PROGRAM TIMELINE

School Year 2024-2025 and beyond



20XX

SUMMER (MAY - SEPTEMBER)

JULY 1

20XX INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES (IEGs) IN EFFECT

- Start of 20XX Summer EBT Period of Eligibility
- Revise Summer EBT applications to use new IEGs for the remainder of Summer 20XX
- LEAs start collecting NSLP applications for 20XX-XX school meal eligibility

AUG 15

INTERIM PLAN FOR OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT (iPOM)

- Plan for operations and management due to FNS
- · APPROVAL of the iPOM is needed to draw admin funds

20XX

NSLP School Year 20XX-20XX & Summer EBT Applications made available

INSTRUCTIONAL YEAR (OCTOBER - MARCH)

JAN 1

NOTICE OF INTENT TO OPERATE

- · Due to FNS
- All Summer EBT agencies that will operate the program need to notify FNS

FEB 15

FINAL PLAN FOR OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT (POM)

- · Plan for operations and management due to FNS
- APPROVAL of the final POM is needed to draw benefit funds

SUMMER EBT (APRIL - SEPTEMBER)

VARIES

FIRST DAY OF SUMMER EBT 20XX OPERATIONAL PERIOD

 To be defined by Summer EBT agency

APRIL 1

VERIFICATION*

 Verification sample selected for Summer EBT applications

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^{*}NSLP applications are selected for verification at NSLP Schools on October 1.