DEPARTMENT CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS AWARDED THE 2016 ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW AND TRAINING GRANT

(BOISE) – The Idaho State Department of Education Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) has been awarded the 2016 Administrative Review and Training (ART) Method II Implementation Grant by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Superintendent Ybarra announced today.

With this award, CNP will create and provide online and in-person training and technical assistance to support National School Lunch Program (NSLP) sponsors in the administration of school nutrition programs. Projects include numerous topics, such as:

- Administration and implementation of USDA NSLP regulations
- Meal pattern adherence
- Idaho specific cycle menu
- Nutritional quality of meals in schools
- Sponsor collaboration

This ART Grant award will help NSLP sponsors create more successful programs to support the health, wellness, and education of Idaho’s next generation.

For more information about the NSLP, please visit the USDA’s website http://www.fns.usda.gov/nslp/national-school-lunch-program-nslp.

For more information about school meal programs conducted through the Idaho State Department of Education Child Nutrition Programs, please visit the website http://www.sde.idaho.gov/cnp/sch-mp/.

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