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- Amanda Topper, Associate Director - Foodservice

This report looks at the following areas:

- FSRs continue to grow at a slower rate than LSRs
- Many options for prepared food beyond traditional restaurants
- Majority of consumers prefer at-home cooking and entertainment

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