INTRODUCTION TO CONCEPTUAL FIELD FEEDING EQUIPMENT

The CFD is looking to revolutionize military operations, researching new concepts and technologies for field feeding equipment and systems that will improve the quality of life in the field for all Warfighters. CFD has created the registered trademark "Coming to a Theater Near You®" to symbolize this effort. It represents a pledge to Warfighters that new and innovative technologies are always being researched and developed in order to improve food quality while maximizing the time and energy that is put toward preparing food in the field.

The projects and equipment described in the following pages are all designated as "Coming to a Theater Near You®" because they are high risk, high payoff technology concepts that are planned for testing and/or fielding within the next few fiscal years and promise great impact on field feeding operations. Also, as more effort is put towards researching environmentally conscious technologies, so do CFD's equipment and related systems become more energy efficient and resource sustainable. While many equipment items and systems have the potential to be used by all services once their application is seen in theater, the R&D for a particular item is usually done for a specific need of one of the Services. The item listed at the top of each page is identified as either Army, All Services, or Navy.

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