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Where to Order or Download Publications

Team Nutrition

Team Nutrition, an initiative of the United States Department of Agriculture's Food and Nutrition Service, supports national efforts to promote lifelong healthy food choices and physical activity by improving the nutrition practices of the Child Nutrition Programs. We provide resources to schools, child care settings, and summer meal sites that participate in these programs.

All Team Nutrition resources are available on the Team Nutrition Web site in our resource library (<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/resource-library>). Schools, child care providers (centers, sponsors, and day care homes), and summer meal sites that participate in USDA Child Nutrition programs may request free printed copies of certain materials. Printed materials may also be requested by the State agency administering the USDA Child Nutrition programs and school districts. Eligible entities may request printed copies using our online order form (<https://pueblo.gpo.gov/TN/TNPubs.php>).

For more information about Team Nutrition visit our website at <https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/team-nutrition> or contact:

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Institute Of Child Nutrition (ICN)

The Institute of Child Nutrition (ICN), located at the University of Mississippi, is committed to improving the operation and quality of all Child Nutrition Programs. This is accomplished through staff development programs, training experiences, educational materials, and a national satellite network. The institute is the only federally funded national center dedicated to applied research, education and training, and technical assistance for child nutrition programs. It is funded by a grant from USDA's Food and Nutrition Service.

For information on food service, food preparation, meeting the Dietary Guidelines, food safety or available videos and training packages, visit the website at <http://www.theicn.org/> or contact:

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Quick Website Reference Guide

Food and Nutrition Service Publications

BEST PRACTICES FOR HEALTHY SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/best-practices-healthy-school-fundraisers>

MENU PLANNER FOR SCHOOL MEALS: PLANNING, PREPARING, SERVING,
AND MARKETING HEALTHY MEALS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/resource-library>

MULTICULTURAL RECIPES FOR CACFP

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/cacfp-recipes>

RECIPES FOR HEALTHY KIDS COOKBOOKS: COOKBOOK FOR CHILD CARE CENTERS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/recipes-healthy-kids-cookbook-child-care-centers>

RECIPES FOR HEALTHY KIDS COOKBOOKS: COOKBOOK FOR HOMES

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/recipes-healthy-kids-cookbook-homes>

RECIPES FOR HEALTHY KIDS COOKBOOKS: COOKBOOK FOR SCHOOLS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/recipes-healthy-kids-cookbook-schools>

A GUIDE TO SMART SNACKS IN SCHOOLS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/guide-smart-snacks-schools>

USDA STANDARDIZED RECIPES

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/usda-standardized-recipe>

WHOLE GRAIN RESOURCE FOR THE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND SCHOOL
BREAKFAST PROGRAMS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/whole-grain-resource-national-school-lunch-and-school-breakfast-programs-0>

Food and Nutrition Service Useful Resources

CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/school-meals/child-nutrition-programs>

FOOD BUYING GUIDE CALCULATOR

<http://fbg.nfsmi.org/>

FOOD BUYING GUIDE FOR CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS INTERACTIVE WEB-BASED TOOL

<https://foodbuyingguide.fns.usda.gov/>

FOOD BUYING GUIDE FOR CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS MOBILE APP

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/food-buying-guide-mobile-app>

FNS, FOOD DISTRIBUTION DIVISION (FDD) — USDA FOODS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd>

FNS, USDA FOODS PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEETS FOR CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/nslp-usda-foods-fact-sheets>

FNS HOME PAGE

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/>

TEAM NUTRITION

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/team-nutrition>

TOOLS FOR SCHOOLS

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/healthierschoolday/tools-schools>

WHAT'S COOKING USDA MIXING BOWL

<https://whatscooking.fns.usda.gov/>

Institute of Child Nutrition Resource Center

ICN RESOURCES AND DOCUMENTS

<http://www.theicn.org>

United States Department of Agriculture Useful Resources

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE (AMS)

<https://www.ams.usda.gov/>

FOOD AND NUTRITION INFORMATION CENTER (FNIC)

<https://www.nal.usda.gov/fnic>

FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE (FSIS)

<https://www.fsis.usda.gov>

NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL LIBRARY (NAL)

<https://www.nal.usda.gov/>

NATIONAL NUTRIENT DATABASE FOR STANDARD REFERENCE

<https://ndb.nal.usda.gov/>

<http://www.ars.usda.gov/services/docs.htm?docid=8964>

DIETARY GUIDELINES FOR AMERICANS

<https://health.gov/DietaryGuidelines/>

Other Federal Resources

CENTER FOR FOOD SAFETY AND APPLIED NUTRITION (CFSAN)

<https://www.fda.gov/food/>

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC)

<https://www.cdc.gov/>

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FEDERAL REGISTER

<https://www.federalregister.gov/>

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA)

<https://www.fda.gov/>

NUTRITION.GOV

<https://www.nutrition.gov/>

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

<https://www.epa.gov/>

Food Safety Resources

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION FOOD SAFETY

<https://www.cdc.gov/foodsafety/>

FIGHT BAC! PARTNERSHIP FOR FOOD SAFETY EDUCATION

<http://www.fightbac.org/>

FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE (FSIS)

<https://www.fsis.usda.gov>

FOODSAFETY.GOV (including Food Recalls and Alerts)

<https://www.foodsafety.gov/>

FOOD SAFE SCHOOLS ACTION GUIDE

<http://foodsafeschools.org/>

INSTITUTE OF CHILD NUTRITION FOOD SAFETY ONLINE COURSES

<http://www.theicn.org>

FSIS MOBILE APPLICATIONS

<https://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/newsroom/meetings/feeds-and-subscriptions/apps>

Food and Nutrition Service Regional Offices

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