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SUBJECT: Impact of a Lapse in Funding on Child Nutrition Programs - Update

TO: Regional Directors
Special Nutrition Programs
All Regions

State Directors
Child Nutrition Programs
All States

On October 1, the Food and Nutrition Service notified State Agencies of the impacts of the lapse in appropriations on the Child Nutrition Programs. The attached Questions and Answers document provides updated information on the status of Fiscal Year 2014 program funds and other program issues.

We are committed to keeping you as up to date as possible, within the limits of current circumstances.

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