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To: School Food Authorities

Subject: SFS-15-01 Ebola

A flyer that provides simple and clear information with regard to the Ebola virus has been posted to the Child Nutrition Program website. It has been posted under Resources under the heading "Ebola". There is a link on the flyer that directs people to the Department of Health and Hospital (DHH) webpage. On the webpage, the most current information can be found as well the state preparations.

Refer to the CNP website for further information. The web address is <http://cnp.doe.louisiana.gov>. You must have above acrobat to open pdf files. Adobe may be downloaded FREE from the following web address: <http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2/html>



Ebola Facts

What you need to know about Ebola.

While Ebola poses no significant risk to the United States, Louisiana is prepared.

There are no known cases of Ebola in Louisiana. However, the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals is committed to ensuring that our health care system and our emergency responders are ready. To read more about what DHH is doing to maintain readiness in our state, visit www.DHH.la.gov/ebola.

Key Facts:

Contracting Ebola in the United States is highly unlikely. One can only get Ebola from:

- ▶ touching the bodily fluids of a person or animal who is sick with or has died from Ebola, or
- ▶ touching objects contaminated with those bodily fluids.

It is always important to follow guidance from the CDC when traveling to another country. Visit www.cdc.gov/travel before you travel.



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www.DHH.la.gov/ebola

You can't get Ebola through air



You can't get Ebola through water



You can't get Ebola through food

