

TABLE TALK



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Mandatory Annual Training

The topic this year is Serve It Safe (Part 1). Some of the subject matter we will discuss are foodborne illnesses/outbreaks and biological and chemical physical hazards.

As required by THHS,SNP, all providers must complete an annual training workshop given by their CACFP sponsor. If this workshop is not completed by September 30, 2008, state rules prohibit us from reimbursing you until you have met this requirement. Civil Rights training which will also be included.

Please watch the schedule updates as the rest of the schedule is finalized. It will be in your newsletter, "TABLE TALK" every month as well on our website: www.childfoodprogramoftexas.org

State regulation of a 5 year old child

Clarification from the Texas Department of Protection and Regulatory as to the ratio of children in care:

1. If a child is 5 years before September 1st and registered for school, the child is counted in the ratio as a school age child.
2. If a child is 5 years old before September 1st and not registered for school, the child is counted in the ratio as one of your 6 preschoolers
3. When a 5 year old child who is not in school turns 6 years old, the child is now counted in the school age ratio
4. If a child is 5 years old after September 1st and not in school, the child is counted in the ratio as one of your 6 preschoolers

Approximate Reimbursement Date

January.....February 28 February.....March 27th March.....April 25

SCHEDULED DATES FOR 2008 MANDATORY TRAINING

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Location & Time</u>
February 16	Garland	3630 W. Buckingham, Garland, 75042 (Buckingham Church of Christ), 9:30-12:30
February 23	S.E. Houston	8145 Park Place 3 Blvd, Houston, 77017 (Park Place Library), 10:00 – 1:00
March 15	Denton	3228 Teasley Lane, Denton, 76210 (Denton South Branch Library), 11:30-2:30
March 29	North Houston	6200 Pinemont, Houston, 77092 (Collier Library), 2:30 - 5:30
April 15	Garland	3630 W. Buckingham, Garland, 75042 (Buckingham Church of Christ), 7:00-9:00 pm
April 19	Red Oak	20607 W. Ovila, Red Oak, 75154 (A Bright Beginning Center), 10:00-1:00
April	Houston/Alief	To Be Announced
May	Fort Worth	To Be Announced
May	Irving	To Be Announced
May	Alvin	To Be Announced
August	Plano	To Be Announced
August	Katy	To Be Announced