TO: Family Day Care Home Sponsors  
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SUBJECT: FDCH Claim Amendment Options

Due to technical advances brought about by the on-line claim system, the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) is offering family day care home (FDCH) sponsors two options on when to submit Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) claim amendments.

FDCH sponsors may submit claim amendments in the Michigan Education Information System (MEIS):

1. Immediately upon the amendment of a day care home claim or
2. According to the following schedule:

   - Cumulative October/November amendments by March 1.
   - Subsequent October/November and December through February amendments by June 1.
   - Subsequent October/February and March through May amendments by September 1.
   - Subsequent October/May and June through September amendments by January 1.

The exception to this schedule would be for claim amendments required from reviews or audits – these revisions must be entered into the MEIS FDCH on-line claim immediately.

Rarely, there may be unique or unusual circumstances, such as appeals, that can be dealt with on a case-by-case basis.

Please contact our office at (517) 373-7391 if you have any questions.