

HB 480 -- School Food Services

Sponsor: Aull

Beginning with school year 2009-2010, this bill requires food service directors and menu planners, whether they are employees of the school or contracted vendors, hired on or after August 28, 2009, to obtain school food service and nutrition specialist credentials or level 1 Missouri school nutrition association certification within two years of their appointment. Current personnel have until the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year to obtain their credentials. The bill applies to public and private schools that receive funding through the federal school lunch program.