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Virtual Food Service Conference

Join us at the virtual Food Service Conference that will assist with an action plan for the 2021-2022 school year. This virtual Zoom webinar conference will assist food service directors and staff with an action plan for the upcoming school year.

The conference is designed for:

- School Cafeteria Staff • Registered Dietitians • Dietetic Technicians
- Registered School Wellness Teams • Parents • PTA/PTO

Additionally, attendees will:

- Learn how Ohio State University Dining Services adjusted to the COVID-19 crisis and how they are moving forward past the crisis.
- Develop skills to share your cafeteria story with your community through social media.
- Gain skills to connect with lawmakers in your community and schedule a site visit.
- Receive guidance to continue to serve safe meals and reduce COVID-19 risks.
- Learn Ohio's updated Procurement guidelines.
- Learn importance of menu planning, forecasting and procurement in COVID and NON-COVID conditions.



July 28, 2021 Conference Agenda

- 8:45 a.m. ... Welcome
- 9:00 a.m. ... Expanding Your Team: Building Community Partners and Connecting with Legislators to Schedule a Visit to Your Cafeteria – Marie Economos & Beth Stefura, Educators, Ohio State University Extension, Family and Consumer Sciences
- 9:45 a.m. ... Campus Cafeteria 101: Adjusting Dining Services During the COVID-19 Crisis and Plans to Move Past the Crisis – Zia Ahmed, Senior Director, Ohio State University Dining Services
- 10:45 a.m. ... Break
- 11:00 a.m. ... Updates & Lessons Learned from ODE Child Nutrition – Brian Davis, Assistant Director, Food & Nutrition Service, Ohio Department of Education
- 11:45 a.m. ... Importance of Menu Planning, Forecasting & Procurement in COVID-19 and NON COVID-19 Conditions – Tascin Brooks, Chief, Food Service, Youngstown City Schools, Natalie Winkle, Director, Food Service, Boardman Local Schools
- 12:30 p.m. ... Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. ... Guidance to Help Your Operation Serve Meals Safely & Reduce Risk of COVID-19 Spread & Addressing Community Food Access – Sanja Ilic, PhD, Associate Professor and Food Safety State Specialist
- 2:00 p.m. ... Learn How to Share Your Food Service Department Story with Your Community – Mary Beddell, Public Relations Director, Plain Local Schools
- 2:45 p.m. ... Evaluation / Wrap Up

Registration is **FREE** and the deadline is **July 26**

Please register at:

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Once registered, you will receive your Zoom link.
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