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To: National School Lunch/School Breakfast Program (NSLP/SBP) Contractors

Subject: Training Offered Through the Education Service Centers

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**Purpose**

The Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) Education Service Centers (ESC) are offering training on the implementation of the Local Wellness Policy during spring and summer 2006. NSLP/SBP contractors who have agreements to operate the program with Special Nutrition Programs are invited to attend. For information regarding upcoming training events on the Local Wellness Policy and other training opportunities in your area, contact your local ESC on the attached chart for details and registration information.

**Additional Resource**

On October 18, 2005, the National Food Service Management Institute delivered a two-hour program on Local School Wellness Policy development for child nutrition professionals and other key players in the school and community. The program featured local school districts that have health and wellness efforts already underway.

- Participant handouts and a link to view the program from your computer are available on the NFSMI Web site at [http://www.nfsmi.org/Education/Satellite/ss37/program_info.htm](http://www.nfsmi.org/Education/Satellite/ss37/program_info.htm)
- You may borrow a DVD copy of the satellite program from the SNP Nutrition Library. Contact the library at 1-800-982-3261 or at [www.snpnutritionlibrary.org](http://www.snpnutritionlibrary.org) for more information.

**Contact**

If you have any questions, please contact your Area Program Office.

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