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Memorandum

To: Institutions Participating in the Child and Adult Food Care Program (CACFP)

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Subject: Child Nutrition Programs' Flexibilities for School Year 2018-19

On Thursday, November 30, 2017, the Food and Nutrition Service published an Interim Final Rule entitled Child Nutrition Programs: Flexibilities for Milk, Whole Grains, and Sodium Requirements. The Final Rule provides targeted flexibilities Child Nutrition Program (CNP) operators for School Year 2018-2019.

Effective July 1, 2018, **one** of the flexibilities addressed in this final rule will apply to the Child and Adult Care Food Program:

Milk: Flavored, low-fat (1 percent fat) milk may be provided to Child and Adult Care Food Program participants 6 years of age and older. No demonstration of hardship will be required.

The current meal pattern requirement allows *flavored, fat-free (skim) milk* for participants 6 years and older.

If there are any questions, please contact the NC CACFP Nutrition Training and Policy Team at CACFPtraining@dhhs.nc.gov or call 919-707-5784. You may also contact your regional consultant.

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