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THE CINCINNATI-HAMILTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY ANNOUNCES SPONSORSHIP OF THE USDA-FUNDED CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM

November 9, 2022 (Cincinnati, OH) -- The Community Action Agency's Head Start Program is proud to announce the sponsorship of the USDA-Funded Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) for fiscal year 2023. The CACFP is a federal program that provides reimbursements for nutritious meals and snacks to eligible children who are enrolled for care at our Head Start childcare centers. The purpose of this program is to promote wellness, healthy growth and development of our youth. This program will be funded to the following Head Start centers:

- Life Learning Center, 1740 Langdon Farm Rd., Cinti, Ohio 45237
- Theodore M. Berry Center 88 W. Court St., Cinti, Ohio 45202
- Discovering Minds Learning Center 1920 Tennessee Ave, Cinti, Ohio 45237
- CAA Head Start Winton Campus, 5139 Holland Dr., Cinti, Ohio 45232
- CAA Head Start Millvale, 3301 Beekman St., Cinti, Ohio 45225

"We are happy to sponsor CACFP for our Early Head Start and Head Start Children," says Nikki Underwood, Nutrition and Wellness Coordinator for Cincinnati-Hamilton County Community Action Agency's Head Start Program. "We know that good health starts with a healthy, balanced diet. Our Head Start Program's goal is to provide our children with the building blocks to be successful in life and that starts with good physical and nutritional health."

	FREE-130%		REDUCED-185%	
HOUSEHOLD SIZE	ANNUAL	MONTHLY	ANNUAL	MONTHLY
1	\$17,667	\$1,473	\$25,142	\$2,096
2	\$23,803	\$1,984	\$33,874	\$2,823
3	\$29,939	\$2,495	\$42,606	\$3,551
4	\$36,075	\$3,007	\$51,338	\$4,279
For each add'l family member add	+\$6,136	+\$512	+\$8,732	+\$728

Income eligibility guidelines for free and reduced priced meals for the 2022/23 school year are below:

For more information on this program, please contact Nikki Underwood, <u>nunderwood@cincy-caa.org</u>. For additional information on the Head Start Program, please visit cincinnatiheadstart.org. **ABOUT COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY**- Through our network of donors, employees and volunteers, YOUR Hamilton County Community Action Agency (CAA) provides low and moderate-income individuals the opportunity to improve the quality of life for themselves, their families and their communities. CAA offers job training, housing assistance, heating assistance, entrepreneurial coaching, Head Start and Early Head Start. Established in 1964 by Theodore Berry Sr. as part of President Lyndon B. Johnson's historic "War on Poverty" initiative, the goal of CAA is to inspire dreams and improve lives.