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HUMAN SERVICES**

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Dear County Directors of Social Services

Attention: Food and Nutrition Services Managers and Supervisors, County DHHS and E&T partners

Subject: Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2022 – 2023 Plan of Action (POA)

Priority: Time Sensitive

Dear Potential Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) Education & Training (E&T) Partners,

The Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) Education & Training program helps FNS recipients gain skills and find work that moves them forward to self-sufficiency.

Through FNS E&T, FNS recipients have access to training and support services to help them enter or advance in the workforce. These programs also help to reduce barriers to work by providing support services – such as transportation and childcare – as participants prepare for and obtain employment. Currently there are 15 Local DSS counties participating in the FNS E&T program, and we encourage other counties to join in order to expand services to this population.

The Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2022 – 2023 Plan of Action (POA) has been posted online under the Public Notices for DHHS at this link: [NCDHHS Public Notices](#).

In order to provide ample processing time, we ask that your completed Plan of Action (POA) packets be submitted on or before **5:00 pm EDT on June 30th, 2022**. Please direct any questions you may have and send your completed POA packets to FNSEandT@dhhs.nc.gov. Thank you for your continued support of the FNS E&T program.

If you have any questions, please contact The FNS E&T team at FNSEandT@dhhs.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

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