

AFTERSCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM



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Afterschool Snack Program

To be eligible to qualify, programs:

- Must be eligible to operate NSLP
- Purpose is to provide care in afterschool settings
- Must include education or enrichment activities in organized, structured, and supervised environment
 - Must be operated by the school
 - School facilities do not need to be used




Afterschool Snack Program

Schools can start up a program at any time:

- Amend CNAP/MEGS+ at any time
- Provide sufficient information to MDE to determine eligibility
- Documentation that site is located in an area served by a school that is 50% F/R
- For all other sites, documentation of F/R eligibility based on F/R snacks claimed




Afterschool Snack Program Reimbursement

- May seek reimbursement for one snack, per child, per day
- Children eligible to participate through age 18
- Age limit for mentally or physically impaired individuals is through age 26 of the current school year
- Sites $\geq 50\%$ F/R receive free rate for all children served



Afterschool Snack Program Times of Operation

- Can only be served after the school day has ended
- Eligibility is based on when the scheduled school day ends
 - Kindergarten program ending at noon and children remain at school under a care program described earlier
 - Split sessions – children enrolled in early session may receive a snack even though the school continues to operate a later academic session



Afterschool Snack Program Requirements

- Four components:
 - Fluid milk
 - Meat/meat alternate
 - Grains
 - Fruit/vegetable/juice
- Two of the four components must be served
- Juice may not be served when milk is the only other component
 - If smoothie served, credits as either milk OR juice and another component must be served



Afterschool Snack Program Self Monitoring Review

Michigan Department of Education
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School Nutrition Programs

AFTERSCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM SELF-MONITORING REVIEW

School Name	Agency /
School/Agency ID#	Division

(One review per building MUST be completed PER SCHOOL per school year.)

Area/Eligible Meal Count System	Yes	No	N/A
1. Is the site area eligible?			
2. Are children receiving snacks at no charge?			
3. Are snacks served to children being counted and claimed as well?			
4. Are snacks served to children being counted as the Point of Service?			

Non-Area/Eligible Meal Count System	Yes	No	N/A
5. Is the site non-area eligible?			
6. Does the meal count system produce an accurate count of reimbursable meals by category (free, reduced price, and paid) served to eligible children at the Point of Service?			
7. Are snacks that meet meal pattern requirements counted and claimed for reimbursement?			
8. Does the meal count system present snack identification?			

General Operations	Yes	No	N/A
9. Correctly operation for the snack program			
10. Is the program operated after the end of the normal school day?			
11. Is there a sign-in sheet or roster of students who participate in the Afterschool Snack			




Questions?

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