



Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) Bulletin

Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) Bulletin No. 24 - SFA-VCR & Town Hall Reschedule Update - January 7, 2026

The School Food Authority Verification Collection Report (SFA-VCR) is open. **The deadline for completing the SFA-VCR is February 1, 2026.** The web-based SFA-VCR is accessible through the Michigan Nutrition Data System (MIND 2.0) at [MILogin for Business](#).

This report is mandatory for:

- All School Food Authorities (SFAs) that operate the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and/or the School Breakfast Program (SBP)
- All Residential Child Care Institutions (RCCIs) that operate the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and/or the School Breakfast Program (SBP), including RCCIs that are exempt from verification requirements
- Partial Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) districts

This report is not required for:

- Districts that are entirely Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) - the report has been certified by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE)
- Special milk only sponsors

Instructions for completing the SFA-VCR can be found on the School Nutrition Website under [Steps to Complete Verification](#) and are included below.

- [Instructions for Public and Non-public Sponsors Completing the SFA-VCR](#)
- [Instructions for RCCIs Completing the SFA-VCR](#)

SFA-VCR Training Opportunities:

Topic: Tuesday @ 2 SNP Training SFA-VCR

Date: Tuesday, January 13, 2026 - [register](#)

Time: 2:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Accessing the SFA-VCR:

1. Log into your [MILogin for Business](#).
2. Click on the Michigan Nutrition Data System 2.0 link in your MILogin for Business account. If you do not have this link, the [Requesting Access to the MIND 2.0 Link in MILogin for Business](#) help document will walk you through.
3. Click on the School Food Authority-Verification Collection Report (SFA-VCR) tab at the top of the page.
4. If you have access to more than one agency, choose your agency from the “Select an Agency” dropdown. If you only have access to one agency, you do not need to make a selection from the dropdown.

MIND User Access

If you need to request access to the SFA-VCR or have an authorized official approve your request, here are informational help pages.

1. [Requesting Access to a Specific Program in MIND 2.0](#)
2. [Approving MIND 2.0 Level 3 Access - EEM Authorized Officials Only](#)
3. [Approving MIND 2.0 Levels 1 and 2 Access - MIND 2.0 Level 3](#)

ONS Town Hall New Date and Time

The ONS Town Hall that was previously scheduled for January 28, 2026, has been rescheduled to take place on February 4, 2026.

When: February 4, 2026, 02:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_3XE53r-JT4S-A0-OyMJ4kg

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

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