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## **Cherokee Nation Senior Nutrition Sites Guidelines**

### **Mission Statement**

The Cherokee Nation Elder Services intent is to provide services to the senior citizens of the Cherokee Nation service area. We will service those with the greatest economic and social needs including elderly who are low income, frail and impaired, geographically, and socially isolated or non-English speaking. It is our intent to improve the quality of life for the elders of Cherokee Nation so that they can remain in their homes and can continue to make valuable contributions to their communities.

- All participants will have a yearly intake form filled out.
- Participants over the age of 50 will need to supply a copy of their tribal citizenship.
- Non-tribal participants will need to provide a copy of their state issued photo identification.
- All carry out meals will need to provide a yearly updated doctor's statement to be kept on file.

### **Cost will be as follows:**

- Over the age of 50 with tribal citizenship verification **-no cost**
- Married couples with one tribal citizenship verification **-no cost.**
- Non-tribal and guests under 50 without tribal citizenship **-\$8.00** (depending on availability for the day)
- Anyone 19-49 years of age with tribal citizenship verification **-\$8.00**

To serve everyone a meal we ask that walk-in participants call by 9 AM each morning to request a meal 918-316-3249.

If you are a regular attendee and will not participating in the meal, please let us know as soon as possible so we can adjust for your absence.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact **Josie Cheater** at 918-316-3249

**Thank you for your cooperation and participation.**