

INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES
(Effective July 1, 2017 until June 30, 2018)

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	FAMILY INCOME EQUALS OR IS BELOW:			FAMILY INCOME IS BETWEEN:			FAMILY INCOME EQUALS OR IS ABOVE:		
	FREE MEALS			REDUCED MEALS			PAID MEALS		
	YEAR	MONTH	WEEK	YEAR	MONTH	WEEK	YEAR	MONTH	WEEK
1	15,678	1,307	302	15,678-22,311	1,307-1,860	302-430	22,311	1,860	430
2	21,112	1,760	406	21,112-30,044	1,760-2,504	406-578	30,044	2,504	578
3	26,546	2,213	511	26,546-37,777	2,213-3,149	511-727	37,777	3,149	727
4	31,980	2,665	615	31,980-45,510	2,665-3,793	615-876	45,510	3,793	876
5	37,414	3,118	720	37,414-53,243	3,118-4,437	720-1,024	53,243	4,437	1,024
6	42,848	3,571	824	42,848-60,976	3,571-5,082	824-1,173	60,976	5,082	1,173
7	48,282	4,024	929	48,282-68,709	4,024-5,726	929-1,322	68,709	5,726	1,322
8	53,716	4,477	1,033	53,716-76,442	4,477-6,371	1,033-1,471	76,442	6,371	1,471
FOR EACH ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBER	+5,434	+453	+105	+7,733	+645	+149	+7,733	+645	+149

Using the Income Eligibility Guidelines – The income eligibility guidelines are used to categorize the household income reported on the income eligibility form into the free, reduced or paid category. For example, if the monthly income for a family of two is \$**1,354** or less, the center would be eligible for reimbursement at the Free rate. If the household income for a family of two is between \$**1,354** and \$**2,504** per month, the center would be eligible for reimbursement at the Reduced rate. If the household income for a family of two is \$**2,504** or more per month, the center would be eligible for reimbursement at the Paid rate.

Definition of Income – *Income* means income before any deductions such as income taxes, Social Security taxes, insurance premiums, charitable contributions and bonds. It includes the following: (1) monetary compensation for services, including wages, salary, commissions or fees; (2) net income from nonfarm self-employment; (3) net income from farm self-employment; (4) Social Security; (5) dividends or interest on savings or bonds or income from estates or trusts; (6) net rental income; (7) public assistance or welfare payments; (8) unemployment compensation; (9) government civilian employee or military retirement, or pensions or veterans payments; (10) private pensions or annuities; (11) alimony or child support payments; (12) regular contributions from persons not living in the household; (13) net royalties; and (14) other cash income.

Definition of Household – Household means *family* as defined in Section 226.2. *Family* means, in the case of children, a group of related or nonrelated individuals, who are not residents of an institution or boarding house, but who are living as one economic unit or, in the case of adult participants, the adult participant, and if residing with the adult participant, the spouse and dependent(s) of the adult participant.

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