



The Arizona Department of Education (ADE), Health and Nutrition Services is pleased to announce the upcoming 2016 Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) Summit.

Training is available to all qualified entities interested in being a SFSP sponsor. Nonprofit organizations and government entities (that are not schools) MUST attend training to be considered for approval to operate the Program for FY 2016.

SFSP training is not mandatory for returning school sponsors that have previously operated a successful Seamless or Simplified summer program; however, it is recommended. New staff members and sponsors that had operational review findings from the prior year are encouraged to attend as well.

ADE is holding the SFSP Summit at:

Mesa Convention Center
263 N. Center Street
Mesa, Arizona 85201

February 16, 2016 - Summer Food Service Program Summit for Non-Profit Organizations and Government Entities who wish to sponsor the SFSP:

This training is required for all interested SFSP sponsors that are not schools. This Summit day will provide quality information about program operations and site management.

The Summit check-in begins at 7:00 AM and the Summit begins at 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Registration is now open at <https://ems.azed.gov/home/SearchResults?SearchString=summer food>

February 16 & February 17, 2016 - Summer Food Service Program Summit for Schools:

School sponsors are strongly encouraged to attend both days of the training.

- **February 16** - The first day will focus more on SFSP program operations. Check-in begins at 10:30 AM and school sessions begin at 11:30 AM. Register now at <https://ems.azed.gov/home/SearchResults?SearchString=summer food>
- **February 17, 2016** - The second day is only available for school sponsors, offers supplemental information and is held in conjunction with the School Foods Processing Conference. The School Foods Processing Conference and the SFSP Summit check-in begins at 7:30 AM and the Summit begins at 8:00 AM to 11:30 PM. Please register at <https://ems.azed.gov/home/SearchResults?SearchString=summer food>

Please refer to the attached document if you need to create an ADE Connects account prior to registering for the event.