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Grand Forks Training!

"Meal Planning with KidKare"

November 29th, 2017 6:30pm-8:30pm 4000 Valley Square 4000 24th Ave S Grand Forks, ND

If you are a current KidKare user or have been thinking about switching to electronic claiming, then this training is for you! We will walk through all the steps (enrollments, entering meals/attendance, scheduling meals, etc.) for successful online claims.

Bring your laptop, tablet, smart phone, or other favorite device that can access the internet!

Register by choosing one of the following:

- ⇒ Following the email link sent out in the email invitation
- Clicking on the link on our website under for our providers and workshops
- ⇒ Or call our office at 701-232-2452 ext. 132

New Provider Handbooks!

With all the new changes, we gave our Provider Handbooks an overhaul! Everyone will be receiving one of these in the next few months. Your home monitor will be bringing one out to you at your next visit this fall/winter. If



you were at our fall conference, you were some of the lucky ones that received it early! When you receive it we recommend that you take a few minutes to look through it as it contains all the new meal pattern guidelines and all of our policy and procedures. Please discard the old manual that was given to you when you originally signed up on the program. Please keep this handbook and add additional important nutrition as it is received.

Frequently Asked Questions about the New Meal Pattern

- Q. Can I still serve pre-fried foods such as chicken nuggets and tator tots?
- **A.** Yes, these item are still creditable. The only thing different is that you are no longer able to prepare these items in a deep fat fryer (fry daddy). Baking in the oven is the preferred method, which most providers already do.
- Q. Are Rice Krispies a whole grain product?
- **A.** No, Rice Krispies are not a whole grain product. They are a creditable cereal that meets the sugar requirements just not the whole grain requirement.
- Q. Is my bread/cracker product whole grain if it says "whole grain" on the front packaging?
- **A.** Not necessarily, you must check the ingredient label to be sure that that the first grain ingredient includes the word "whole". We have found manufacturers can be deceiving with their wording and looking at the ingredient label is a must.
- Q. Am I required to serve whole milk to children age 1?
- A. Yes, whole milk is required for 1 year old children. If the parent would like a lesser fat milk, a diet statement from a doctor will need to be on file.

Thank You

2017 Fall Conference in the books!

We would like to thank:

- All the SENDCAA providers that participated in our 2017 Fall Conference that was held on October 28th
- Our speakers, Sarah Myers, Nate Hendrickson and Michelle Draxten, for giving everyone a wealth of usable knowledge
- Breakfast donation from Hornbachers, Cashwise, Family Fare, Sams club, and American Heart Assoc.

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KidKare Tip of the Month: How to Select a Pre-planned Menu

(Last month's newsletter gave steps in how to create pre-planned menus)

You can select a pre-planned menu by going to *Meals >> Enter Meal*.

- 1. Be sure the items at the top of the screen are complete: date, infants or non-infants, meal type, and time.
- 2. Click the Menus button.
- 3. A list of your pre-planned menus will appear.
- 4. Select the menu you want.
- 5. Save and you're done!.

Here is a week's worth of menu ideas!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast	• Oatmeal (WGR) • Raisins • Milk	• Blueberry Muffin • Applesauce • Milk	 Cream of Whole Wheat (WGR) Orange Slices Milk 	• Eggs • Tomato • Milk	 Alpha Bits Cereal (WGR) Bananas Milk
Lunch	YogurtBread StickCucumberMixed FruitMilk	 Beef Corndog Corndog breading Celery Sticks Watermelon Milk 	 Hamburger Bun Roasted Cauliflower Cantaloupe Milk 	 Roast Beef slices Noodles Yellow Squash Grapes Milk 	 Grilled Chicken Roll Zucchini Peaches Milk
Snack	• Milk • Bagel	• Wheat thins (WGR) • Carrots	• Snap Peas • Tuna Wrap	• Tortilla (WGR) • Cheese	Milk Pears

Pumpkin Muffins

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- 1 ½ c. whole wheat flour
- 1 c. all purpose flour
- 1 1/2 tsp baking soda
- 1 1/4 tsp salt
- 1 1/4 tsp cinnamon
- 34 tsp ground cloves
- ½ tsp ground ginger
- 1 ½ c sugar
- 2/3 c canola oil
- ½ c water
- 3 eggs
- 1 can (15 oz.) pumpkin



- Heat oven to 350°. Place paper baking cups in each of 24 regular size muffin tins In a large bowl, mix flours, baking soda, salt, cinnamon, nutmeq, cloves and ginger; make well in center of mixture. In medium bowl, stir sugar, oil, water and eggs with whisk. Stir in pumpkin; add to flour mixture, stirring just until moistened. Divide batter evenly among muffin cups.
- 3. Bake 25 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool 5 minutes; remove from pans to cooling racks. Serve warm or cool.