

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM					
(Data as of September 6, 2019)					
Fiscal Year	PARTICIPATION		BENEFIT	AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT	
	Persons	Households	COSTS	Per Person	Per Household
ANNUAL SUMMARY					
FY 2019	33,677,755	16,921,185	40,476,014,076	133.54	265.78
FY 2018	39,705,148	19,725,879	60,407,786,888	126.78	255.20
FY 2017	42,228,118	20,900,823	63,711,051,076	125.73	254.02
FY 2016	44,219,656	21,777,967	66,539,269,256	125.40	254.61
MONTHLY DATA					
FY 2016					
Oct 2015	45,368,265	22,388,684	5,730,589,820	126.31	255.96
Nov 2015	45,453,871	22,417,268	5,712,325,692	125.67	254.82
Dec 2015	45,188,751	22,324,099	5,692,831,945	125.98	255.01
Jan 2016	44,852,347	22,153,124	5,615,795,192	125.21	253.50
Feb 2016	44,382,926	21,938,790	5,566,554,378	125.42	253.73
Mar 2016	44,344,774	21,926,087	5,598,583,806	126.25	255.34
Apr 2016	43,570,377	21,425,555	5,441,808,244	124.90	253.99
May 2016	43,481,269	21,374,050	5,446,605,261	125.26	254.82
Jun 2016	43,536,321	21,369,408	5,416,870,557	124.42	253.49
Jul 2016	43,334,443	21,270,522	5,402,178,151	124.66	253.97
Aug 2016	43,629,079	21,397,480	5,486,920,855	125.76	256.43
Sep 2016	43,493,446	21,350,538	5,428,205,355	124.81	254.24
**FY 2017					
Oct 2016	43,660,143	21,506,068	5,562,382,558	127.40	258.64
Nov 2016	43,200,201	21,315,670	5,401,003,653	125.02	253.38
Dec 2016	42,972,692	21,232,456	5,346,893,421	124.43	251.83
Jan 2017	42,715,593	21,133,144	5,283,526,016	123.69	250.01
Feb 2017	42,297,791	20,937,903	5,282,188,408	124.88	252.28
Mar 2017	42,212,512	20,925,979	5,259,373,711	124.59	251.33
Apr 2017	41,709,161	20,604,489	5,173,129,493	124.03	251.07
May 2017	41,584,544	20,590,732	5,167,099,185	124.26	250.94
Jun 2017	41,442,597	20,559,592	5,171,685,946	124.79	251.55
Jul 2017	41,043,048	20,428,398	5,127,153,512	124.92	250.98
Aug 2017	41,261,807	20,550,170	5,172,976,093	125.37	251.72
Sep 2017	42,637,322	21,025,277	5,763,639,080	135.18	274.13
**FY 2018					
Oct 2017	45,777,316	22,149,423	6,625,311,806	144.73	299.12
Nov 2017	41,730,806	20,821,897	5,319,271,506	127.47	255.47
Dec 2017	41,373,816	20,474,815	5,072,929,638	122.61	247.76
Jan 2018	40,845,565	20,385,297	5,000,853,663	122.43	245.32
Feb 2018	38,913,875	19,348,630	4,913,410,613	126.26	253.94
Mar 2018	38,881,772	19,364,419	4,944,066,931	127.16	255.32
Apr 2018	38,472,958	19,174,821	4,864,520,122	126.44	253.69
May 2018	38,401,779	19,141,199	4,863,604,331	126.65	254.09
Jun 2018	38,288,125	19,090,281	4,851,227,596	126.70	254.12
Jul 2018	38,060,148	18,975,278	4,665,209,259	122.57	245.86
Aug 2018	37,977,347	18,953,084	4,661,423,228	122.74	245.95
Sep 2018	37,738,265	18,831,398	4,625,958,195	122.58	245.65
**FY 2019					
Oct 2018	37,725,982	18,841,068	4,682,758,582	124.13	248.54
Nov 2018	37,578,643	18,777,525	4,633,167,142	123.29	246.74
Dec 2018	37,172,830	18,619,596	4,581,805,175	123.26	246.07
*Jan 2019	39,149,740	19,708,689	8,507,052,208	217.30	431.64
*Feb 2019	7,291,333	3,636,327	615,814,616	84.46	169.35
*Mar 2019	36,204,674	18,217,125	4,319,035,140	119.30	237.09
Apr 2019	35,993,281	18,134,869	4,363,705,044	121.24	240.63
May 2019	35,953,808	18,124,497	4,381,775,303	121.87	241.76
Jun 2019	36,029,506	18,230,968	4,390,900,866	121.87	240.85
FY 2019 data are preliminary; all data are subject to revision; data may include disaster assistance.					
*Due to the partial Federal government shutdown, most of the February 2019 SNAP benefits were issued early in the month of January 2019. This was done to ensure SNAP recipients would receive their February 2019 benefits in a timely manner. February's data reflects the participation and issuance that was not part of the early issuance. As a result, March 2019's participation & benefits will show a significant increase over the previous month.					
**Totals excludes NC and RI data as follows: North Carolina is missing data reports for the months of Feb. 2018 through current month. Questions regarding NC's reporting should be directed to: NC Dept. of Health & Human Services 1-800-662-7030 or 919-855-4800; Rhode Island - RI is missing data reports for the months of Feb. 2018 through current month. Questions regarding RI's reporting should be directed to: RI Dept. of Human Services 1-800-745-6575					