



# Georgia Dept of Early Care and Learning

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November 5, 2024

Greetings Child Nutrition Program Operators,

Nutrition Services provides a monthly Training Announcement that includes all training session(s) offered in the upcoming month(s). The following training session(s) will be offered during the month of **December**.

*[Register today!](#)*

## **CACFP and Happy Helpings Training**

**December 10, 2024 – 1:30 - 2:00 pm**

***Tuesday Tip! It's Snack Time!***

Do you need a quick refresher on serving snacks in the CACFP & Happy Helpings?

Join this webinar to learn meal pattern requirements on incorporating creditable snacks into your meal service.

***Participants can earn one-half [0.50] state-approved hours for attending this training in its entirety.***

**[\[Register Now\]](#)**

**December 16, 2024 – 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**

***Memo Monday***

Have you heard about the new meal pattern updates for the next fiscal year? Do you have questions about what changes will be made that are associated with CACFP? Would you like to serve credible smoothies in your CACFP and Happy Helpings Program?

Please join this webinar for a deeper dive into the following memos:

- **[Meal Pattern Updates due to 2020-2025 Dietary Guidelines for Americans- June 28, 2024](#)**
- **[Geographic Preference Expansion Related to the Final Rule titled, Child Nutrition Programs: Meal Patterns Consistent With the 2020-2025 Dietary Guidelines for Americans- May 22, 2024](#)**
- **[Smoothies Offered in Child Nutrition Programs with Questions and Answers- June 28, 2024](#)**

**[\[Register Now\]](#)**

**Notes:**

**This is a two-step process:**

- **Step 1:** After registering in GA ATLAS, you will receive a Training Confirmation email *immediately* from Georgia DECAL Help Desk -[helpdesk@cnpus.com](mailto:helpdesk@cnpus.com) with a registration link to attend the webinar (**check your spam/junk folder**).
- **Step 2:** You must then register for the training using the link provided on the Training confirmation e-mail.
- If you should have an issue with registering, please contact Leslie Truman prior to the day of training.
- [Click here](#) if you need a refresher on how to register for training in GA ATLAS.

Please note: Only the Program Contact (PC) can self-register within GA ATLAS. If an additional person will be attending, please contact Leslie Truman, Administrative Assistant, at (404) 657-1779 for assistance.

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