## Lower Sioux Elder Nutrition Program Menu: October 1, 2019- October 31, 2019 Wicozani **Weekly Events Monday Tuesday** Wednesday **Thursday Friday** Week 1 October 1 October 2 October 3 October 4 Mexi-Chicken Wrap **Elder's Choice Day!** Chef's Salad w/ Ranch Braised beef tips w/ gravy Chef's choice fruit **Pork Chops** Dressing mashed potatoes Vanilla Pudding steamed mixed veggies **Mashed Potatoes** Whole wheat bread slice Chef's choice cooked Apple Crisp wheat bread Angel Food w/ Berries & vegetable Whipped Topping Cherry pie Week 2 October 7 October 8 October 9 October 10 October 11 Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce Cranberry Pork Loin Chops **Beef Stew** Roasted Turkey Breast w/ Chicken Caesar Salad Wrap Seasonal cooked Vegetables Cooked broccoli Pumpkin Seed Spinach Salad Gravy Chef's choice fruit Brown rice pilaf English Muffin Garlic Bread Whole wheat bread slice Rustic Mashed Potatoes Apple Sauce Chef's choice fruit Banana pudding square **Butterscotch Pudding** Cooked Green Beans Chef's choice fruit Week 3 October 14 October 15 October 16 October 17 October 18 Grilled Lemon Pepper Chicken Garlic & Sage Roasted Pork Chicken Parmesan Split pea and ham soup Meatloaf w/gravy Wild rice pilaf with vegetables **Baked Potato** with noodles Egg salad sandwich Mashed Potatoes California Medley Whole wheat bread slice Cooked Broccoli Lemony fruit cup Cooked Carrots Strawberry Rhubarb Square Whole wheat bread slice Wheat Dinner roll Whole Wheat Dinner Roll Banana pudding square Sugar free chocolate pudding Blueberry Crisp Week 4 October 24 October 21 October 22 October 23 October 25 Grilled Pork chops Swedish Meatballs w/ Egg **Elder's Choice Day!** Chicken Wild Rice Casserole Chili Rustic Mashed Potatoes Noodles **Liver and Onions** Vegetable medley Shredded cheese topping

Mashed Potatoes w/gravv

Asparagus

Cornbread

**Apple Pie** 

October 30

Baked Ham

Au gratin potatoes

California medley veggies

Strawberry rhubarb square

Whole wheat bread slice

Angel Food w/ Berries &

Whipped Topping

October 31

Autumn Squash Soup Turkey Sandwich

Apple Crisp

Elder's Halloween Party! 1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. at Jackpot Junction Pumpkin seed spinach salad

Cornbread muffin with wojapi

Menu includes 1% or skim milk, coffee, tea, water. The menu meets the requirements of the National Standards for providing healthy meals, the *Dietary Reference Intakes* (DRI's) and the *Dietary Guidelines for Americans*. Menu has been evaluated and approved by: Stacy Hammer, RDN, LD. Menu is subject to change.

Chef's choice cooked vegetable

Wheat breadstick

Strawberry Rhubarb Square

October 29

BLT salad with avocado

Breadstick

Berry Crisp

Cooked California medley

Whole wheat bread slice

Yogurt Parfait w/ Berries

October 28

Chicken Chow Mein

Chef's Choice Fruit

Oatmeal choc. chip cookie

Week 5

<sup>\*</sup> Guest meals are available for \$6.50. Guest meal price includes: meal, drink and dessert. In order to ensure sufficient food is prepared, please call Gayle McCorkell one day prior at: 697-8016 if you need your meal delivered, or if you will be dining at Lower Sioux Community Center. Meals will be delivered between 11:30- 12:00 pm Monday- Friday at Community Center for those who wish to dine with friends and family. **Please turn over for important Elder Nutrition Program policy information.** 

## Reminder: The Lower Sioux Elder Caregiver Services Program has a stocked durable medical equipment lending closet!

Current durable medical equipment available from the Lower Sioux Health Care Center lending closet includes:

- Portable ramps, pill dispensers, rollator with seat and breaks, transport chairs, commodes and a portable hospital bed for end of life/hospice use in the home.
- If you or a family member have a need for durable medical equipment, please call Stacy Hammer at: 697-8945 to find out if the equipment needed is available and in stock at the Lower Sioux Health Care Center lending closet.

Reminder: The ENP van is available for Elder's needing transportation to and from the community center to enjoy their meal with other Elder's in the kitchen area for congregate services and for transportation to and from the grocery store:

- The van is also handicap accessible, which will allow room for those Elder's requiring their wheelchair for transporting.
- Please call Gayle McCorkell at: 697-8016 if you would like to be transported to community center dining area for your meal service.
- Please call Gwen Kodet at: 697-8941 and leave a message if you need transportation to and from the grocery store. First come, first serve, maximum of 7 adults in one trip.

## **Lower Sioux Caregiver Services Program Eligibility Requirements:**

**Family caregiver\*** means an adult family member, or another individual, who is an informal provider of in-home and community care to an eligible elder *or to* an individual with Alzheimer's disease or a related disorder. Respite care is care provided to a frail elder so that the caregiver can have a break. **Grandparents raising grandchildren -** CHILD – The term "child" means an individual who is not more than 18 years of age or who is an individual with a disability. GRANDPARENT OR OLDER INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A RELATIVE CAREGIVER – a grandparent or step-grandparent of a child, or a relative of a child by blood, marriage, or adoption who is 60 years of age or older and either (A) lives with the child; (B) is the primary caregiver of the child because the biological or adoptive parents are unable or unwilling to serve as the primary caregiver of the child; or (C) has the legal relationship to the child or is raising the child informally.

**Clarification of services -** In respect to Grandparents caring for Grandchildren, the Lower Sioux Title VI program (Elder Nutrition Program) may utilize caregiver funds from the Native American Caregiver Support Program to provide respite and supplemental services to grandparents and relative caregivers. Funds may be provided to pay expenses such as summer camps and the SACC program that would allow grandparents a break from their daily caregiving responsibilities. Furthermore, funds may be utilized to provide daycare services for facilities licensed under Lower Sioux Health and Social Services.

- Grandparents raising Grandchildren will be allotted up to 24 hours of respite care per month. Families will be notified if allotments are adjusted due to changes in funding.
  - \*Eligible family caregiver 60 years of age or older may receive up to 24 hours of respite care per month. Respite care can be provided in the home of the elder, the caregiver, or it can be provided at an out of home setting such as a senior center or adult day care center.

In order to begin services, and check for eligibility please contact Lower Sioux Title VI Director, Stacy Hammer, RDN, LD at: 697-8945.

If you have any questions regarding additional elder services and programming through our Healthy Generations Elder Program, please contact your Intergenerational Coordinator's, Josh Larsen at: 507-430-9189, or Sara Bidinger at: 507-430-5668. Their office is currently located at the community center front conference room. Their office hours are from 8:30-4:30 Monday through Friday.