# Food Service Management Company/ Vendor Monitor Review

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### PURPOSE

For use in conducting the required annual monitoring review of the food service management company (FSMC)/vendor organization contracted to provide meal service for the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) contracting organization (contractor). The contractor completes Form H1529 to assess the FSMC/vendor's compliance with CACFP program requirements. The contractor maintains the completed Form H1529 as documentation of compliance with the mandatory annual monitoring review of its contracted food service.

## PROCEDURE

### When to Prepare

Complete Form H1529 when conducting the required annual monitoring review of the contractor's FSMC/vendor. An employee of the contracting organization must complete the monitoring review on behalf of the CACFP organization.

### **Number of Copies**

Complete one original and one copy.

### Transmittal

The contractor keeps the original for their records and sends the copy to the FSMC/vendor contact person.

#### How to Obtain Copies

Make additional copies as needed or download Form H1529 by accessing the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) website at <u>www.snptexas.org</u>.

#### **Form Retention**

Keep Form H1529 for three years from the end of the program year. **Exception:** If audit findings, claims or litigation have not been resolved by the end of the retention period, you must retain all forms and records until all issues are resolved.

### **DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS**

*Name of Contracting Organization* — Enter the legal name of the contracting organization.

**Program (TX) No.** — Enter the contracting organization's seven-digit program (TX) number.

Date of Review — Enter the date you are conducting the monitor review.

*Time of Arrival* — Enter the time of day you arrived to conduct the review.

*Time of Departure* — Enter the time of day you completed the review.

**Date of Last Review** — Enter the date of the previously completed meal service review.

*Monitor's Name* — Enter the name of the contractor staff conducting the monitor review.

*Monitor's Title* — Enter the title of the monitor conducting the review.

**Food Service Management Company (FSMC)/Vendor Name** — Enter the name of the food service management company or vendor contracted with to provide meal service for the CACFP organization.

*FSMC/Vendor Contact Person and Telephone No.* — Enter the name and telephone number of the contact person for the FSMC/vendor.

*Meal Preparation Site Name and Address* — Enter the name and address of the meal preparation facility where the contractor is conducting the monitor review.

*Hours of Operation* — Enter the time of day the meal preparation facility is open for meal service preparation activities.

*Meal Service Purchased* — Mark each box that represents the type of meal service purchased through your agreement with the FSMC/vendor.

**Person Interviewed at Site and Telephone No.** — Enter the name and telephone number of the FSMC/Vendor staff person interviewed at the meal preparation site.

*Title of Person Interviewed* — Enter the title/function of the FSMC/Vendor staff person interviewed during the monitoring review.

*Items 1. through 4.* — The contracting organization's staff conducting the food service monitor review must visually confirm the existence of the items addressed in Items 1 through 4 and answer each question. Do not leave any questions unanswered. The reviewer will also need to review purchase receipts, invoices, and physical inventory records to obtain necessary information.

*Item 5. Findings and Recommendations* — Document any problems or areas of concern discovered during the monitor review. Review the documented problems with the authorized representative of the FSMC/Vendor and discuss the appropriate corrective action. Document the agreed upon corrective action and the time frame for accomplishing the corrective action.

**Signature of Authorized Representative of FSMC/Vendor** — An authorized representative of the FSMC/Vendor must sign and date the completed Form H1529 at the time of the monitor review.

**Signature of Monitor** — The contracting organization's staff conducting the monitor review must sign and date the completed Form H1529.