



# Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) September 2023

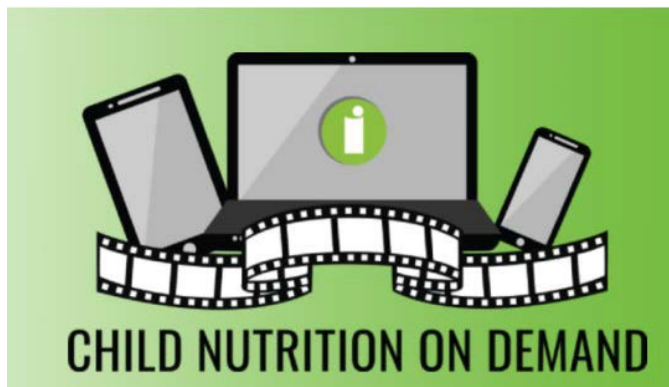
## Thinking Thursdays Webinar



### The Institute of Child Nutrition (ICN) presents Child Nutrition on Demand

Over the years, ICN has led thousands of trainings with networking and professional development being a common thread. During these trainings, learners have shared a desire to hear others' stories and how they navigate specific topics.

The [Child Nutrition On Demand](#) video series brings together child nutrition directors to share their experiences while providing an educational and actionable outcome.



Join us for September's Zoom webinar.

When:  
September 21, 2023,  
02:00 PM Eastern Time  
(US and Canada)

Topic:  
New Program Training

Register in advance for  
this webinar:

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

## Now Available! Child Nutrition Label Quiz!

Let's see how much you know about Child Nutrition (CN) labels with Team Nutrition's latest web quiz! [The Child Nutrition Label Quiz](#) helps operators identify products that may need a CN label and understand the requirements for accepting CN labeled products. The quiz consists of 10 self-paced questions that provide feedback for correct and incorrect answers. The user has the opportunity to retake the quiz and retry the questions as many times as desired. This quiz was created to support the information found in the [CN Labeling Program](#) and [Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs](#).

This quiz is the newest addition to [Team Nutrition web quizzes](#) that cover a variety of nutrition and Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) related topics. These short quizzes can be used for self-paced knowledge assessments, at trainings, or at other nutrition events as a fun and engaging learning activity. Upon completion of each quiz, users receive a score along with a link to resources that can help expand their knowledge on the topic and build their menu planning skills. The quizzes are also available as widgets, so they can be easily embedded and displayed on other web pages to support training.

## Sponsors of the Child Nutrition Programs must use the updated 2022 [USDA Nondiscrimination Statement](#) and “And Justice for All” posters.

### Timelines and Guidance Reminders are as follows: 2022 Nondiscrimination Statement (NDS)

- Sponsors' websites should be updated; deadline was August 3, 2022
- Printed and electronic documents, pamphlets, brochures, training materials, etc. using old 2015 NDS language must be updated when the current supply on hand is exhausted or by September 30, 2023
- All new printed and electronic materials must use the 2022 NDS

### “And Justice for All” (AJFA) posters

- There are no new updates from USDA on the new “And Justice for All Poster”
- Continue to use/post the current “And Justice for All Poster”
- Do not remove the current AJFA posters until the new 2022 posters are received
- Posters may be printed from the FNS webpage at [And Justice For All Posters \(Guidance and Translations\) \(Food and Nutrition Service \(usda.gov\)\)](#)
  - Posters must be printed in color in the required 11x17 size and 14-point font
  - It is recommended that sponsors only print as needed at this time; avoid mass printing

### Non-Compliance

Sponsors may be cited for non-compliance if:

- updated NDS and the AJFA posters are not displayed
- updated NDS is not posted on websites or informational materials
- sponsors cannot demonstrate a plan in place to make such updates

## Now Available:

### **Crediting Handbook for the Child and Adult Care Food Program in Spanish!**

The Spanish translation of the [Crediting Handbook for the Child and Adult Care Food Program](#) is now available online. The Crediting Handbook plays an important role in helping CACFP operators to plan nutritious, age-appropriate meals with diverse options. The Crediting Handbook is a supplementary resource to the [Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs](#) and contains additional information on creditable foods served in child and adult care centers including crediting grains in ounce equivalents.

You can check out Team Nutrition's other resources for CACFP at <https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/child-care-organization>

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