

The Office of Child Nutrition (OCN) is pleased to announce the addition of Ms Becke Bounds to our staff. Ms Bounds will serve as Assistant State Director beginning February 1, 2012. Ms Bounds has served as School Food Service Administrator for Lamar County Schools for over 25 years. In recent years she has also added the responsibilities of Coordinated School Health Director and supervised school nurses in her District. We look forward to her addition as part of the OCN leadership team.

Also, there have been recent changes in the organization of our divisions within OCN. Two new Divisions, Schools Support and CACFP (Child and Adult Care Food Program) Support have replaced the former Divisions of Technical Assistance and Monitoring. Stephanie Robinson will lead Schools Support and Lenora Phillips will lead CACFP Support. Each new division will provide both technical assistance and compliance monitoring for their respective programs.

These changes in our organizational structure and leadership are designed to increase the ability of OCN to serve all of our organizations and, most importantly, the children of Mississippi.