

National School Lunch Program (NSLP)

NCYF Community High participates in the USDA Food and Nutrition Services School Lunch Program. As a part of this participation, in accordance with 7 CFR 210.31 (2), our school is required to complete an assessment of compliance with the local school wellness policy (SWP) at least every three years and sharing the results of this triennial assessment with the public.

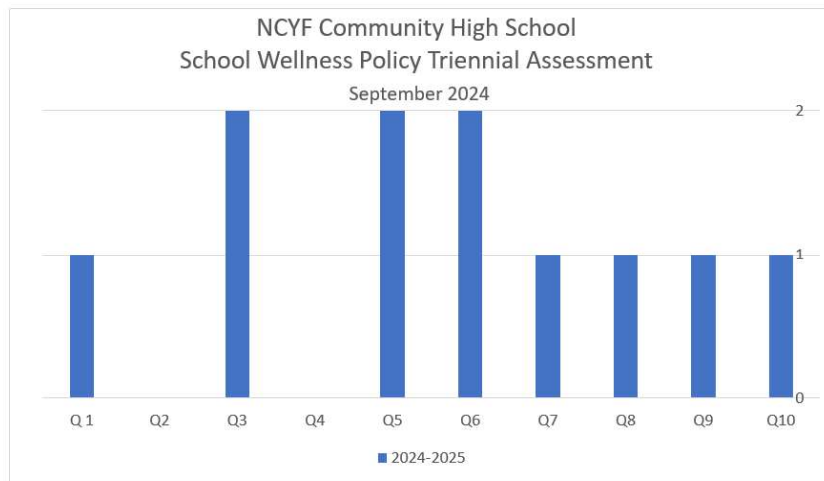
Compliance Rating Scale

0 = None of required language is present

1 = Some of required language is present

2 = All required language is included

The Ten Required Components of the School Wellness Policy as defined by the USDA final rule of 2016 and addressed on the Triennial Assessment:



Q1) Identifying one or more school official with the authority and responsibility for ensuring compliance with the policy:

Q2) Includes language inviting parents, students, representative so the school food authority, teacher of physical education, school health professional, the school board, school administrators, and general public to participation in the development, implementation, review and updating of the SWP.

Q3) The policy include language describing the methods for informing the public about the SWP, and is this updated annually

Q4) The policy include language outlining the triennial assessment process and expectations

Q5) The policy include nutrition standards for all food and beverages sold on the school campus during the school day and are they consistent with federal regulations for school meals and the Smart Snacks in School nutrition standards?

Q6) The policy includes standards for food and beverages provided but not sold, to students during the day (in classrooms parties or brought by parents)

Q7) The policy includes specific goals for nutritional education and promotion activities.

Q8) The policy includes requirements for marketing and advertising of only those foods and beverages that meet the USDA Smart Snacks in School nutrition standards on the school campus during the school day

Q9) The policy includes specific goals for physical activity opportunities.

Q10) The policy includes specific goals for other school-based activities that promote student wellness.

Finding From This Assessment: There will be some significant changes recommended for the 2025-2026 SWP and additional education provided to staff to ensure full compliance with the areas in which we currently have the information in the policy but practice is not consistently in alignment. Questions with less than a score of 2 on this assessment will be targeted for policy updates. Questions with scores of 0 are both areas with language needing added to the policy specific to the review and updating of the policy as well as information about this new assessment process. A draft policy for 2025-2026 is currently in development and will be available for review and comment as soon as December 1, 2024.

A copy of the NCYF School Wellness Policy 2025-2026 draft will be available by emailed request to DCS.NCYFHighSchool@Nebraska.gov

Comments or questions in regard to the current NCYF School Wellness Policy can also be submitted to this same email address.

The current 2024-2025 NCYF School Wellness Policy is available for review through a link at:

<https://corrections.nebraska.gov/about/rehabilitation/education-programs>

