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Subject: Summer School Foodservice Institute: "In the Heat of Change"

We are pleased to offer school foodservice professionals two days of training this summer, on very important and timely topics affecting school nutrition programs. With all of the changes coming down the pike as a result of the Child Nutrition Reauthorization (Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act) it is extremely important for foodservice staff to be kept informed and updated. This professional development opportunity is being held on August 3rd and 4th at the Cook Campus Center of Rutgers University, in New Brunswick, NJ.

Please encourage your school food service professionals to attend. The registration flyer is enclosed, and the cost is minimal (\$50 for both days, or \$30 for one day). Training costs are allowable expenses to be charged to the foodservice account. Continuing education credits will also be provided for food service staff that are certified through the School Nutrition Association.

In addition to the main program, we are offering an opportunity for foodservice staff to take an exam to obtain the required Health Department Sanitation Certification for Risk 3 schools on Wednesday Aug. 3rd. Then, on both Aug. 3rd and 4th we will be offering a course for new managers: "School Foodservice 101". This training provides an overview of every aspect of school nutrition programs.

We highly encourage attendance at this training program and look forward to seeing everyone there!