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Locations Announced for Child and Adult Care Food Program

SALT LAKE CITY – The Utah State Board of Education's Child Nutrition Programs announced that the following institutions are <u>sponsors</u> of the Child and Adult Care Food Program. The same meals will be made available to all children or adults enrolled at these institutions, at no separate charge regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. Furthermore, there will be no discrimination during the course of the meal service.

Children who are members of the Family Employment Program (FEP), Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Food Distribution Programs on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) households, or who are economically qualified Head Start participants, are automatically eligible to receive free meal benefits.

Adults who are members of SNAP, FDPIR, or who are SSI or Medicaid participants, are automatically eligible to receive free meal benefits.

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- 2. Fax: (202) 690-7442; or
- 3. Email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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