

To: NSLP Director

From: Child Nutrition Programs

Subject: Providing Meals to Needy Children During an H1N1 Related School Dismissal

The School Nutrition Foundation (SNF) in partnership with USDA has resources and tools on the website at:

<http://www.schoolnutrition.org/Content.aspx?id=12860>

This information addresses information contained in two USDA Policy Memos released in July 2009 outlining how school and community organizations may continue to provide reimbursable meals to low-income children during potential school dismissals. Please refer to our Idaho State Department of Education, Child Nutrition Website for these guidance's. Meals served during these dismissals may be claimed through the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) or the National School Lunch Program's Seamless Summer Option (SSO).

If you did not have a chance to visit the SNA (School Nutrition Association) webinar yesterday the notes can be found at this above site.

Please make yourself familiar with these materials. We will continue to pass information along as we receive it from USDA.

Sincerely, Colleen

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Eskerrik Asko! (Thank you in Basque)