



Civil Rights

All U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Child Nutrition Programs sponsoring agencies shall comply with civil rights laws and regulations, such as the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (race, color, national origin), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (sex), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (disability), Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (age), Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 (disability).

Goals of Civil Rights

- ✓ Eliminate barriers to program benefits
- ✓ Provide equal treatment to all
- ✓ Explain rights and responsibilities
- ✓ Show respect and dignity to all