



“Making Waves in Nutrition and Foodservice”

Association of Nutrition and Foodservice Professionals of Virginia (ANFPVA)

October 22nd & 23rd, 2026 – Hyatt House Virginia Beach Oceanfront

October 22, 2026	
9:00am-4:30pm	Registration
9:00am-9:45am	Continental Breakfast
9:45am-10:00am	Welcome Christie Matthews - ANFP Virginia Chapter President/ANFP VA Chapter Board Members
10:00am-11:30am	Common Pests Found in Retail Food Establishments Wilbert Robinson, (Virginia Beach Health Department)
11:30am-12:15pm	New Dietary Guidelines Update Hillary Muse, RD., System Clinical Nutrition Manager (Riverside Health)
12:15pm-1:00pm	Putting Hospitality in Healthcare Christine Morillo, NHA, Administrator (Riverside Health)
1:00pm-1:30pm	Refreshments & Networking
1:30pm-2:30pm	Dysphasia & IDDSI Emma Moreland, M.S, CC-SLP (Medical Facilities of America)
2:30pm-3:30pm	WIC Works! Delivering Nutrition to Young Families Dianne Danielson, NDTR, CBS (Virginia Department of Health)
3:30pm-4:30pm	Continuing Competence, Website Navigation, and Member Resources Amarilys Saluk, CDM, CFPP (ANFP National Director at Large)



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7:30am	Registration Open
8:00am-8:15am	Welcome Christie Matthews - ANFP Virginia Chapter President/ANFP VA Chapter Board Members
8:15am-9:00am	Phasing Out EPS Foam Foodware in Virginia, A Collaborative Effort Christina Trapani (Executive Director, Clean Virginia Waterways)
9:00am-10:00am	The Tidewater Table: Fall Foodways in 18th c. Coastal Virginia Allison Parker Hendrick (Handmade History)
10:00am-10:30am	Networking Break
10:30am-11:30am	Crisis-Ready Kitchens: CMS Compliance, Utility Outages, & Food Safety Resilience Hira Nadeem, MPH, Environmental Health Specialist, Ree Rush, CP-FS, Food Supervisor, Kayla Hagerman, MPH, Environmental Health Specialist Sr., Anita Blackwell, Public Outreach Coordinator (Virginia Beach Department of Health)
11:30am-12:30pm	Food As Medicine Sloan Henry (Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia)
12:30pm-1:30pm	Lunch & Networking
1:30pm-2:30pm	Birthplace of American Cuisine: Coastal Virginia Patrick-Evan-Hylton
2:30pm-3:30pm	FOG 101: What Every Food & Nutrition Professional Should Know Patrick Werlein & Amanda Albright (Public Utilities/Hampton Roads Sanitation Department)
3:30pm-4:30pm	Flavor, Dignity, & Innovation: Modern Culinary Approaches in Senior Living. Chef Charlie Nunes (Bentley Commons at Lynchburg)