



# Fostering Strong Partnerships to Expand Access to Meals

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2 PM ET



# HOUSEKEEPING

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# Introductions

- **Carolyn Vega**, Senior Manager,  
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- **Patrick Doyle**, Chief Operating Officer,  
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# Agenda

- Overview of Waivers Available this Summer
- Panel Q&A
  - Pre-Pandemic Partnerships
  - Partnerships During COVID Response
  - Partnership Tips
- Audience Q&A

# WAIVER OVERVIEW

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Flexibilities Available for  
Summer 2021





# Waivers for Summer 2021

- Congregate Meal Service
- Meal Service Time
- Parent/Guardian Meal Pick-Up
- Area Eligibility



# Waivers for Summer 2021

- Meal Pattern
  - Available for **SFSP** through June 30, 2021
  - Available for **SSO only** through September 30, 2021



# Waivers for Summer 2021

- On-Site Monitoring for SFSP
- First Week Site Visit for SFSP
- Offer Versus Serve for Non-School SFSP Sponsors
- Area Eligibility for Closed Enrolled SFSP & SSO Sites





# Waivers for Summer 2021

- 2019 Sponsors May Operate as Experienced Sponsors

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# PANEL Q&A

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Please send your questions  
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# THANK YOU!

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