

Summer Food Service Program Racial and Ethnic Data Form

Sponsor: _____ Site: _____
 Site Contact Name: _____ Title: _____
 Site Supervisor: _____
 Site Address: _____
 Monitor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Ethnic Categories	Number of Participating Children
Hispanic or Latino	
Not-Hispanic or Latino	

Hispanic or Latino: A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. The term "Spanish origin" can be used in addition to "Hispanic or Latino."

Racial Categories	Number of Participating Children
American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Black or African American	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
White	

American Indian or Alaska Native: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community recognition.

Asian: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

Black or African American: A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa. Terms such as "Haitian" can be used in addition to "Black or African American."

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

White: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

Racial and Ethnic Data Form Instructions

- The sponsor should complete this form for each site under its sponsorship each year. Sponsors of residential camps must collect this information for each camp session.
- On May 17th, 2021, USDA released [CACFP 11-2021, SFSP 07-2021 Collection of Race and Ethnicity Data by Visual Observation and Identification in the Child and Adult Care Food Program and Summer Food Service Program – Policy Recission](#). **Racial and ethnic data may no longer be collected by visual observation in the SFSP.**
- Sponsors must collect self-reported data from participants to the maximum extent possible. Sponsors may use data that participants self-report through program enrollment, school data, census data, or [CDE data](#).
- All line items on this page must be answered numerically (no percentages).
- The sponsor must retain racial and ethnic data for three years, plus the current year, and must safeguard this information to prevent its use for discriminatory purposes. Access to program records containing racial and ethnic data should be kept confidential and limited to authorized personnel.