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## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Institutions and Sponsors Participating in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)

**From:** Falita S. Flowers, Nutrition Services Director (*Original Signed*)

**Date:** September 9, 2017

**Subject:** Program Flexibilities in the CACFP and SFSP during Disaster Situations

**Legal Authority:** USDA Policy Memorandum, CACFP 12-2014, SFSP 18-2014, CACFP 25-2016, SFSP 18-2016

In light of the recent anticipation of hazardous weather, DECAL would like to remind institutions and sponsors participating in the CACFP and the SFSP of the flexibilities during disaster situations. For more information, please refer to the policy memoranda listed on the DECAL web site under CACFP/SFSP Memos/General Information & Meals/Food Service.

- DECAL Policy Memorandum, Disaster Response, June 9, 2014  
<http://www.dec.al.ga.gov/documents/attachments/DisasterResponse060914.pdf>
- Meal Service during Unanticipated School and Day Care Closures, February 17, 2016  
[http://www.dec.al.ga.gov/documents/attachments/MealServiceDuringUnanticipatedSchool\\_DayCare.pdf](http://www.dec.al.ga.gov/documents/attachments/MealServiceDuringUnanticipatedSchool_DayCare.pdf)

Should your food program operation(s) face unanticipated school and day care closures, damage, or food service disruptions due to this storm system, please contact your assigned Nutrition Services Application Specialist:

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