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MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS
FROM: DCCECE / HNU
DATE: MARCH 24, 2020
SUBJECT: COVID-19 NO NEW SITES APPROVED

This is an important notice regarding the recent COVID-19 crisis. Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education/HNU with consultation from Arkansas Department of Health, has determined that no “new” CACFP At-Risk or SFSP sites will be approved for food distributions during the COVID-19 crisis. Only sites previously approved for CACFP At-Risk or SFSP can operate during the COVID-19 crisis. Completing the required pre-operational visit for new sites with the approval from the Arkansas Health Department to operate is not possible during this crisis.

Reminder, you must have your plan approved from the State Agency before you may participate in the program under Nationwide Waivers during the COVID-19 crisis.

If you have any questions, feel free to email;

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Please keep this memo on file for quick and easy reference. A copy is also available on the SNP Resource Library under HNP Mass Alerts and COVID-19. If you have any questions regarding this memo, please contact your Program Coordinator at: 501-682-8869.