12.28.2015 Fiscal Year Reporting Timeline and Reporting Table

This memorandum shares newly developed resources intended to promote reporting efficiency. The attached “Reporting Timeline” and “Reporting Table” were developed to assist with tracking the diverse reports required to be submitted by State agencies to the Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) throughout the fiscal year.

12.14.2015 CEP: Guidance and Updated Q&As

This memorandum provides updated guidance and Q&A’s that address common questions related to the Community Eligibility Provision. Highlights include clarifying when the identified student percentage (ISP) must be recalculated if a student population changes, providing additional guidance related to grace year eligibility, specifying that a statistically valid sample of ISP names may be reviewed during an administrative review, and, stipulating that eligibility for severe need and 2 cents differential reimbursement is based on an individual school’s ISP multiplied by 1.6.

12.11.2015 State Agencies Selected for FY2016 National School Lunch Management Evaluations

In the continued effort to ensure program integrity and accountability, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) utilizes Management Evaluations (MEs) to evaluate State agency operations. The 20 State agencies listed in this memo will receive a National School Lunch Program Management Evaluation in FY2016.

12.09.2015 Guidance on Travel Assistance Funds and Travel Expenses for States to Implement the Team Up for School Nutrition Success Initiative

This memo provides guidance on allowable uses of funds provided to State Agencies choosing to implement the Team Up for School Nutrition Success initiative in their state.

12.07.2015 Disclosure Requirements for the Child Nutrition Programs

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide a reminder for LEAs regarding the restrictions on disclosure of sensitive information collected through the Child Nutrition Programs. This memorandum also clarifies the applicability of disclosure protections for individual student eligibility information collected for purposes of the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP).

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