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**Child and Adult Care Food Program  
Reimbursement Rates for Fiscal Year 2018**

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

The reimbursement rates for participating Day Care Home providers for qualifying meal reimbursement are updated annually each year. The USDA has issued the following Child and Adult Care Food Program reimbursement rates effective July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018.

	<u>Breakfast</u>	<u>Lunch/Supper</u>	<u>Snack</u>
Tier I	\$1.31	\$2.46	\$0.73
Tier II	\$0.48	\$1.48	\$0.20

Sponsoring organizations are responsible for the administration of CACFP for day care home providers. Sponsoring organizations participating in 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, 2017, through June 30, 2018 is as follows:

Initial first 50 day care homes	\$114.00
Next 150 day care homes	\$87.00
Next 800 day care homes	\$68.00
Any additional day care homes	\$60.00

If you have any questions, please contact CACFP staff.