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BULLETIN NO. 062-19 CHILD NUTRITION SERVICES

TO: Family Day Care Home Sponsors

FROM: Chris Reykdal, Superintendent of Public Instruction

RE: Family Day Care Home Sponsors Application Renewal Process for Federal Fiscal Year 2020

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PURPOSE/BACKGROUND

This bulletin provides instructions for Family Day Care Home Sponsors who wish to continue participating in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) for Federal Fiscal Year 2020 (FY20).

The renewal application must be completed and submitted by October 1, 2019.

The application process is completed in the Washington Integrated Nutrition System (WINS). Paper application forms completed as a part of the application process must be emailed to your assigned program specialist. Your assigned specialist is located on the sponsor profile table in WINS. Information on WINS, including training videos and job aids, can be found on the [CNS WINS webpage](#).

Institutions that officially change their legal name, which results in a new Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN), must report this change immediately to Child Nutrition Services (CNS) before starting the application process.

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Review and update all sponsor information in the *Sponsor Profile* tab in WINS. Review staff listed in the *Sponsor Staff* section and update as necessary. Ensure contact information, including email addresses, are current and entered correctly. CNS uses this to communicate important information directly to your institution.

SPONSOR APPLICATION RENEWAL

Sponsor applications for FY20 can be added by selecting the *Renew Application* button in the *Applications* tab and completing the *Sponsor Application*.

Audit Section

The *Sponsor Application* includes an audit section that addresses audit requirements. Public school districts, educational service districts, public universities and colleges, cities, counties, other municipalities, for-profits, and federal government agencies are exempt from completing the Audits section of the WINS application. However, tribal organizations, as well as other private, nonprofit organizations, must complete this section.

Institutions are required to maintain records that identify all federal funds received and expended. Such funds shall be identified by the fund's Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) numbers. The CFDA number for CACFP is 10.558. Institutions must also make these records available for review or audit by officials of federal agencies, the General Accounting Office, and the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) or designee.

Institutions expending \$750,000 or more in federal funds from all federal sources combined in any fiscal year must receive an audit, in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart F, for that fiscal year. Audits must be:

- Completed within nine (9) months of the end of that fiscal year;
- Submitted to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse (FAC) by the earlier of 30 days following receipt of the completed audit or 9 months following the end of the fiscal year.

If a tribe or tribal organization opts to not make the reporting information publicly available on the FAC website in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart F Section 200.512(b)(2), a copy of the data collection form and reporting package must be submitted to OSPI, Child Nutrition Division.

If you have questions regarding audits, [please email Jeff Booth](#) or call 360-725-6217.

Day Care Home Section

The *Sponsor Application* in WINS includes a *Day Care Home* section that addresses advances, startup funds, and expansion funds. These funds may be available to sponsors upon request and with OSPI approval.

Sponsors requesting an advance should indicate the amount being requested for administrative expenses. The maximum advance amount allowed is calculated based on ninety percent of the monthly average of the first nine months of this federal fiscal year administrative earnings. Advance funds are not immediately available, as they must be issued by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). Sponsors requesting advances must have their renewal applications submitted by September 15, to allow time for payment processing. No more than one month's advance can be provided to a sponsor and no more than two months of

outstanding advances are available during a fiscal year. If a sponsor is terminated or self-terminates, any outstanding advances are due immediately.

Sponsors with fewer than 50 homes may apply for start-up funds for recruitment of additional homes. Contact Mary Nagel, Community Nutrition Programs Supervisor, for additional information.

Sponsors planning to expand operations into rural or low-income areas may apply for expansion funds. Expansion funds may not be awarded to the same sponsor in two consecutive years. Contact the CACFP supervisor for details.

BUDGETS

Sponsors administrative budgets for FY20 can be completed by going to the *Budget* tab in WINS and selecting *Renew*. Review and update your budget information and then select the *Submit to OSPI* button.

Key Reminders for the FY20 Budget:

- Budgets must be based on the average number of homes claimed to date in the current fiscal year.
- Sponsoring organizations with carry-over funds must include the carry-over amount in the annual administrative budget. Carry-over amounts are not known until the end of the fiscal year. A budget revision will be required for those sponsors with carry-over funds.
- If there are changes regarding the earned leave benefit method, a new “letter of intent” needs to be submitted.

All items listed in the budget must be charged to the CACFP according to FNS 796-2, Rev. 4 and other applicable circulars. Comprehensive Budget Instructions and CNS Policy 38, are available upon request.

SITE APPLICATION

Federal regulation requires Race and Ethnic data be collected each year for the current population your facility serves as well as the potentially eligible population in your service area.

Race and ethnic data of your current population can be taken from completed Enrollment forms or Enrollment Income Eligibility Applications. If these forms are incomplete and do not provide a true representation of your facility, a visual observation of race and ethnic data can be recorded to fulfill this requirement. The total of children in the ethnic category should equal the total attendance of children and be entered as whole numbers. The number of children placed in the race category can exceed the number of children in ethnic category, as a child can identify as more than one race.

The assessment of potentially eligible population in your service area can be done by using census or school data. These numbers should be entered as percentages. Please use either one of these links to find the appropriate data set.

[School data](#)

Enter the school district in which your facility is located in the school report card search. Select the Diversity Report Card, and select Enrollment by Student Demographics. For Ethnicity, report the percentage of Hispanic/Latino races shown here. For Non-Hispanic, subtract the Hispanic/Latino races percentage from 100 to get this value. List race information as shown on this page.

[Census data](#)

Search the city where your facility is located on the QuickFacts page in the search bar. Record the data located under the Race and Hispanic Origin heading. For Ethnicity, report the percentage of Hispanic/Latino races shown here. For Non-Hispanic, subtract the Hispanic/Latino races percentage from 100 to get this value. List race information as shown on this page.

Please use these definitions when assessing race and ethnic data:

Ethnicity

Hispanic or Latino. A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. The term “Spanish origin” can be used in addition to “Hispanic or Latino.”

Not Hispanic or Latino.

Race

American Indian or Alaskan Native. A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

Asian. A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

Black or African American. A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. Terms such as “Haitian” can be used in addition to ‘Black or African American.’

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander. A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

White. A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

MANAGEMENT PLAN

Sponsor management plans for FY20 can be completed by going to the *Management* tab in WINS and selecting *Renew Management Plan*. The management plan is used to assist in evaluating the financial viability, organizational capability, and administrative accountability of the sponsor. Review each part of your management plan carefully for accuracy and update as appropriate. Complete the federal staffing standards question by providing the percent of time each job position spends on monitoring duties and ensure all position descriptions have been submitted to OSPI.

PROGRAM APPLICATION SUBMISSION AND APPROVAL

After you have completed the program application, budget, and management plan renewal, go to the renewal checklist to verify all components have been submitted. Once the status of your application shows as “submitted”, the program specialist will be alerted your application is ready to be reviewed for approval.

Applications must be submitted by October 1, 2019.

INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

Please contact your program specialist with any questions. This information is also available on [OSPI's Bulletins webpage](#).

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The LEA/Sponsor hereby agrees that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d to 2000d-6) and all requirements imposed by the regulations of the Department of Agriculture (7 CFR Part 15), The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA), Department of Justice (28 CFR Parts 42 & 50), the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, Enforcement of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Title

IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 U.S.C. § 1681 et. seq.), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age of Discrimination Act of 1975 (45 CFR Part 91), the Americans with Disabilities Act (28 CFR Part 35, Title II, Subtitle A), and Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) directives or regulations issued pursuant to that act and the regulations to the effect that no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, gender, age, or disability, be excluded from participation in, or be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subject to discrimination under any program or activity for which the applicant received federal financial assistance from the department; and **HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT** it will immediately take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement.