

# MONTANA OPI SCHOOL NUTRITION PROGRAMS

## School Year 2024-2025 Training Schedule and Continuing Education Opportunities

[>> Zoom link for Webinar Wednesdays <<  
 https://mt-gov.zoom.us/j/88457171122](https://mt-gov.zoom.us/j/88457171122)

Activity	Location	Time	Date	Professional Standards Codes/Hours
<b>August</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> How to Process Online Free/Reduced Applications (FRAPP)	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, August 14, 2024	3000/3100/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Direct Certification Application (DCA) & Medicaid	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, August 21, 2024	3000/3100/1
<b>*Virtual* SNP Fall Workshop:</b> Back to School Basics/Requirements for FSD & Administrative Staff	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	9AM - 4PM	Wednesday, August 28, 2024	1000/2000/3000/4000/6
<b>September</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> For School that are on Administrative Review – Tips for Completing Off-Site Q’s in MAPS	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, September 4, 2024	
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, September 11, 2024	1100/2100/3200/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Montana Crunch Time Promotion	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, September 18, 2024	1100/2000/2400/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Verification for Determining Officials	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, September 25, 2024	3000/3100/1
<b>October</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Menu Planning & Production Records	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, October 2, 2024	1100/2000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Q&A Session (submit your questions <a href="#">here</a> and get answers during this session)	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, October 9, 2024	
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> USDA NSLP Equipment Grant	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, October 16, 2024	
<b>Fall Workshops: Please <a href="#">register</a> to attend one. Back to School Basics for Food Service Directors and Administrative Staff. Topics to include Free/Reduced Benefits Process, Administrative Requirements, Resource Management, Procurement, School Wellness Policy, Meal Patterns, Production Records, Professional Standards, SNP Checklist Items, Administrative Review, and other topics.</b>				

<b>Regional in-person SNP Fall Workshop <a href="#">Registration Link</a></b>	<b><a href="#">Missoula</a></b>	9AM–4PM	Thursday, October 17, 2024	1000/2000/3000/4000/6
<b>Regional in-person SNP Fall Workshop <a href="#">Registration Link</a></b>	<b><a href="#">Bozeman</a></b>	9AM–4PM	Thursday, October 17, 2024	1000/2000/3000/4000/6
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Montana Harvest of the Month</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, October 23, 2024	1100/1200/1300/2100/2400/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: How to Apply for a Healthy Meal Recognition Award</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, October 30, 2024	
<b>November</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday: How to Best Utilize USDA Foods</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, November 6, 2024	
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Mastering the Meal Pattern</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, November 13, 2024	
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Farm to School</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, November 20, 2024	1100/1300/2200/1
<b>December</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Get to Know the Details of the Smart Snack Policy</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, December 4, 2024	1200/1300/3000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Procurement Policy/Procedures &amp; Buy American</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, December 11, 2024	2000/2400/1
<b>January</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, January 8, 2025	3100/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Beef to School</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, January 15, 2025	
<b>Webinar Wednesday: USDA Foods/DoD Fresh</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, January 22, 2025	1100/2400/2430/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Traditional Foods in School toolkit</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, January 29, 2025	
<b>February</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday: School Wellness Policy &amp; Success Strategies</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, February 5, 2025	1000/1200/1300/3000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Marinara Madness Promotion</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, February 12, 2025	1000/1200/1300/3000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Mastering the New Meal Pattern</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, February 19, 2025	1000/2000/3000/4000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday: SUN Bucks, Online FRAPP, DCA – School Determining Officials are encouraged to attend.</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, February 26, 2025	3000/3300/1
<b>March</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday: Summer Food Service Program</b>	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, March 5, 2025	1000/2000/3000/4000/1

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<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Reallocation	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, March 19, 2025	1000/2000/3000/4000/1
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Adding Indigenous Foods to your School Menu	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, March 26, 2025	1000/1100/1
<b>April</b>				
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Q&A Session (submit your questions <a href="#">here</a> and get answers during this session)	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, April 2, 2025	
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Standardized Recipes	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, April 9, 2025	
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Summer Food Service Program	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, April 16, 2025	
<b>Webinar Wednesday:</b> Montana Food Bank Network: SFSP Non-Congregate & Grant Opportunity	<a href="#">Zoom</a>	2-3 PM	Wednesday, April 23, 2025	
<b>May</b>				
TBD				
<b>June</b>				
MT School Nutrition Association (MTSNA) Summer Conference	Great Falls	N/A	June 23-26, 2025	1000/2000/3000/4000/16

### Training Resources

- [SNP Webinar Wednesday Resources Google Drive](#)
- [SNP Professional Standards Training Resources](#)
- [Professional Standards Training Code Topics List](#)

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