



Child and Adult Care Food Program

**The Keep Kids Fed Act of 2022
FDCH Provider Utilization**

Fiscal Year 2022–23 CACFP Reimbursement Rates: USDA’s annual adjustments for the food service payment rates for meals and snacks served in day care homes; and the administrative reimbursement rates for sponsoring organizations of day care homes reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index and are effective July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023.

Temporary Adjustments Authorized Under the Keep Kids Feed Act of 2022: To help alleviate financial and administrative challenges, Section 3 of the Keep Kids Fed Act of 2022 (P.L. 117-158) provides two temporary increases for additional funding for each meal and supplement served. **This additional reimbursement amount will be available beginning July 1, 2022, and ending on June 30, 2023.**

1. Provides an additional reimbursement in the amount of 10 cents for each meal and supplement served under the program authorized by section 17 of the Richard B. Russell National School Act (42 U.S. C. 1766).
2. Authorized a tier II family or group day care home described in subsection (f)(3)(A)(iii) of section 17 of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1766) to be considered a tier I family or group day care home for purposes of the program authorized under that section for the same period. ***Tier II homes will be reimbursed at the tier I reimbursement rates.***

The Washington Integrative Nutrition System (WINS) will automatically pay all FDCH providers at the tier I rates from July 1, 2022- June 30, 2023.

All tier II providers must be re-evaluated upon expiration of the KKFA, effective July 1, 2023. This form must be placed in the provider’s tiering file as part of their records.

Provider’s Name: _____

_____ *Date Provider’s tier is re-evaluated (this may be done in June or July 2023)*

_____ *Date Provider’s tier is re-established in KidKare
(must be done prior to submission of July 2023 claim)*

Signature of Sponsoring Organization Representative

Date

*The KKFA does not change requirements for providers to claim meals served to their own children in care. All requirements noted in 226.18(e) (including submission of a Provider Income Eligibility Application) must be met.