

NUTRITION NEWS

Helpful Hints & Tips | CACFP Edition XX

• Atlanta Foodservice Expo •

The Atlanta Foodservice Expo 2016 will be held September 19-20, 2016 at the Cobb Galleria Centre. This event will be helpful for institutions and sponsors that would like to solicit more vendors when it is time to advertise bids/gather food quotes, and learn more about the foodservice industry.

For more information, visit the Atlanta Foodservice Expo site [here](#).

• Updated Policy Guidance and Memoranda •

Nutrition Services recently release new policy guidance for all CACFP institutions.

Policy/Policy Memorandums:

- [Requirements for Obtaining a Food Service \(Kitchen\) Inspection \(Version 2\)](#)
- [Bonding Requirements for Food Service Management Companies and Other Subcontractors](#)

All CACFP policies and policy memoranda are available on DECAL's website [here](#) and [here](#).

A NEW AND IMPROVED PDR IS COMING YOUR WAY
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Georgia Professional Development System for Early Childhood Educators

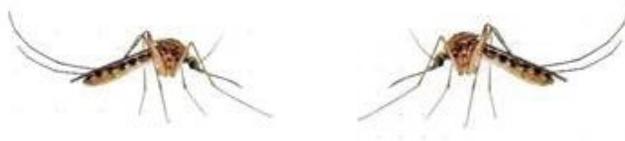
Do you ever feel like keeping up with training certificates and making sure your credentials are updated in the PDR is too much of a hassle? Not for long! In June, the GaPDS goes live, making it easier to track and register for DECAL trainings. Watch for regular emails with details and updates.



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• Protect Yourself from Mosquito Bites this Summers •



Tips to Protect Yourself from Mosquitoes this Summer

Aside from being itchy and annoying, the bite of an infected female mosquito (*Aedes aegypti* or *Aedes albopictus*) can spread dengue, chikungunya, or Zika viruses. People become infected with dengue, chikungunya, or Zika after being bitten by an infected mosquito.

- Female mosquitoes lay several hundred eggs on the walls of water filled containers. Eggs stick to containers like glue and remain attached until they are scrubbed off. When water covers the eggs, they hatch and become adults in about a week.
- Adult mosquitoes live inside and outside.
- Mosquitoes prefer to bite during the day.
- A few infected mosquitoes can produce large outbreaks in a community and put you at risk of becoming sick.

Protect Yourself from Mosquito Bites While Making Visits

- Use an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)-registered insect repellent. All EPA-registered insect repellents are evaluated to ensure they are safe and effective
 - Always follow the product label instructions.
 - Reapply insect repellent every few hours, depending on which product and strength you choose.
 - Do not spray repellent on the skin underneath clothing.
 - If you are also using sunscreen, apply sunscreen first and insect repellent second.
- Treat clothing and gear (such as boots, pants, socks, and tents) with permethrin or purchase permethrin-treated clothing and gear.
 - Treated clothing remains protective after multiple washings. See product information to find out how long the protection will last.
 - If treating items yourself, follow the product instructions carefully.
 - Do not use permethrin products, intended to treat clothing, directly on skin.
- • Wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants.

More information can be found on the Georgia Department of Public Health website at <http://dph.georgia.gov/mosquito-borne-viral-diseases>.