



Did You Know?

There is still time to submit your April 2020 claim. Submitting your claim, even for a small amount, is helpful to you and helpful to ACA. You receive reimbursement money to help with food costs and ACA receives administrative money to sponsor your Food Program participation.

School Provided Meals Served in Childcare

If eligible, you may serve school provided breakfast and/or lunch to the children in your care. However, if you do, you ***may not*** claim the meals for reimbursement because the school is claiming them. Also, you must serve the meal as intended. For example, you must serve breakfast as a breakfast and not as a snack.

If you need a letter stating you are a childcare provider eligible to pick up school provided meals for children, contact ACA

COVID-19 UPDATES

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Free On-line Training Available From MDE

The Brighton eLearning modules are online trainings with voice narration and interactivity specifically designed for adult learners. The modules contain online resources available through internet links and ongoing knowledge evaluation. Each module takes 60 minutes or more to complete both the narrative content and activities. When the learner finishes all course assignments and passes the quiz at 90% competency, then the course is successfully completed. Each course is approved for 1 credit hour in Develop.

The e-Learning modules include the following:

- Healthy Food Preparation Techniques and CACFP Menu Planning
- Nutrition Basics for Better CACFP Menu Planning
- A CACFP Meal Pattern Guide
- A CACFP Infant Meal Pattern Guide
- All Aboard The Whole Grain Express!

Start with the [Quick Start Guide](#) for instructions on creating a Brighton user account.

<https://mdebrightontraining.com/mod/page/view.php?id=128>

Then review the [Course Walk Through](#) which explains course navigation.

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Note: Do not lose your password to access these trainings. Neither ACA or MDE can reset your password. Also, these modules will be available for a limited time, so take advantage of the free training while it's available.

The United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA's) CACFP Meal Service Training Grant (MSTG), provides the funding for these Brighton e-Learning modules for CACFP.

Thank you for keeping children healthy and safe.