

38th National
CHILD NUTRITION CONFERENCE
 CACFP · AFTERSCHOOL MEALS · SUMMER FOOD

Monday, April 22


8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Registration and Information Desk Open - Panzacola Registration
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	USDA Listening Session for State Agencies - <i>By Invitation Only</i>
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	CACFP Certification Program Overview - Panzacola G
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	Navigating the Conference Q&A - Panzacola G
4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Professional Networking Strategies & Tips - Panzacola G
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Regional Networking Reception - Sebastian Foyer

Tuesday, April 23

Sessions in orange are hybrid (onsite/virtual) sessions. All sessions are in Eastern Time. They will be available to watch on demand through May 15, 2024.

7:00 am - 6:00 pm	Registration and Information Desk Open - Panzacola Registration			
7:15 am - 7:45 am	CACFP Creditable Tools & Resources - Panzacola G			
8:00 am - 9:00 am	SFSP Overview - Panzacola G			
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Group Meetups - <i>See page 16 for locations</i>			
9:00 am - 1:30 pm	Exhibit Hall Open - Gatlin BC			
9:15 am - 10:15 am	CACFP Overview - Panzacola G			
9:15 am - 10:15 am	State Agency Collaboration - <i>By Invitation Only</i>			
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Mid-Morning Coffee Break - Gatlin BC			
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	State Agency Office Hours - <i>See page 21 for locations</i>			
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	National Conference General Session - Gatlin DE			
		Gatlin DE	Panzacola G	Panzacola F-4
3:15 pm - 4:15 pm	Featured Speakers	USDA CACFP Policy Update	SFSP Spotlight: Summer in Florida	Rosen Hotels: Nurturing Wellness from Childhood to Workplace
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Open - Gatlin BC			
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Welcome Reception - Gatlin BC			

Schedule At-A-Glance

7:00 am - 6:00 pm		Registration and Information Desk Open - Panzocola Registration													
7:00 am - 8:00 am		Breakfast, Coffee & Conversation - Sebastian JK													
7:15 am - 7:45 am		Shop Talks - Refer to page 25 for topics and locations													
		 Panzocola G is exclusively for hybrid (onsite/virtual) sessions. You're welcome to attend these sessions onsite, but you may also attend another session during the same time block and watch these later on demand.													
		Panzocola F-1	Panzocola F-2	Panzocola F-3	Panzocola F-4	Panzocola G	Panzocola H-1	Panzocola H-2	Panzocola H-3	Panzocola H-4	Sebastian I-1	Sebastian I-2	Sebastian I-3	Sebastian I-4	
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Workshops Session One	Connecting Nutrition with Family Engagement	Discovering STEM in the Kitchen	Bridging the Gap: Addressing Food Insecurity in Rural Communities	CACFP in Emergency Shelters	Childhood Obesity Prevention & Early Nutrition Education	CACFP Administrative Budgets	CACFP Afterschool Meals Overview	Using Go NAPSACC to Support State and Program Level CACFP Efforts	Year-Round Celebration: Summer Meals Training and Planning	Grown for Kids: Farm to Preschool Collaboration	Menu Planning 101: A Guide to Mealtime Success	Child Nutrition Reauthorization: Continued Advocacy for the CACFP	Communicating with Impact	
9:15 am - 10:15 am	Workshops Session Two	Conducting Monitoring in the CACFP for Head Start	Motivating Children to Eat Healthy Foods	Plant-Forward Menus: A Guide to Successful Integration	Serious Deficiency Process: Current and Proposed Requirements	Procurement Standards for Sponsors & Centers	Cost Allocation for Center & Home Sponsors	Engaging Your Community in Your Meal Program	Financial Viability Fundamentals for CACFP and SFSP with MH Miles	Rural, Non-Congregate Meals: Summer 2023 Lessons Learned	Growing CACFP Beyond the Kitchen	Ounce Equivalents Made Easy with the Exhibit A Grains Tool	State Childcare Licensing: Tools to Support Physical Activity	Finding the Leader in You	
9:30 am - 1:00 pm		Exhibit Hall Open - Gatlin BC													
10:30 am - 11:00 am		National CACFP Sponsors Association Annual Meeting - By Invitation Only													
12:00 pm - 12:30 pm		Pizza Party Lunch - Gatlin BC													
12:30 pm - 1:00 pm		CACFP Professionals' Celebration - By Invitation Only													
1:15 pm - 2:15 pm	Workshops Session Three	Emergency Preparedness in Head Start	Celebrating Diverse Food Traditions in Child Care	An Adventure Through MyPlate Resources	Administrative Review Preparedness for Sponsors	Taking a Bilateral Approach to Self-Care	Financial Management for Center Sponsors	Out-of-School Time Meal Program Sponsors' Stories	Simplify CACFP Recordkeeping with LogATot	Food Banks & SFSP: Vendors, Caterers, and Hot Meals	Enriching Learning Outdoors with Farm to ECE	Beginners' Guide to Crediting Recipes	Civil Rights 101: Compliance with Civil Rights Requirements	Identifying and Hiring Top Talent	
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Workshops Session Four	CACFP Head Start and Food Service Regulations	Fuel Your Mind & Body: Menu Planning, Nutrition & Activities	Healthy Minds & Bodies: Sesame Resources to Promote Emotional Well-Being	Serving Traditional Indigenous Foods	A Fresh Perspective: Embracing New Foods	Investigating Fraud, Waste & Abuse in Federally Funded Programs	Serving Communities Year-Round Through Afterschool Meals & the SFSP	Voyatek's CACFP Cloud-Based System for State Agencies	Serving Up Fun at Summer Meal Sites	Exploring One Vegetable, One Community	Managing Food Allergies in the CACFP	Expanding Access to the CACFP	Resilience: The Key to Overcoming Challenges	
3:45 pm - 4:45 pm	Workshops Session Five	Fueling Minds and Bodies with Family Style Dining	Addressing Feeding Concerns & Nutrition Therapy	Evaluating the Effectiveness of the Family Child Care Food Safety Kit	Successful State Agency Compliance Reviews	Serious Deficiency Process	Best Practices for Developing a Financial Management Process	Afterschool Meals: Feeding Children for a Healthier Future	Menu Planning Made Easy: Health-e Pro Software Demo	Embracing Diversity in Your Summer Meal Program	Farm to ECE: Digging Deeper into Cooking and Nutrition	Empowering Operators: Team Nutrition Resources	Grassroots Advocacy 101	Promoting Well-Being: Managing Workload & Boundaries	
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm		Shop Talks - Refer to page 39 for topics and locations													
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm		Spell it with Me Now: C-A-C-F-P Bingo - Panzocola G													

Thursday, April 25

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7:00 am - 5:30 pm		Registration and Information Desk Open - Panzacola Registration												
7:00 am - 8:00 am		Breakfast, Coffee & Conversation - Sebastian JK												
7:15 am - 7:45 am		Shop Talks - Refer to page 42 for topics and locations												
		Panzacola F-1	Panzacola F-2	Panzacola F-3	Panzacola F-4	Panzacola G	Panzacola H-1	Panzacola H-2	Panzacola H-3	Panzacola H-4	Sebastian I-1	Sebastian I-2	Sebastian I-3	Sebastian I-4
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Workshops Session Six	Level Up Your Training: Physical Activity in ECE and CACFP Settings	Cultural Responsiveness: Exploring Religion, Heritage, and Halal	Charting CACFP Success Strategies by Mapping Child Care Providers	Serving School Meals to Preschoolers	Compliance with Confidence: Sponsor Monitoring and Oversight	Sponsoring Summer Food: Keys to Financial Management	Food Security Beyond Program Walls	Taking the Paper out of CACFP Paperwork with KidKare by Minute Menu	Non-Congregate Summer Meals: A Deep Dive into Possibilities	Advancing Farm to ECE: From Seed to Sprout	Snack Attack: Elevate Your Snack Game	Accommodating Individuals with Disabilities in Community Meals	99% A Human, 1% Amazing
9:15 am - 10:15 am	Workshops Session Seven	Preventing Food Allergies: Introducing the Top 9	Making Healthy Eating Fun	Mindfulness and SEL Practices for Educators and Children	The Kitchen Sink: Food Preparation, Safety, and Efficiency	Artificial Intelligence for Child Nutrition	Developing a CACFP Budget		Embracing Technology to Maintain USDA Compliance	Summer Supplement: Understanding How EBT Expands Access	Growing Wins Across Early Childhood and Food System Sectors	Crediting Basics & Beyond in the CACFP	Why CACFP Matters: Policy & Advocacy Priorities	Effective Training Methods for Onboarding
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Workshops Session Eight	Limiting Added Sugars in the CACFP	Promoting Responsive Feeding Practices in Early Childhood Settings	Creating Natural Outdoor Learning Environments	Completing Claims Like Clockwork	Beyond Beginners: Next Level Menu Planning	Preparing for CACFP or SFSP Audits	Leveraging State and Federal Funds to Support Participation	CACFP Training Program & Nutrition Calendar	Non-Congregate Summer Meal Service	Sowing Seeds of Impact: USDA Farm to School Grants	Identifying Whole Grain-Rich	How Climate Change Impacts Food Insecurity	Fostering a Positive Work Culture
11:30 am - 1:00 pm		Buffet Lunch - Gatlin BC												
1:15 pm - 2:15 pm	Workshops Session Nine	CACFP Meal Pattern Jeopardy	Learning to Love Veggie-Inspired Snacks and Meals	Partnering with Cooperative Extension to Improve Eating Patterns	Navigating Home Monitoring Situations	Growing Healthy Foundations: Farm to ECE Made Easy	Procuring Local Foods for Child Nutrition Programs	Increasing Participation in Afterschool Meals	Nourishing Resources with Goya MyPlate Recipes & Better For You Products	Underdogs Unite: Collaboration for Deeper Impact on Child Hunger		Get the Facts! CN Labels & Product Formulation Statements (PFS)	Civil Rights Compliance and Special Diets in the CACFP	Inclusive Communication
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Workshops Session Ten	Combating Resistance: Uniting Education Staff and Nutrition Teams	Decoding Food Labels	Feeding Infants	Oversight and Monitoring of the CACFP	Navigating Special Diets	Budgeting and Compliance for Sponsors	Making the Connection: Brain Foods For Healthy SEL	Understanding Overhead with Your Part-Time Controller	A Collaborative Approach to Summer Meals	Feed the Soil: Let's Compost!	Quizapalooza: Are you a Meal Pattern Super Star?	Promoting Participation: Advancing CACFP in Your State	People, Problems, and Pups
		Panzacola G				Panzacola F-1				Panzacola H-1				
3:45 pm - 4:45 pm	Featured Speakers	USDA SFSP Policy Update				The Unconscious Mind: Implicit Bias				The Power of the Food Program				
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm		Shop Talks - Refer to page 53 for topics and locations												
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm		USDA Town Hall - Panzacola G												

Friday, April 26

7:00 am - 12:30 pm	Information Desk Open - Suwannee Registration
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Rising Leaders Coffee Hour - Suwannee 17
9:15 am - 10:15 am	CACFP Meal Pattern Exceptions - Suwannee 17
10:30 am - 11:30 am	More About CACFP: Ask Us Anything! - Suwannee 17
11:45 am - 12:30 pm	CACFP Professional Certification Q&A - Suwannee 17