BEST WAYS FOR PROMOTING EMPLOYEE HEALTH AND WELLNESS IN SCHOOL NUTRITION

School nutrition professionals across the nation have been working non-stop with preparing and serving nutritious meals for students. Support staff health and wellness with these tips to encourage positive workplace well-being for staff.

PROMOTING HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Post stress management tips throughout the workplace to support a positive work environment.



Encourage social interactive activities during breaks, like a short walk or start a recipe sharing club.



Empower employees to set attainable, short-term health goals



Offer incentives for employees who achieve health goals



Create a quiet space for self-guided meditation sessions



SHOWING STAFF APPRECIATION

Promote School Lunch Hero Day



Reward employees when they maintain or accomplish new skills, high-performance, and professional certifications and credentials



Host employee of the month or hall of fame celebrations





This project was funded using U.S. Department of Agriculture grant funds. The USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender

The University of Mississippi is an EEO/AA/Title VI/Title IX/Section 504/ADA/ADEA employer.

For more information and the nondiscrimination statement in other languages https://www.fns.usda.gov/cr/fns-nondiscrimination-statement

Except as provided below, you may freely use the text and information contained in this document for non-profit or educational use with no cost to the participant for the training providing the following credit is included. These materials may not be incorporated into other websites or textbooks and may not be sold.

Suggested Reference Citation: Institute of Child Nutrition. (2022). Best ways for promoting employee health and wellness in school nutrition. University, MS: Author.

The photographs and images in this document may be owned by third parties and used by the University of Mississippi under a licensing agreement. The university cannot, therefore, grant permission to use these images. Please contact helpdesk@theicn.org for more information.

© 2022, Institute of Child Nutrition, The University of Mississippi, School of Applied Sciences

