Summer Food Service Program
Permanent Agreement Between Sponsoring Organization and Site

Name of Sponsoring Organization

Address of Sponsoring Organization (Street, City, State, ZIP)

Name of the Site where the Sponsoring Organization will be operating

Physical Address of Facility (Street, City, State, ZIP)

Mailing Address of the site, if different from physical address (Street, P.O. Box, City, State, ZIP)

Agreement

This permanent agreement specifies the rights and responsibilities of the above-named Sponsoring Organization (Sponsor) and the site as participants in the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). By signing this permanent agreement, both parties are bound by its terms and conditions from its beginning effective date until terminated. The Sponsor may terminate the permanent agreement for cause, convenience or mutual consent or solely by the facility without cause or mutual consent. If the Site Authorized Representative or Sponsoring Organization Authorized Representative change, this agreement is null and void.

Shared Responsibilities

1. Record daily the:
   a. menus, food items and quantity used to serve children;
   b. meal type and meal count (taken at the point of service) served to each child; and
   c. roster of children in attendance (attendance must be kept separate from the actual meal count).

Who is responsible for making sure this happens? (List Sponsor, Organization, or Facility and Title/Position responsible)

Where will the meal records owned by the sponsor be kept? ___________________________________________

2. Only claim creditable meals served to children (as defined by USDA regulation) during the approved SFSP meal times.

Who is responsible for making sure this happens? (List Sponsor, Organization, or Facility and Title/Position responsible)

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Rights and Responsibilities of the Sponsor

The Sponsor agrees to:

1. Train site supervisor according to SFSP requirements.
2. Provide Technical Assistance (TA) when problems are cited during monitoring visits, upon request from the site, and/or as needed.
3. Provide SFSP record-keeping forms to site at no charge, and ensure the site maintains records on-site according to SFSP record-keeping requirements.
4. Ensure all meals claimed meet SFSP requirements.
5. Allowable meal combinations for SFSP
   a. Breakfast only; Lunch only; Snack only; Supper only;
   b. Breakfast and Snack; Breakfast and Lunch; Breakfast and Supper; Lunch and Snack; Supper and Snack; or Two Snacks;
   c. Camp or migrant site sponsors may serve up to three meals (including snacks) each day. This can be any combination of meals or snacks that is less than the maximum reimbursement allowed
6. Conduct announced and unannounced monitoring reviews of the facility's food program operation according to SFSP requirements during the site’s normal hours of operation, including weekends, if applicable. Photo ID is required of all sponsor’s staff.
7. Submit changes to the site to the state agency for approval. These changes include all information stated in the site application in the SNP system online.

8. Ensure all Sponsors operating SFSP maintain and possess documented evidence of a current health inspection certificate issued by the Arkansas Department of Health and meet all fire codes by their local fire department. All Sponsors must be ServSafe certified by October 2020.

9. Notify the site in writing when terminating this permanent agreement to participate in the SFSP. The Sponsor will give a 10-day written notice when terminating without mutual consent. If the health or safety of a participant is at risk, the Sponsor may terminate the permanent agreement without prior notice. The Sponsor must notify the State Agency and ensure public notification.

10. Ensure policies and procedures do not exclude or limit participation, benefits or activities of a facility based on race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability.

11. Accept final administrative responsibility for ensuring the site takes reasonable steps to provide services and information, both orally and in written, in all appropriate languages.

12. Responsible for the coordination of clean-up and trash removal for meal service.

Rights and Responsibilities of the Site

The site agrees to:

1. Notify Sponsor immediately if there is a need for a change effecting the meal service, including days, times, and/or types of meals served.

2. Receive mandatory SFSP training prior to program participation and annually thereafter.

3. Allow representatives of the Sponsor, State Agency, USDA and other state and federal officials to enter the site, announced or unannounced, to review SFSP operations and records during the meal service. Individuals making such reviews must show photo identification of their employment with one of these entities.

4. Serve meals to all participants without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability.

5. All eligible children participating in SFSP are not charged for meals.

6. Meet all local health, sanitary code requirements, and fire code requirements.

7. Notify the Sponsor in writing if terminating this permanent agreement to participate in SFSP. The site will give a 10-day written notice when terminating without mutual consent. If the site terminates this permanent agreement and want to participate in SFSP under another Sponsor during the same program year, the facility must notify the State Agency. Additionally, a facility may terminate this permanent agreement with its current Sponsor, with proper notice, and apply to participate in SFSP individually as a Sponsor the next fiscal year.

8. May contact the State Agency at any time with questions, concerns, or problems with the Sponsoring Organization.

9. Notify state agency of any changes that occur within this agreement.

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Certification of Active Agreement

We, the undersigned, do hereby make and enter into this contract. By so doing, we do certify that the information contained in this document to be true and correct to the best of our knowledge and is provided for the purpose of obtaining federal financial assistance. We do mutually agree to comply with the SFSP federal regulations (7 CFR, Part 225, as amended), Uniform Federal Assistance Regulations (7 CFR, 3015, as amended), and state policies and procedures as issued and amended by the State Agency. The Site does further agree to perform as described in its application for participation in the SFSP (including approved amendments to the application). We understand that the deliberate misrepresentation or withholding of information may result in prosecution under applicable state and federal statutes.

Effective Date From: ____________________________ until terminated.

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Signature – Site Authorized Representative / Title ____________________________ Date ____________________________

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Signature – Sponsoring Organization Authorized Representative / Title ____________________________ Date ____________________________

If for any reason the above agreement is terminated, complete the certification below.

(This section to be completed ONLY when the contract between the Sponsor and the Site is terminated)

Termination of the above Agreement

We, the undersigned, do hereby terminate this contract. We understand that the deliberate misrepresentation or withholding of information may result in prosecution under applicable state and federal statutes.

Effective Termination Date: ____________________________.

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Signature – Authorized Representative terminating the agreement / Title ____________________________ Date ____________________________

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Signature – Authorized Representative being terminated / Title ____________________________ Date ____________________________