Provider Services

ISBE Nutrition & Wellness Programs
Day Care Homes

The USDA's Child and Adult Care Food Program(CACFP) plays a vital role in improving the quality of day care and making it more affordable for many low-income families.

Why Is The CACFP Important To Day Care Home Providers?

- Allows for financial assistance to providers for serving healthier meals to the children in the provider's care.
 - Higher reimbursement for the providers that have lower economic means or live in an area that is statistically lower economically.
- Through sponsoring organizations, providers are educated to follow established nutritional meal patterns.

CACFP Statistics

- Each day, 3.2 million children receive nutritious meals and snacks through CACFP nationwide.
- In Illinois for FY11, there was an average of 7,786 providers participating in the Illinois CACFP.

Topics

- Outreach
- Enrollment
- Maintaining Current Provider Activity
- Provider Transfer Between Sponsors
- Training

Outreach

- Recruitment Policies
- Expansion Plans

Sponsor's Requirement

- The sponsor's permanent file must include the Outreach and Recruitment policy of the sponsor.
 - Permanent file attachment #12

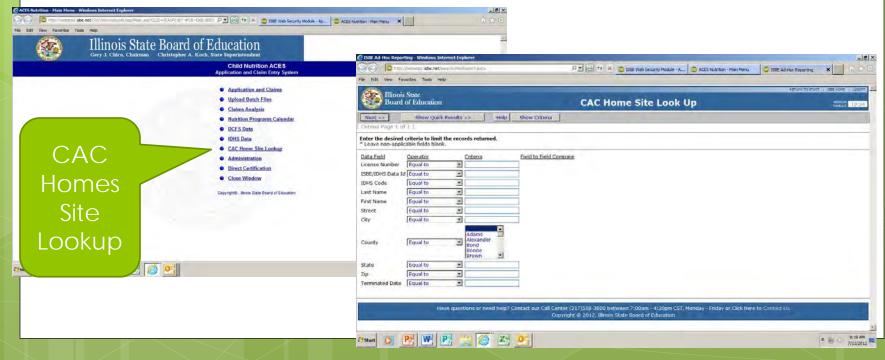
Recruitment Policies

- The purpose of the policy is to ensure the sponsor is not recruiting another sponsor's provider.
 - Using the ISBE website, sponsor must ensure that the provider is not participating with another sponsor.
 - Prior to conducting an introductory visit, the sponsor must ask, "Has another sponsoring organization been out to see you regarding the CACFP?"
 - Before signing the agreement the sponsor representative must ensure the new provider understands signing the agreement is a commitment to the sponsor's CACFP program.

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Ensure The Provider Is Not Participating With Another Sponsor

 IWAS/ACES CAC Home Site Lookup of providers already participating in the Illinois Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP).



"Has another sponsoring organization been out to see you regarding the CACFP?"

- If yes, have you signed any documents with this organization?
 - If yes, the monitor or staff person must inform the provider they will not be out to visit because the provider has already signed with another CACFP sponsoring organization.
 - Remind Provider: Sponsor/Provider Agreement: Provider Rights and Responsibilities #1.

Sponsor/Provider Agreement

Child and Adult Care Food Program SPONSOR/PROVIDER PERMANENT AGREEMENT

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SPONSORING ORGANIZATION
In accordance with Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) regulations, the sponsoring organization agrees to:

Complywith provisions of CACFP 228.15 and 228.

RIGHT'S AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PROVIDER

In accordance with Child and Adult Care Food Program regulations, the provider agrees to:

Enter into an agreement with only one sponsoring organization that is either a public or private nonprofit
organization participating in the Child and Adult Care Food

CERTIFICATION

We certify we will comply with the rights and responsibilities outlined in this Agreement. The provider certifies he/she is not participating in the Child and Adult Care food Program under any other sponsoring organization. The provider understands this Agreement is for the receipt of federal funds and deliberate misrepresentation may subject him/her to prosecution under applicable state and federal criminal statutes.

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF PROVIDER (Type or Print) Site #	NAME OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION (Type or Print)	
DATE OF BIRTH	LICENSE NUMBER	
SIGNATURE AND DATE OF PROVIDER	SIGNATURE AND DATE OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVE	

Signed Sponsor/Provider Agreement Is A CACFP Permanent Contract!

• ISBE will use the first signed sponsor agreement date to determine the new provider's sponsorship in the case of disputes.

Expansion Plans

- Regulation 226.12(b)
- Start-up and expansion payments.
- (1) Prospective sponsoring organizations of day care homes,which meet the criteria in paragraph (b)(2) of this section shall be entitled to receive start-up payments to develop or expand successful Program operations in day care homes.

Who Is Eligible?

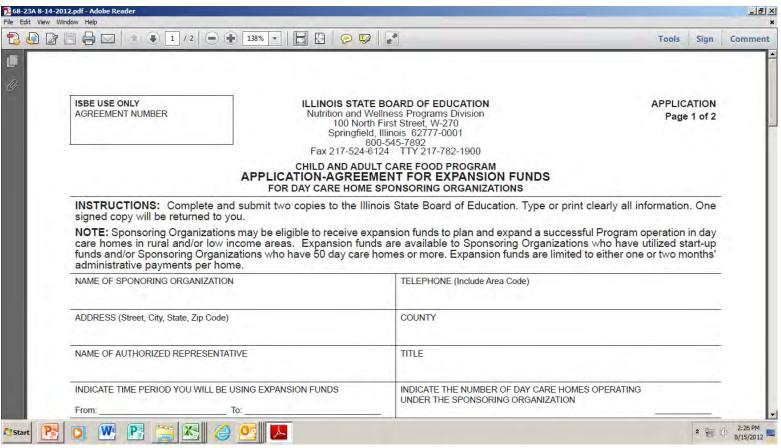
• Sponsoring Organizations may be eligible to receive expansion funds to plan and expand a successful Program operation in day care homes in un-served rural and/or low income areas. Expansion funds are available to Sponsoring Organizations who have utilized Start-up Funds and/or Sponsoring Organizations who have 50 day care homes or more. Expansion funds are limited to either one or two months' administrative payments per home.

How Frequently Can The Expansion Plan Funds Be Requested?

Regulation 226.12 (b) Start-up and expansion payments.

....the request must be for expansion into an area(s) other than that specified in their initial or prior request; and 12 months has elapsed since the sponsoring organization has satisfied all obligations under its initial or prior expansion agreement.

ISBE 68-23A, Application Agreement for Expansion Funds



What Qualifies As An Un-Served Area?

- Zip codes are no longer used as an unserved area in Illinois.
- ISBE accepts submission of un-served census block groups.

How Much Expansion Funding Is Available?

- The maximum funding available is limited to 50 homes times the initial current administrative payment rate for 2 months.
- FY 2013 50 * \$107 = \$5,350 * 2 = \$10,700

Expansion Plan Expenditure Requirements

- Expenses cannot be included in the Day Care Homes budget or expenditure reporting.
- May require allocation of time and resources to the expansion for a period of time.
 - Duties allocated for the expansion require explanation for the DCH coverage if the position was previously allocated to the DCH program for the expansion duties and period.

Expansion Plan Example

 John will work 20% for the 2 months of the expansion plan period.

John salary	100%
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Day Care Homes 80%	2 months
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John's Benefits 100%

Expansion Plan20%

Day Care Homes 80%

Requirements To Fulfill The Expansion Plan Grant?

- At completion, the Sponsor must be able to confirm the success of the expansion.
- Any budgeted funds unspent after the expansion period must be returned.

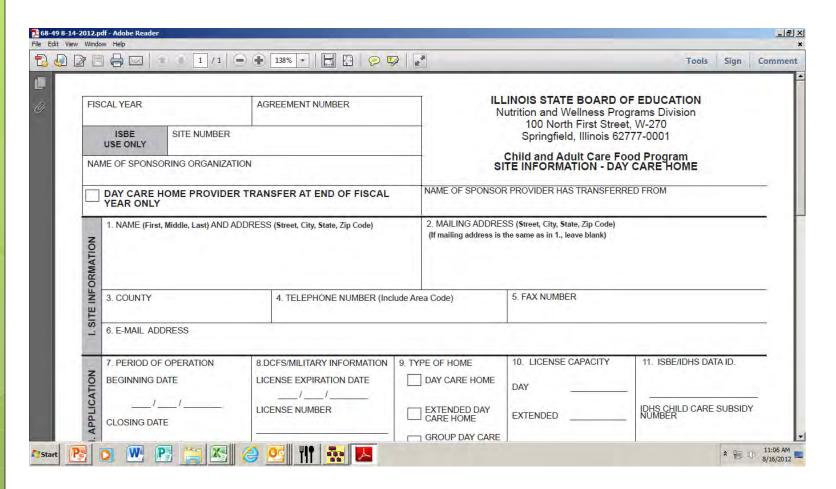
Program Enrollment

- Forms
- Qualifying Criteria
- Tiering
- Submitting providers to ISBE for approval
- Approval by ISBE

Forms

- Site Application
- Enrollment forms (for children under 13 attending the provider's daycare)

Site Application: ISBE Form 68-49



Site Application Components

- Fiscal year
- Agreement number of sponsor
- ISBE site number (provided by ISBE-IWAS)
- Name of sponsoring organization
- Name and actual address of provider
 - Must agree with the data from the agency qualifying participation
- Pertinent information for day care:
 - Mailing address of provider
 - County of residence of provider
 - Telephone number and fax number of provider
 - Email address

- Operation beginning and ending dates
- Qualifying criteria
 - DCFS-license information
 - Expiration date
 - License number
 - Type of day care (day care, extended care, group day care)
 - License capacity(day, extended, night)
 - IDHS –(ISBE/IDHS data ID, IDHS child care subsidy number

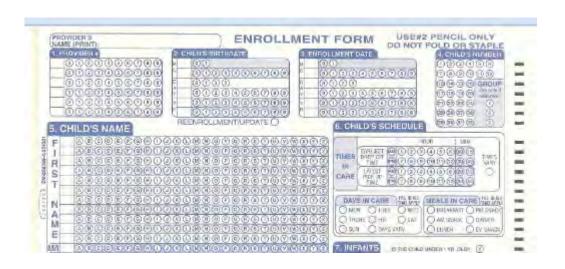
- Operation days of the week (Sun thru Sat)
- Days of service per month (exact number)
- Current enrollment (own, foster, outside)
- Serving times
 - Beginning and ending times for each meal service served by provider
 - ISBE recommends two hours between beginning time of each meal service

- Tiering information (determined and completed by sponsor)
 - Schools assigned to provider's address (to be confirmed by sponsor)
 - Verification of school area by sponsor
 - Approved (Yes or No)
 - Date of contact
 - Contact person
 - Census block and printout of determination
 - Completed and verified Household Income Eligibility Application(HEA)

- Certification by provider
 - Date and signature of the provider
 - Date and signature of sponsor representative

Child's Enrollment Form

Example (Minute Menu Form)



Required Components Of Child(ren)Enrollment Form

- Organization's name, address and agreement number
- Provider's name and address
- Fiscal year—effective dates of the enrollment form
- Full names of enrolled child(ren) (Multiple children from one family listed on one enrollment form.)
- Indication if provider's own child
- Indication of foster child residing in provider's home
- Birth date and age of each child
- Days of week each child is in care

Required Components Of Child(ren)Enrollment Form-Continued

- Time each child arrives and each child leaves (including when they leave for school and come back from school)
- Meal types each child will be served
- Statement explaining CACFP
- Signature, date, and telephone number of parent or guardian
- Racial ethnic categories
- Civil rights clause and complaint procedure

Example Of Statement Explaining The CACFP

• eg, As a day care home provider, it is required that all children entering the provider's home for care must have a completed enrollment form from the parent or guardian. Your provider receives reimbursement for serving nutritious meals to children in his/her care. As a parent/guardian, you are required to complete the information about your child(ren). This will assist the agency who provides reimbursement to your provider that all children in his/her care receive the appropriate meals at no separate charge to you.

Civil Rights Clause And Complaint Procedure

"In accordance with Federal law and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 or call toll free (866) 632-9992 (Voice). Individuals who are hearing impaired or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339; or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer."

Qualifying Criteria

- DCFS
 - License Status Codes
 - Two name licenses
- IDHS
 - Type of Care Codes

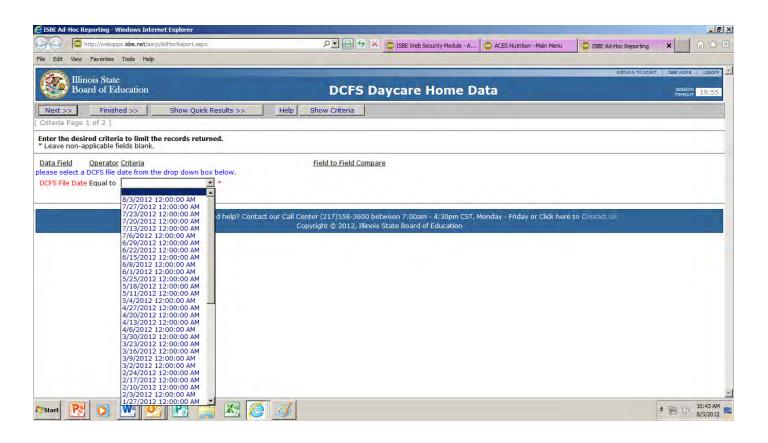
DCFS License Status Codes

- Every Friday, DCFS sends updated database to ISBE
- Sponsors can find updated information in IWAS

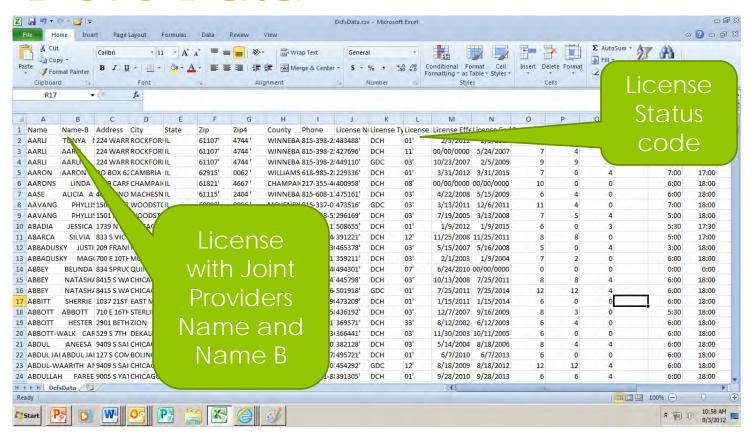
DCFS Data In IWAS



Select A DCFS Batch



DCFS Data



DCFS Active License Status Codes

- 01 Issue License, Amend License, Transfer License
- 12 Pending Renewal Application
- 13 Pending New Entity
- 14 Pending Address Change Application
- o 37 Permit

DCFS Active License Status Codes(Less Common)

- 09 Pending Revocation
- 16 Successor Application
- 18 Provisional to Full
- 19 Amend Permit
- 35 Conditional License
- 38 Provisional License

New DCFS License Status Codes

 As new active license status codes are added by DCFS, ISBE adds the code to the payable status for ISBE/IWAS database.

DCFS Pending Codes

- A pending code indicates that a provider is "pending" a change and DCFS is aware but has not finalized the approval of the change. The code indicates the provider is still qualified to participate. The previous license continues to be valid during the pending period.
- Exception: Pending code 13.

DCFS Licenses For Joint Providers

- A DCFS license issued with two names means that both individuals are jointly responsible for the day care and therefore must be jointly responsible for the CACFP.
- Pending Code 13 (Entity change) can indicate a new name is being added to the license or one of the existing licensees is being removed.
 - Only the original license and original license period qualify the provider until the new entity license becomes active.

Joint Names On License

- Both names must be listed on the ISBE site file when submitted to ISBE for approval.
- Both are responsible for the license and therefore the day care.
- CACFP reimbursement checks must be made to both individuals, jointly.

New Procedure

 ISBE has issued the Adding licenses with Joint Names instructions to facilitate these dual names in our existing system.

Adding Joint Names To IWAS: **Same Last Name**

John Doe (Name) and Jane Doe (Name-B)

Enter into IWAS

First Name field

John and Jane

Last Name field

Doe

Reference: Adding Sites with Joint Provider DCFS Licenses

Adding Joint Names To IWAS: **Different Last Names**

John Doe (Name) and Jane Alexander (Name-B)

- Enter into IWAS
 - First Name field
 - Last Name field

John

Doe and Jane Alexander

Reference: Adding Sites with Joint Provider DCFS Licenses

Changing IWAS For Existing Providers With DCFS Licenses With Two Names

- Effective 11/1, all sponsors were required to add the additional name to the IWAS file.
- ISBE reviewed and approved the existing added name for all existing DCFS licensed providers.

For All New Site Files Effective 11/1/12

• When the license in the DCFS data has two names (Name and Name B) the provider site files must be submitted with both the Name and Name-B or ISBE will not approve the file for participation.

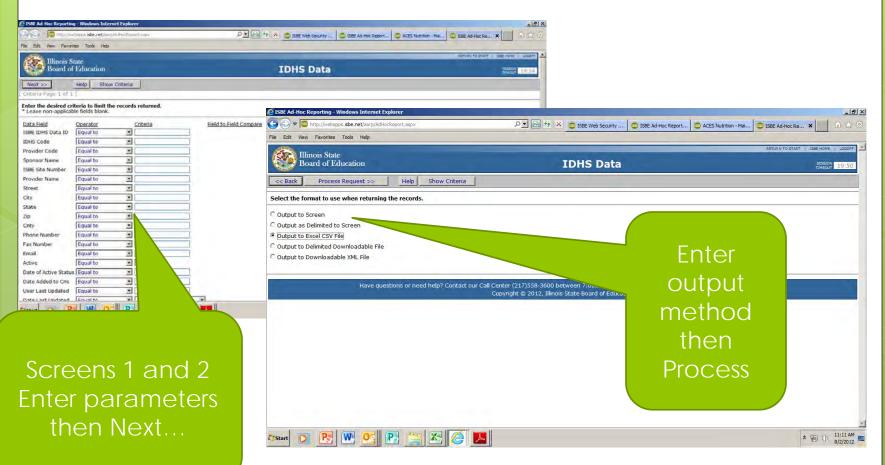
IDHS Qualifying Criteria

- A provider qualifying by IDHS must show as true in the IWAS – IDHS data.
 - 764- Day Care Home Exempt from Licensing
 - 765- Relative (Exempt from Licensing). Care provided in the home of a relative. (Not the home of the child.)
- Updates of IDHS data are received monthly for the end of the previous month.
- Providers with expiring IDHS accounts are automatically updated to IWAS as inactive effective the end of the prior month.

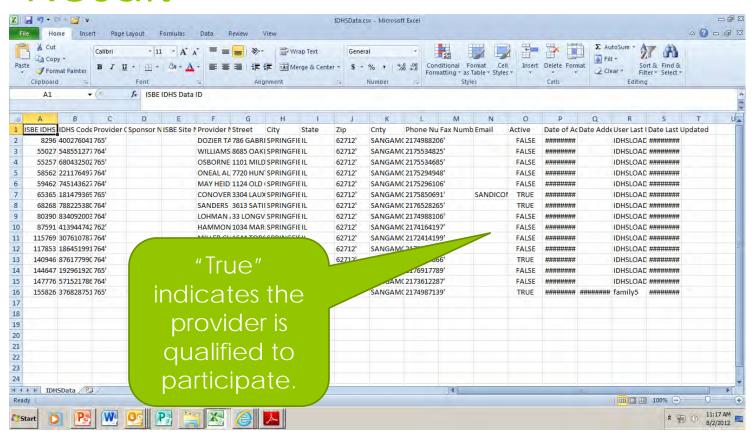
IWAS IDHS Data



IWAS-IDHS



Result



Tiering

- Sponsoring organizations are responsible for determining funding eligibility of family day care homes.
- Refer to Webinar: Tiering on the ISBE Family Day Care Homes Website

http://www.isbe.net/nutrition/htmls/daycare_home.html

When Is A New Provider's Application File Ready To Be Submitted To ISBE For Approval?

- Introductory Visit has been conducted
- Sponsor/Provider Agreement has been signed
- Completed and signed site information
- Confirmed qualifying criteria
- Completed Tiering determination

Approval By ISBE

- Verification that provider is not currently participating with another sponsor in the current fiscal year.
- Verification of qualifying criteria: DCFS or IDHS.
- Verification that provider is not Seriously Deficient(SD) or on the National Disqualified List(NDL).
 - Joint names on DCFS license- both individuals must be submitted and checked.

Maintaining Provider Activity

- Changes To Provider's Site Application
- Inactivating Providers
- Reactivating Providers

When Should The Site Application Be Updated?

- Name changes.
- Address changes.
- Phone number changes.
- Changes in days or hours of operation.
- Change in meal services to be claimed.
- Changes in the program qualifying criteria.
- Changes in the activity of the provider.

What Is The Sponsor's Responsibility To ISBE

- Provider site information must be current and accurate.
- Sponsor providers files must be updated to IWAS at a minimum, twice a month.
- Sponsor must be sure all active providers roll into the sponsor's IWAS record each fiscal year.
 - Sponsor's must not rollover inactive providers to the new fiscal year.
- Sponsor's must promptly inactivate providers after 3 months of inactivity.

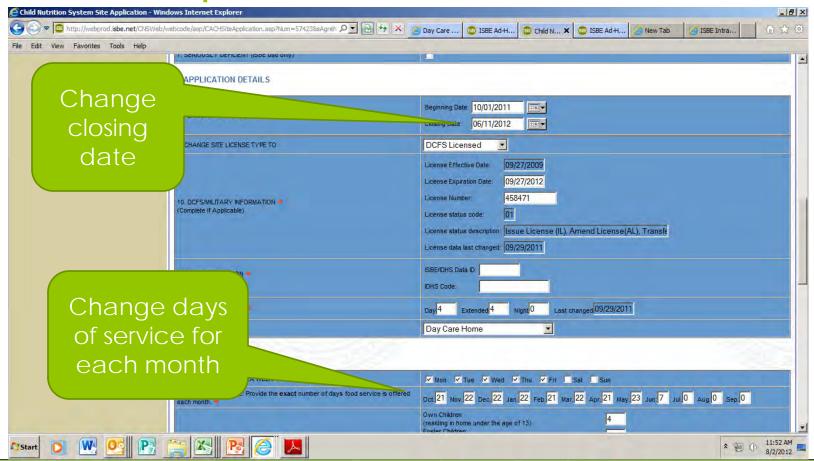
Sponsor's Responsibility For Inactivation Of Providers

- If a provider is inactive for three months or more,
 - And in good standing, the Sponsor's responsibility is to make the provider inactive in the ISBE-IWAS system.
 - If in corrective action, or owes funds to the CACFP,
 - Upon discovery of inactivity of the provider, the serious deficiency process must be completed.
 - Provider in the serious deficiency process (to include corrective action) must satisfy the deficiency through the sponsor discovering the deficit PRIOR to transfer to another sponsor.

How Does A Sponsor Make A Provider Inactive?

- Change the operation period.
- Changes the number of days of participation by month.

Example In IWAS



Provider Non- Compliance Avoidance

- Providers may attempt to avoid further serious deficiencies by becoming inactive.
- The Provider In the Serious Deficient process cannot be made inactive.

If SD process is followed,

- When becoming re-active in a subsequent fiscal year. the ISBE IWAS file indicates the status.
 - The SD or terminated record (NDL) remains in the IWAS system regardless of the year of re-entry.
- Prevents a serious deficient provider from re-entry without correction of the deficiencies through the initial sponsoring organization.

Re-Activating During The Same Fiscal Year.

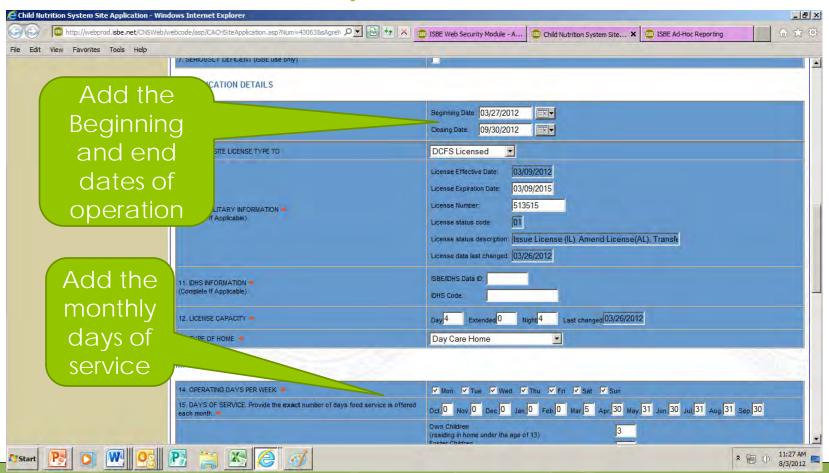
- If a provider leaves or becomes inactive with their sponsoring organization during the fiscal year, then at a later date wishes to participate again, the provider must return to their original sponsor or wait until the beginning of the next fiscal year.
- Exception only-Termination for Convenience
 - Must be approved by ISBE

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Re-Activating Providers

- If provider re-actives:
 - Within the fiscal year, sponsor changes dates in IWAS.
 - In subsequent years, sponsor submits provider as a new providers using the prior ISBE site number.
- ISBE must approve the provider to reenter.

IWAS Example Reactivation



Approval of Reactivation

ISBE approves files that are received by 7:30AM each Tuesday.

Transfer Of Providers Between Sponsors

- Provider Responsibilities
- Sponsor Responsibilities
 - Sponsor receiving Transferring Provider
 - Original Sponsor

Sponsor's Responsibility

 Sponsoring organizations are required to have a transfer/move policy in each provider's handbook.

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Provider's Responsibility

Sponsor/Provider Agreement #24

Child and Adult Care Food Program SPON SORING ORGANIZATION/PROVIDER PERMANENT AGREEMENT

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SPONSORING ORGANIZATION In accordance with Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) regulations, the sponsoring organization agrees to:

Comply with provisions of CACFP 7 CFR Part 228.

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PROVIDER

In accordance with Child and Adult Care Food Program regulations, the provider agrees to:

- Enter into agreement with only one sponsoring organization that is either a public or a private nonprofit
 organization participating in the CACFP.
- 24. Follow the state age no/s policy that restricts the transfer of day care home providers between sponsoring organizations during a fiscal year. Day care home providers are allowed to change sponsoring organizations at the end of the fiscal year (September 30) only if there is a valid reason for the change. The provider must notify their sponsor in writing that they wish to transfer to another organization. This notification must be completed no later than September 10 each fiscal year.

The provider and the sponsor agree this is a permanent and binding agreement and can be terminated by either party with written notice for cause or convenience or subject to stipulations by the State agency. Failure to comply with any of the terms of this agreement may result in loss of reimbursement to the provider, which could include suspension and/or termination of the agreement and disqualification of future CACFP participation.

CERTIFICATION

We certify we will comply with the rights and responsibilities outlined in this Agreement. The provider certifies he/she is not participating in the CACFP under any other sponsoring organization. The provider understands this Agreement is for the receipt of federal funds and deliberate misrepresentation may subject him/her to prosecution under applicable state and federal criminal statutes. The provider also understands CACFP payments are contingent upon availability of federal funds.

NAME AND ADD RESS OF PROVIDER (Type or Print)	NAME OF SPONSORIING ORGANIZATION (Type or Print)
DATE OF BIRTH	LICENSE NUM BER
SIGNATURE AND DATE OF PROVIDER	SIGNATURE AND DATE OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVE

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Provider's Requirement

- A day care home provider must contact a sponsoring organization requesting to change sponsorship prior to September 10. This date never alters.
 - The day care home provider must notify their current sponsor in writing telling them they will no longer participate with them as of September 30.

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Sponsor Receiving The Transferring Provider

- The new sponsoring organization must conduct a pre-approval visit (introductory visit) and submit the Site Information sheet to ISBE by the October 1 cutoff date.
 - The new sponsoring organization should remind the provider to send a letter to their old sponsor notifying them of their end date and inform that if they do not follow this process it could affect their transfer.

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Original Sponsor's Requirement

- The original sponsor must submit a September 30 end date for the provider on their current year batch file before transferring their new fiscal year batch file in October.
- When submitting the new fiscal year batch file, no providers should appear on that batch file if they were inactive at the end of the previous fiscal year or transferring to another sponsor.

Reference: ISBE Nutrition Programs Procedures and Guidance-510 Outreach and Recruitment

Training

- Required areas
 - Introductory visit requirements
 - Civil Rights
 - Ongoing training requirements
- Methods of Training
- Amount of Training
- Documentation of Trainings

Regulation 226.6 (2)B (4)

(4) Sponsoring organization operations. A renewing sponsoring organization must document in its management plan that it will: (i) Provide adequate and regular training of sponsoring organization staff and sponsored facilities in accordance with §§ 226.15(e)(12)....

Introductory Visit With Perspective Provider

- Provide overview of program and program requirements.
- Provider overview of sponsor.
- Provide initial training and sponsor's provider information packet for program compliance and all regulation required training areas.
 - Copy of introductory visit form is a requirement of the Management Plan Permanent File.
 - Permanent File Attachment 18: Per-Approval Form

Initial Required Training Areas Regulation 226.16 (d) 2

Training on Program duties and responsibilities to key staff from all sponsored facilities prior to the beginning of Program operations. At a minimum, such training must include instruction, appropriate to the level of staff experience and duties, on the Program's

- meal patterns,
- meal counts,
- claims submission and review procedures,
- recordkeeping requirements,
- o reimbursement system.

Attendance by key staff, as defined by the State agency, is mandatory;

4 Week Review

- Required 4 weeks after the provider initial claim date:
 - Review the provider's records to assure program compliance.
 - Any errors and irregularities must be explained and documented.
 - Errors, such as serving meals with missing components, may not rise to the level of serious deficiencies for new day care homes (except fraudulent claiming situations).
 - Any ineligible meals discovered must be disallowed.

Civil Rights Training Requirement

Regulation FNS Instruction 113-1

The purpose of this Instruction is to establish and convey policy and provide guidance and direction to the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) and its recipients and customers, and ensure compliance with and enforcement of the prohibition against discrimination in all FNS nutrition programs and activities, whether federally funded in whole or not.

ISBE Civil Rights Requirements and Trainings

• Mandatory Training—Annual training is required so people involved in all levels of the CACFP understand all the civil rights requirements. Persons who must receive civil rights training are frontline employees/volunteers who interact with the children/students, including monitors and those who supervise frontline staff. We strongly recommend you use the trainings available on our website at

http://www.isbe.net/nutrition/htmls/civil_rights.htm .

The presentations are saved in two different formats, PowerPoint or PDF, so there is a format that will work on all computers.

Civil Rights link on ISBE Website



ISBE Family Day Care Homes Website

 Civil Rights teaching tools available on the Family Day Care Homes website: http://www.isbe.net/nutrition/ppt/civil_rights htts_admin_trng0611.pdf

Ongoing Training Requirements

- Regulatory requirements
- Corrections of deficiencies
- Other training
 - Nutritional information
 - Other training areas

Ongoing Training Requirements Regulation 226.16 (d) 3

Additional mandatory training sessions for key staff from all sponsored child care and adult day care facilities not less frequently than annually. At a minimum, such training must include instruction, appropriate to the level of staff experience and duties, on the Program's:

- meal patterns
- o meal counts,
- claims submission and review procedures,
- recordkeeping requirements,
- o and reimbursement system.

Attendance by key staff, as defined by the State agency, is mandatory.

Other Training Topics

- The sponsor may offer other training to increase the knowledge of the provider for the program:
 - Nutritional Education.
 - Any other training considered pertinent to the CACFP operation of the provider.

Acceptable Methods Of Training

- Provider meetings
- At the provider's home (monitoring reviews)
- Through newsletters
- Through webinars

Amount Of Training

- The sponsor must provide enough training to assure that the provider has sufficient knowledge to satisfactorily comply to required program compliance.
- Provider reviews by sponsor monitors, ISBE monitors and other governmental monitors provides attest to the provider's training.

Length Of Time Of Training

- ISBE recommends a minimum of 2 hours, annually.
- The initial visit to the provider should be a minimum of 2 hours.
- The 4 week review should be a minimum of 2 hours.
- Training may be provided at a review.
 - the **actual** time must be recorded on the review form.

Documentation of Trainings

- Provider
- Sponsor

Provider Documentation

- At a review, the provider must have documentation to support they have met the annual training requirement.
 - ISBE requires a minimum of 2 hours per year.
 - Copies of documentation to support the completed training.

Sponsor Documentation Of Training

- Sponsor must keep annual log of completed trainings and training time of the provider.
- Sponsor must keep documentation of the actual training materials offered to the providers:
 - Newsletters and answer key
 - Seminar agendas and related materials and/or PowerPoint outlines.

Training At The Review

• Note: Automatic assigning of training credit hours are prohibited based on the amount of time solely spent at the review. Annual training must be based on actual verifiable and documented training by sponsoring organization staff.

Streamlined Annual Renewal Management Plan-FY2013 Instructions

Annual Sponsor Requirement For Provider Training

- Provider Training Attachment 19 and 20
 - List training topics and dates that the topics were trained on
 - Topics to be covered to include:
 - Meal patterns
 - Meal counts
 - Claim submission and claim review procedures
 - Record keeping requirement
 - Program reimbursement system

Results Of Inadequate Training

- Meal deductions due to non-program compliance.
- Corrective action for provider for nonprogram compliance.
 - Repeat deficiency could result in serious deficiency or program termination.
- Insufficient training offered by the sponsor.
 - Repeat deficiency could result in serious deficiency or program termination for sponsorship.

Providers That Refuse Training

- USDA recommend that the sponsor not renew an agreement with a provider who does not complete mandatory training by the end of the year. The training requirement, and the consequence of not meeting it, should be clearly stated in the sponsor/provider agreement.
 - ISBE Sponsor/Provider Agreement Provider Responsibilities #3.
- The sponsor can deny and return a provider claim when the provider does not attend mandatory training.

Positive Results Of Training

- A provider that is properly trained in all areas of the CACFP should be able to comply to program regulations.
 - Less meal deducts and errors.
 - Less non program compliance at reviews.

In Summary

- As a sponsoring organization, the sponsor is responsible to the provider for all facets of the CACFP to include:
 - Entry into the program
 - Initial and ongoing training
 - Changes to the sponsor's daycare and operation

Sources

- ISBE Procedures and Guidance
 - 510 Outreach and Recruitment
 - 520 Provider Site Information
 - 530 Provider Training
- Adding Sites with Joint Provider DCFS licenses.
- Regulations 226

Questions?



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