Attendance & Meal Count Entry: Attendance and Meal Counts on the Same Screen with mixed CACFP/ARAM on Mobile App

The checkbox on the Site Details Page "After School Program (ARAM)" is used by traditional child care centers that are also participating in the At-Risk Afterschool Meals Program. Centers that participant in both programs need to keep separate records, which can be accomplished in My Food Program. Note: for traditional child care centers to participate in ARAMS, meal counts must be taken by name. Headcount meal counts cannot be used with this configuration.

In order to check in a child for an ARAM meal, all of these conditions must be true:

- 1. The site is indicated as eligible for ARAM in Site Details.
- 2. The meal is designated as eligible for ARAM in Site Details.
- 3. The child is designated as enrolled in ARAM on their participant page.
- 4. The roster is designated as eligible for ARAM in Participants & Rosters..

To enter attendance and meal counts with mixed CACFP/ARAM using mobile app:

- Click "Side By Side".
- Select the Roster and the Meal.
- Click on "Present" if the child was in attendance for the day.
- Click on "ARAM Meal" if the child was served a reimbursable meal or snack.
- If a participant is not marked as eligible for ARAM, then no ARAM box with appear on the meal count screen. Either check the child in for a CACFP meal on another roster or go back and mark the child as eligible for ARAM.
- Click Submit.

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Notes:

- You cannot click "ARAM Meal" until you have clicked "Present" – this prevents a meal from being recorded without attendance.
- A child only need to be checked in as "Present" once during the day. The "Present" button will already be checked if you navigate to meals later in the day.
- If you remove the check from the "Present" column, you are removing the attendance and all meals for the day.

