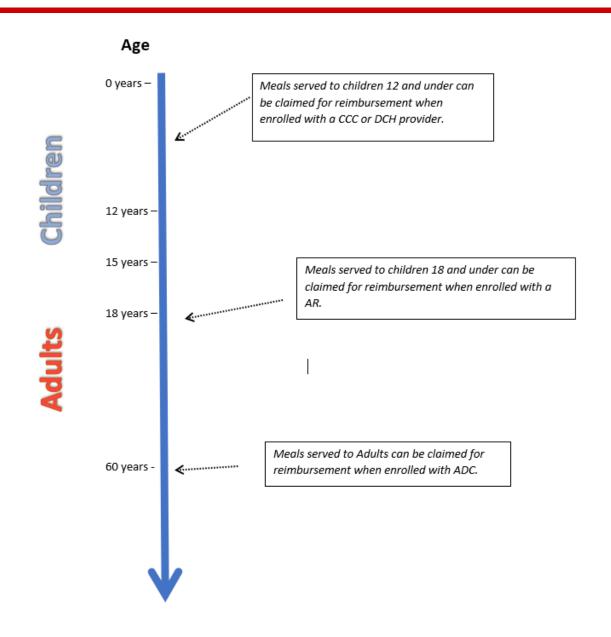
## • Topic 2: Who?

Section 226.2 of the Federal Regulations describes who may receive reimbursable meals through the CACFP.





### • Who can receive a reimbursable meal?





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#### Full Statement

http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/docs/child-nutrition/usdanondiscrimination-statement-2016.pdf?sfvrsn=2



# Questions



