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TO: Directors, Supervisors, and Contact Persons Addressed

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## SUBJECT: USDA Frequently Asked Questions and Answers on Fluid Milk Requirements and Offer Versus Serve in CACFP

The USDA recently released memos CACFP 01-2025 and CACFP 02-2025 to clarify fluid milk requirements and the use of Offer Versus Serve, respectively. This memo applies to the Child and Adult Care Food Program only and is for information only.

* [USDA memo CACFP 01-2025: *Nutrition Requirements for Fluid Milk and Fluid Milk Substitutions in the Child and Adult Care Food Program, Questions and Answers*](https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/nutrition-requirements-fluid-milk-qas).
  + This memo also provides updates to terms consistent with the 2024 final rule, [*Child Nutrition Programs: Meal Patterns Consistent With the 2020-2025 Dietary Guidelines for Americans*](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/04/25/2024-08098/child-nutrition-programs-meal-patterns-consistent-with-the-2020-2025-dietary-guidelines-for).
* [USDA memo CACFP 02-2025: *Offer Versus Serve and Family Style Meals in the Child and Adult Care Food Program*](https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/offer-versus-serve-family-style-meals).

### For More Information

For more information, please contact your assigned Child Nutrition Programs regional specialist or send questions to the SNP policy mailbox via email at [SNPPolicy@doe.virginia.gov](mailto:SNPPolicy@doe.virginia.gov).

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