**Public Release (Enrolled, Camp or Migrant)**

**PUBLIC RELEASE**

**SEAMLESS SUMMER**

**(For Sponsors of Enrolled/Camp Sites with no separate charge for meals)**

The (school/center) announces the sponsorship of summer feeding opportunities.(Meals and/or snacks) will be served to all enrolled children at no additional charge.

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This (camp/site) is applying to receive USDA reimbursements for meals served to eligible children in an effort to keep fees at a minimum. Families with children participating in this program will be asked to complete Parent Income Statements to determine the number of meals eligible for reimbursement. All information will remain confidential. The following income guidelines will be used to make that determination (children who are members of households receiving SNAP, TANF, or FDPIR commodities on reservations are automatically eligible to receive free meal benefits):

**INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES**

(Effective Summer of 2015)

Participants may qualify for free summer meals if your household income is at or below the limits on this chart.

If your household includes a FOSTER CHILD, use one application for the whole household.

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| Household Size | Yearly |
| 1\* | 21,590 |
| 2 | 29,101 |
| 3 | 36,612 |
| 4 | 44,123 |
| 5 | 51,634 |
| 6 | 59,145 |
| 7 | 66,656 |
| 8 | 74,167 |
| For each additional member, add | 7,511 |

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