

Updated Federal Micro-Purchase and Simplified Acquisition Thresholds

This announcement provides notification that procurement thresholds have been updated by the [Office of Management and Budget](#), effective Oct. 1, 2025. The final rule at [90 FR 41872](#) amends the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to further implement a statute, which requires an adjustment every five years of statutory acquisition-related thresholds for inflation.

Thresholds administered under Federal awards are referenced in [48 CFR 2.101 \(also known as FAR 2.101\)](#) and increased to the following starting Oct. 1, 2025:

- Federal micro-purchase threshold – increased from \$10,000 to \$15,000 and;
- Federal simplified acquisition threshold (formerly known as the Federal small purchase threshold) – increased from \$250,000 to \$350,000.

State agencies and program operators are reminded to continue referencing Federal procurement regulations at [2 CFR 200](#), which cite the above regulations. This update applies to all Child Nutrition Programs, including the [National School Lunch Program](#) (NSLP), [School Breakfast Program](#) (SBP), [Child and Adult Care Food Program](#) (CACFP), and the [Summer Food Service Program](#) (SFSP).

State and local agencies continue to possess the authority to set lower micro-purchase and simplified acquisition thresholds, thereby imposing more restrictive procurement requirements. If the state has not set a lower threshold, local Program operators may set higher limits in line with regulations found at [2 CFR 200.320\(a\)\(1\)](#).

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