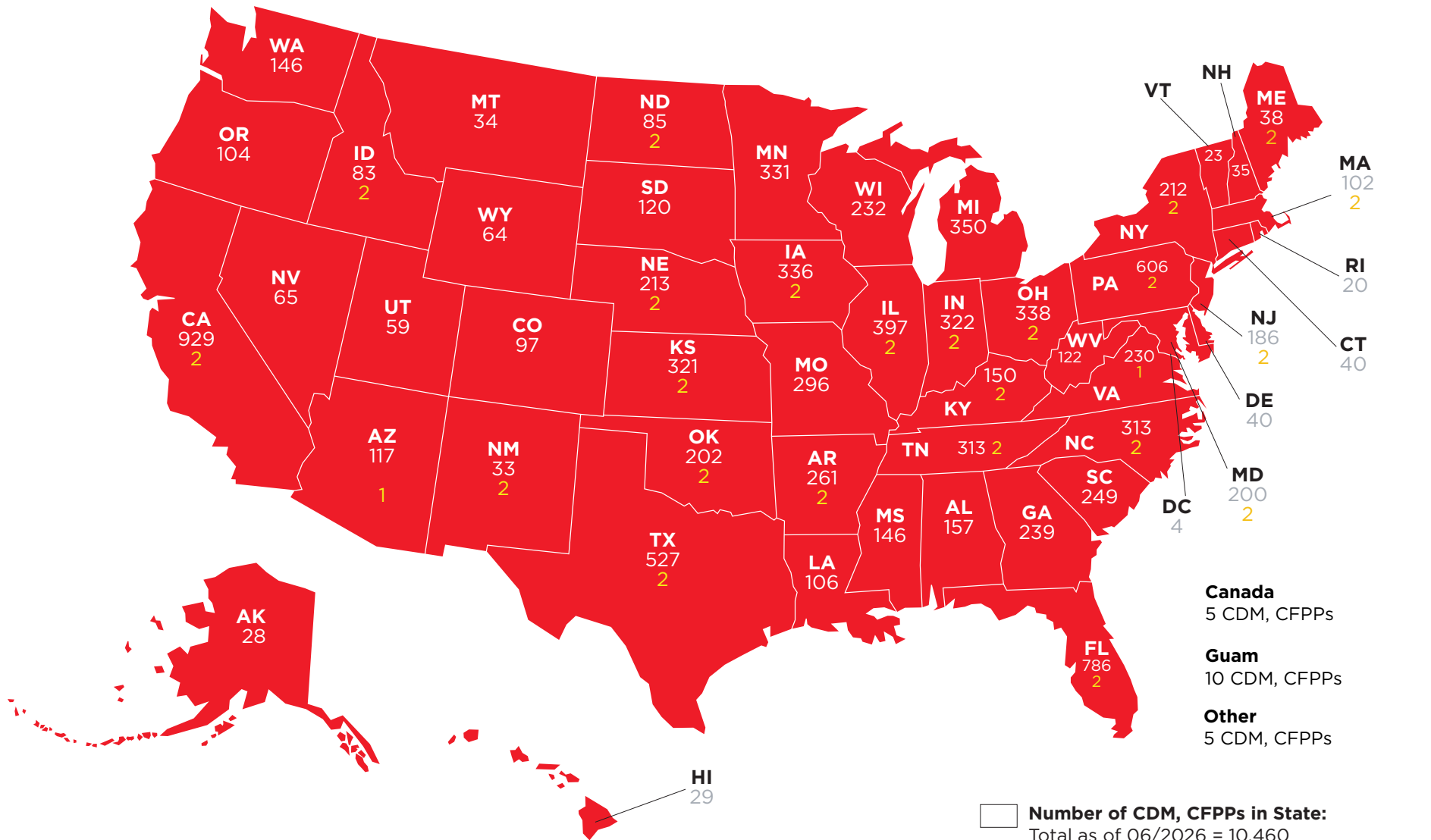


The CDM®, CFPP® Credential at a Glance



The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) issued its final regulations of part [483 to Title 42](#) of the Code of Federal Regulations, the Requirements for States and Long-Term Care Facilities on September 28, 2016. The Certified Dietary Manager, Certified Food Protection Professional (CDM, CFPP) is listed first amongst the qualifications to meet requirements for the newly designated Director of Food and Nutrition Services.

- Number of CDM, CFPPs in State:
Total as of 06/2026 = 10,460
- 48 ANFP Approved Training Programs in State:
Total as of 06/2026 = 25 States with ANFP Approved Training Programs