



FY 2018 Experienced Sponsor Training Registration Now Available



The FY 2018 SFSP Experienced Sponsor Training is for sponsors that participated in FY 2017 and are continuing with the same Program Contact as last year. This is a one-day training session. Institutions must complete training to apply to the Summer Food Service Program for FY 2018.

This training will cover program regulations, policies, and updates relative to SFSP for experienced sponsors.

Training dates, times, and locations are as follows:

Time:

- 9:00am-4:00pm
- Registration: 8:30am

Dates and Locations:

- January 30, 2018
Bright from the Start: GA Department of Early Care and Learning
Atlanta, GA 30034
- February 8, 2018
Central GA Tech College
Macon, GA 31206
- February 22, 2018
Georgia State University
Atlanta, Georgia 30303
- March 7, 2018
Oconee Fall Line Technical College
Sandersville, GA 31082

To register for training, please log into [GA ATLAS](#) and register for the session of your choosing.

Proactive Planning for Summer 2018

APPLICATION AND PLANNING

SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM

Proactive Planning for Sponsors

Now that your summer meals programs have ended, it is time to begin thinking about and planning for summer 2018. In the [SFSP Administrative Guide](#), pages 161-162 contain a sample checklist of actions to be taken to properly prepare for the upcoming summer meals season. The list includes tips on everything from closing out your current year's meal service to determining which sites are returning. Note that this list is not exhaustive, however it provides tips and information that can be helpful in planning for your upcoming summer meals season.

The checklist can be found on DECAL's website [here](#).



2017 End-of-Summer Survey Still Open



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Thank you for your participation in the FY 2017 Summer Food Service Program. The End-of-Summer Survey is still open for completion. Your collected responses will be submitted anonymously and we will use the information to ensure we are providing you the resources you need to effectively and efficiently participate in the SFSP.

This survey should take no more than 20 minutes to complete. To access the survey, click this [link](#).

If you have any questions about the survey please contact Shani Drake, Marketing & Outreach Manager, at shani.drake@decal.ga.gov or (404) 656-3221.

Thank you for your commitment to serving children free and healthy meals during the summer months!