

Memorandum

Date: December 13, 2018

To: Current & Potential Summer Food Service Program **Sponsors**

From: April D. Catchings, Director of Training and Program Outreach

Subject: 2019 Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) Training Dates

Below are the **2019 SFSP Training Dates**; please add them to your calendars and share them with other sponsors and potential sponsors. SFSP Training sessions are **MANDATORY** if your organization is interested in participating. Dates & locations are subject to change; you will be notified in the event any changes occur. Additional details will be forthcoming.

TRAINING TYPES	TRAINING LOCATIONS	TRAINING DATES
SFSP Informational (New Sponsors Only)	Holiday Inn Trustmark, Pearl, MS	January 9, 2019
SFSP Informational (New Sponsors Only)	Greenwood, MS	February 6, 2019
SFSP (RETURNING Sponsors)	Jackson State University, E-Center	February 20, 2019
SFSP Informational (New Sponsors Only)	Gulfport, MS	March 6, 2019
SFSP (NEW Non-Schools)	Jackson State University, E-Center	March 13 & 14, 2019
SFSP (NEW Non-Schools)	Jackson State University, E-Center	April 10 & 11, 2019

Unfortunately, the Office of Child Nutrition will no longer use the *OCeaN System* for training registrations. *OCeaN* no longer exists for users outside of the MDE network. However, our staff is working diligently on developing an alternative method for registration. As soon as the system has been approved I will provide you with additional details.

If you have any questions, please contact the Division of Training at 601-576-4970.

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