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Branford School District (0140011)	Cacace	Maria	mcacace@branfordschools.org	203-315-7806
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Cheshire School District (0250011)	Biagetti	Erica	ebiagetti@cheshire.k12.ct.us	203-250-2445
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Colebrook School District (0290011)	Schmidt	Stacy	schmidt@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
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Eastford School District (0390011)	McCombe	Carole	cmccombe@eastfordct.org	860-974-1130
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East Hartford School District (0430011)	Bustamante	E. Rosa	bustamante.er@easthartford.org	860-622-5969
East Haven School District (0440011)	Schmidt	Deborah	dschmidt@east-haven.k12.ct.us	203-468-3261
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Essex School District (0500011)	Peterlik	Thomas	tpeterlik@reg4.k12.ct.us	860-526-9546
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Hartland School District (0650011)	Brown	Wendy	brownw@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
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Manchester School District (0770011)	Ruggiero	Doreen	doreenr@mpspride.org	860-647-3462
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New Fairfield School District (0910011)	Hary	Cindy	chary@newfairfield.org	203-312-5655
New Hartford School District (0920011)	Brown	Wendy	brownw@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
New Haven School District (0930011)	Young	Baron	baron.young@new-haven.k12.ct.us	(475) 220-1610
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New London School District (0950011)	Wilson	Samantha	wilsons@newlondon.org	860-447-6064
New Milford School District (0960011)	Sullivan	Sandra	sullivansa@newmilfordps.org	860-354-3712
Newtown School District (0970011)	Gouveia	Tanja	gouveiat@newtown.k12.ct.us	203-426-7619
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Plainfield School District (1090011)	Livernoche	Jana	livernochej@plainfieldschools.org	860-564-6400
Plainville School District (1100011)	Carl	Ashley	oniona@plainvilleschools.org	860-793-3200
Plymouth School District (1110011)	Meredith	Patel	patelm@plymouth.k12.ct.us	860-314-8005
Pomfret School District (1120011)	Hanlon	Paula	phanlon@eastconn.org	860-928-2718
Portland School District (1130011)	Ellam	Maritsa	mellam@portlandct.us	860-342-1880
Preston School District (1140011)	Homiski	Gloria	homiskig@prestonschools.org	860-889-6098
Putnam School District (1160011)	LaPlume	Jeannette	laplumej@putnam.k12.ct.us	860-963-6933
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Rocky Hill School District (1190011)	Cotto	Cinthia	cottoc@rockyhillps.com	860-258-7710
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Shelton School District (1260011)	Barry	Marry	mbarry@sheltonpublicschools.org	203-914-1023
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West Hartford School District (1550011)	Tedeschi	Rachel	Rachel_Tedeschi@whps.org	860-561-6678
West Haven School District (1560011)	Basta	Susanne	Susanne.Basta@whschools.org	203-937-4600
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Willington School District (1600011)	Knight	Stephanie	sknight@willingtonct.org	860-429-9391
Winchester School District (1620011)	Schmidt	Stacy	schmidt@edadvance.org	860-867-0863
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Woodbridge School District (1670011)	Abbott	Laura	labbott@woodbridgeps.org	203-389-2195
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Regional School District 05 (2050012)	Kovalik	Kathleen	kathleen.kovalik@amityregion5.org	203-397-4801
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Regional School District 08 (2080012)	Choma	Jennifer	jen.choma@rhamschools.org	860-228-9474
Regional School District 09 (2090012)	D'Agostino	Michael	mdagostino@er9.org	203-161-2513
Regional School District 10 (2100012)	Dreher	Margaret	dreherm@region10ct.org	860-673-2538
Regional School District 11 (2110012)	Haddad	Shannon	shaddad@parishhill.org	860-455-9584
Regional School District 12 (2120012)	Brown	Wendy	brownw@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
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EdAdvance (2420014)	Schmidt	Stacy	schmidt@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
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Interdistrict School for Arts and Comm District (2650013)	Barnes	Jenni	jbarnes@isaacschool.org	860-447-1003
Common Ground High School District (2680013)	Jimenez	Iris	ijimenez@nhep.com	203-389-0823
The Bridge Academy District (2690013)	Dutton	Tim	bridgeacademy@yahoo.com	203-336-9999
Side By Side Charter School District (2700013)	Kress	Jill	Kressj@norwalkps.org	203-899-2990
Explorations District (2720013)	Schmidt	Stacy	schmidt@edadvance.org	860-567-0863
Amistad Academy District (2790013)	Cox	Alexis	alexiscox@achievementfirst.org	203-773-3223
New Beginnings Inc Family Academy District (2800013)	Daigle	Todd	tdaigle@nbfacademy.org	203-384-2897
Park City Prep Charter School District (2830013)	Figueroa	David	dfigueroa@parkcityprep.org	203-953-3766
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Elm City College Preparatory School District (2890013)	Cox	Alexis	alexiscox@achievementfirst.org	203-773-3223
Brass City Charter School District (2900013)	Landona	Nancy	nlandona@brasscitycharter.org	203-527-5942
Elm City Montessori School District (2910013)	Young	Baron	BARON.YOUNG@new-haven.k12.ct.us	475- 220-1611
Great Oaks Charter School District (2940013)	Hubbard	Latoya	lhubbard@gobpt.org	203-858-1289
Booker T. Washington Academy District (2950013)	Young	Baron	baron.young@new-haven.k12.ct.us	203-623-8907
Stamford Charter School for Excellence District (2960013)	Rios	Monica	mrios@stamfordexcellence.org	203-989-0000
Capital Preparatory Harbor School District (2970013)	Conant	Joan	joan.conant@capitalprepharbor.org	860-969-3300
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For more information, visit the Connecticut State Department of Education's (CSDE) Direct Certification for School Nutrition Programs webpage or contact the school nutrition programs staff at the Connecticut State Department of Education, Bureau of Child Nutrition Programs, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 504, Hartford, CT 06103-1841. This document is available at https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/sde/nutrition/nslp/directcert/direct_certification_contact_list.pdf.

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1. mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
   Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
   1400 Independence Avenue, SW
   Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. fax: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
3. email: program.intake@usda.gov

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