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## Child and Adult Care Food Program Reimbursement Rates for Fiscal Year 2017

The Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) is a United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)-funded program administered by the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) which provides reimbursement for meals served to children ages birth through 12 years enrolled in a day care home. To participate in the CACFP, a day care home provider must sign an agreement with a sponsoring organization before participating and receiving monies for serving nutritious meals in the CACFP.

The reimbursement rates for participating Day Care Home providers for qualifying meal reimbursement are updated annually each year. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) has issued the following Child and Adult Care Food Program reimbursement rates effective July 1, 2016, through June 30, 2017.

|         | <u>Breakfast</u> | Lunch/Supper | <u>Snack</u> |
|---------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Tier I  | \$1.31           | \$ 2.46      | \$.73        |
| Tier II | \$ .48           | \$ 1.49      | \$.20        |

Sponsoring organizations are responsible for the administration of the CACFP for day care home providers. Sponsoring organizations participating in the CACFP must be a not-for-profit or public organization and must have a signed agreement with the Illinois State Board of Education to provide reimbursement to licensed and license-exempt day care homes. The administrative payment for sponsoring organizations of day care homes effective July 1, 2016, through June 30, 2017 is as follows:

| Initial first 50 day care homes | \$112.00 |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Next 150 day care homes         | \$86.00  |
| Next 800 day care homes         | \$67.00  |
| Any additional day care homes   | \$59.00  |

If you have any questions please contact CACFP staff.