

2011/2012 CONFIDENTIAL INCOME STATEMENT – Child Care Centers/Family Day Care Providers

INSTRUCTIONS:

- If your household received SNAP, TANF or FDPIR, complete parts 1-3, and 5; part 6 is optional.
- If you do not receive these benefits and your income is below the guidelines (back) complete parts 1, 2, 4 and 5; part 6 is optional.
- If you are applying for a FOSTER CHILD only, complete parts 1, 2 and 5; (part 6 is optional).

1 HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

Print name of person completing this application (Last name, First name) Name Print Mailing Address – Apt # City State Zip	Home Phone or Cell Phone (Circle One) Work Phone → Number living in this household _____ (Write names of all household members on part 2 and/or part 4 of this form)
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2 CHILD INFORMATION – (Names of Children Enrolled in Child Care)

Child's Name (Legal Last name, First name)	Birth Date	Age	Check if Foster Child (placed by welfare agency or court) If all are in foster care, complete this and go to part 5.
1. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

3 PUBLIC BENEFITS Indicate which **benefits** your household currently receives, and list case number, if any:

Name: _____ Case Number: _____

SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) (*Oregon Trail Card number not acceptable*)

TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) (*Employment Related Day Care does not qualify*)

Does this household receive FDPIR (Food Distribution on Indian Reservations) **Yes** (Go Part 5 and complete)

4 HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS & GROSS MONTHLY INCOME – if not monthly, see back for conversions

Column 1 List all household members, including children not attending school, and income. Do not include children listed in part 2, unless they receive regular income. (<i>Last name, first name</i>)	Column 2 MONTHLY INCOME (Total earnings & wages before deductions)	Column 3 MONTHLY CHILD SUPPORT, WELFARE, ALIMONY RECEIVED	Column 4 MONTHLY PENSIONS, SOCIAL SEC., RETIREMENT, SSI, VA	Column 5 OTHER MONTHLY INCOME -Including unemployment and workers comp.	Column 6 Check if No Income
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

5 SIGNATURE, DATE and Last four numbers of SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (Adult must sign)

I certify that all information on this form is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the center or day care home will get Federal funds based on the information I give. I understand that CACFP officials may verify the information. I understand that if I purposely give false information, the participant receiving meals may lose the meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted.

Signature of Adult Household Member	Date Signed	Social Security Number	<input type="checkbox"/> I do not have a Social Security Number.
X _____	_____	(See privacy statement on back) XXX-XX - _____	
	Month/day/year		

6 RACIAL OR ETHNIC GROUP (OPTIONAL)

Mark one ethnic identity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic or Latino	Mark one or more racial identities: <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian & Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> White, not of Hispanic origin <input type="checkbox"/> Other
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SPONSOR USE ONLY - DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

Total Income: _____ Number in Household: _____

Eligibility : Free Reduced Above Scale Tier 1 Tier 2 Temporary From: _____ To: _____ (maximum 45 days)

Eligibility based on : SNAP/TANF FDPIR Household Income Foster Child

Notes: _____

Determining Official's Signature : _____ Date _____ 2nd Check (initial)

DETERMINING MONTHLY INCOME FOR EARNINGS & WAGES

Monthly income for all household members must be reported in Section 4 of this application. Income means any money regularly received from work, child support, alimony, pensions, retirements, social security or any other source. Exclude student/school loans. Money received from a business or farm owned by you should be reported as "net income". *Net Income is defined as the total income left after business and farm operating expenses are subtracted from gross receipts.*

Homeless, migrant and runaway youth are categorically eligible for free meals.

Household members who are not paid monthly should change earnings into monthly income by doing the following:

Household members who are paid every week: Multiply total earnings and wages for one pay period, before deductions, by 52. Then divide by 12. The resulting amount is the total monthly income.

Household members who are paid every 2 weeks: Multiply total earnings and wages for one pay period, before deductions, by 26. Then divide by 12. The resulting amount is the total monthly income.

Household members who are paid twice a month: Multiply total earnings and wages for one pay period, before deductions, by 24 then divide by 12. The resulting amount is the total monthly income.

Household members who are seasonal workers or work less than 12 months: Project annual rate of income to accurately represent actual circumstances then divide by 12. The resulting amount is the projected monthly income.

FEDERAL INCOME GUIDELINES

Your children may qualify at least for reduced price meals if your household income falls within the limits of this chart.

Household Size	<i>Reduced Price Meals</i>				
	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
-1-	20,147	1,679	840	775	388
-2-	27,214	2,268	1,134	1,047	524
-3-	34,281	2,857	1,429	1,319	660
-4-	41,348	3,446	1,723	1,591	796
-5-	48,415	4,035	2,018	1,863	932
-6-	55,482	4,624	2,312	2,134	1,067
-7-	62,549	5,213	2,607	2,406	1,203
-8-	69,616	5,802	2,901	2,678	1,339
For each additional family member add	7,067	589	295	272	136

PRIVACY STATEMENT - SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS and OTHER INFORMATION

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last 4 digits of the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. The last 4 digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program case number or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use your information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We **may** share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their programs; auditors for program reviews; and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules. We may share the information on this form with Medicaid or the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP), unless you tell us not to. The information, if disclosed, will only be used to identify eligible children and seek to enroll them in Medicaid or SCHIP.

NON-DISCRIMINATION STATEMENT

This explains what to do if you believe you have been treated unfairly. "In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability." To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 or call, toll free (866) 632-9992 (Voice). Individual who are hearing impaired or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay at (800) 877-8339 or (866) 845-6136 (Spanish). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer."

Umatilla-Morrow Head Start, Inc.

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

This letter is intended for parents or guardians of children enrolled in a child care center. Umatilla Morrow Head Start offers healthy meals to all enrolled children as part of our participation in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). The CACFP provides reimbursements for healthy meals and snacks served to children enrolled in child care. Please help us comply with the requirements of the CACFP by completing the attached Confidential Income Statement. In addition, by filling out this form, we will be able to determine if your child(ren) qualifies for free or reduced price meals.

1. Do I need to fill out a Confidential Income Statement for each of my children in day care? You may complete and submit one CACFP Confidential Income Statement for all children enrolled in child care in your household **only** if the children in child care are enrolled in the same center. We cannot approve a form that is not complete, so be sure to read the instructions carefully and fill out all required information. Return the completed form to: UMCHS main office, 110 NE 4th Street, Hermiston, Oregon 97838. 1-800-559-5878.

2. Who can get free meals without providing income information? Children in households getting Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (formerly Food Stamps), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) benefits can get free meals. Foster children and children enrolled in Head Start are also eligible for free meals.

3. Who can get reduced price meals? Your children can get low cost meals if your household income is within the reduced price limits on the Federal Income Guidelines, shown on this application.

4. May I fill out a form if someone in my household is not a U.S. citizen? Yes. You or your children do not have to be U.S. citizens to qualify for meal benefits offered at the child care center.

5. Who should I include as members of my household? You must include everyone in your household (such as grandparents, other relatives, or friends who live with you) who shares income and expenses. You must include yourself and all children who live with you. You also may include foster children who live with you.

6. How do I report income information and changes in employment status? The income you report must be the total gross income listed by source for each household member received last month. If last month's income does not accurately reflect your circumstances, you may provide a projection of your monthly income. If no significant change has occurred, you may use last month's income as a basis to make this projection. If your household's income is equal to or less than the amounts indicated for your household's size on the attached Federal Income Guidelines, the center will receive a higher level of reimbursement. Once properly approved for free or reduced price benefits, whether through income or by providing a current SNAP, TANF, FDPIR case number, you will remain eligible for those benefits for 12 months. You should notify us, however, if you or someone in your household becomes unemployed and the loss of income causes your household income to be within the eligibility standards.

7. What if my income is not always the same? List the amount that you normally get. For example, if you normally get \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only got \$900, put down that you get \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime, include it, but not if you only get it sometimes.

8. What if I have foster children? Foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals. Any foster child in the household is eligible for free meals regardless of income. Households may include foster children on the Confidential Income Statement, but are not required to include payments received for the foster child as income.

9. We are in the military, do we include our housing and supplemental allowances as income? If your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative and you receive the Family Subsistence Supplemental Allowance, do not include these allowances as income. Also, in regard to deployed service members, only that portion of a deployed service member's income made available by them or on their behalf to the household will be counted as income to the household. Combat Pay, including Deployment Extension Incentive Pay (DEIP) is also excluded and will not be counted as income to the household. All other allowances must be included in your gross income.

10. (Pricing program only) If the center charges a separate price for meals, will the information I give be verified? Maybe. We may ask you to send written proof to verify the information you submitted on the form. What if I disagree with the decision about the information I complete on this form? You should talk to your [Center or Sponsoring Organization].

If you have other questions or need help, call the CACFP Center Manager at 541-564-6878.

Sincerely,

Center Representative