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TO: All AHCC Incarcerated Individuals

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SUBJECT: Temporary Menu Changes

Due to the ongoing response to COVID-19 and impacts to available resources there will be a temporary change to meal types being served.

In accordance with DOC Policy 240.100 Food Services Program, the Department has temporarily approved a policy exception for some food service operations to serve two cold and one hot meals. This decision has been in collaboration with the Office of the Corrections Ombuds and will be discussed at the upcoming Statewide Family Council meeting.

The temporary menu continues to meet the nutritional needs of the incarcerated population as set forth in DOC Policy 240.100a and utilizes the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the Dietary Guidelines for Americans meal patterns.

cc: Prisons/Health Services Unified Command Incident Commanders
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