

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS PARTICIPATING

(Data as of December 09, 2016)

State / Territory				Percent Change	
	September 2015	August 2016	September 2016	September 2016 vs Aug 2016	September 2016 vs Sep 2015
		<i>Preliminary</i>	<i>Initial</i>		
Alabama	416,029	386,599	387,152	0.1%	-6.9%
Alaska	34,755	35,636	35,622	0.0%	2.5%
Arizona	440,531	428,866	428,968	0.0%	-2.6%
Arkansas	209,027	175,973	175,096	-0.5%	-16.2%
California	2,127,450	2,068,663	2,054,322	-0.7%	-3.4%
Colorado	228,791	224,821	222,565	-1.0%	-2.7%
Connecticut	248,460	242,597	241,837	-0.3%	-2.7%
Delaware	71,393	73,129	71,942	-1.6%	0.8%
District of Columbia	79,397	74,552	74,268	-0.4%	-6.5%
Florida	2,028,944	1,736,950	1,737,092	0.0%	-14.4%
Georgia	830,501	774,920	775,905	0.1%	-6.6%
Guam	15,581	15,384	15,289	-0.6%	-1.9%
Hawaii	92,025	87,891	87,542	-0.4%	-4.9%
Idaho	81,400	76,361	76,145	-0.3%	-6.5%
Illinois	1,050,682	1,002,465	998,672	-0.4%	-5.0%
Indiana	364,690	316,369	313,106	-1.0%	-14.1%
Iowa	179,712	178,039	177,813	-0.1%	-1.1%
Kansas	118,739	112,619	111,844	-0.7%	-5.8%
Kentucky	345,730	297,559	299,554	0.7%	-13.4%
Louisiana	397,606	488,464	476,315	-2.5%	19.8%
Maine	100,330	97,333	95,890	-1.5%	-4.4%
Maryland	406,025	377,503	375,724	-0.5%	-7.5%
Massachusetts	451,178	447,221	446,793	-0.1%	-1.0%
Michigan	802,001	758,085	775,869	2.3%	-3.3%
Minnesota	235,582	228,830	226,867	-0.9%	-3.7%
Mississippi	294,400	252,366	251,995	-0.1%	-14.4%
Missouri	399,280	357,197	354,012	-0.9%	-11.3%
Montana	53,288	55,987	56,294	0.5%	5.6%
Nebraska	78,742	79,280	79,376	0.1%	0.8%
Nevada	219,394	223,408	223,933	0.2%	2.1%
New Hampshire	49,784	46,793	46,874	0.2%	-5.8%
New Jersey	449,490	430,543	427,292	-0.8%	-4.9%
New Mexico	209,073	223,584	223,364	-0.1%	6.8%
New York	1,648,584	1,629,300	1,625,747	-0.2%	-1.4%
North Carolina	801,772	705,247	703,039	-0.3%	-12.3%
North Dakota	24,807	25,421	25,408	-0.1%	2.4%
Ohio	801,187	781,334	776,792	-0.6%	-3.0%
Oklahoma	275,044	279,003	279,369	0.1%	1.6%
Oregon	433,956	409,272	405,793	-0.9%	-6.5%
Pennsylvania	942,847	951,207	951,638	0.0%	0.9%
Rhode Island	100,884	99,987	100,592	0.6%	-0.3%
South Carolina	376,617	351,820	347,845	-1.1%	-7.6%
South Dakota	42,621	41,937	42,033	0.2%	-1.4%
Tennessee	588,732	529,071	528,745	-0.1%	-10.2%
Texas	1,571,497	1,619,472	1,629,883	0.6%	3.7%
Utah	86,403	85,275	85,075	-0.2%	-1.5%
Vermont	43,870	42,251	42,390	0.3%	-3.4%
Virginia	397,024	382,460	380,868	-0.4%	-4.1%
Virgin Islands	13,022	12,932	12,977	0.3%	-0.3%
Washington	562,566	532,718	528,419	-0.8%	-6.1%
West Virginia	179,616	175,422	174,961	-0.3%	-2.6%

Wisconsin	383,619	352,036	350,962	-0.3%	-8.5%
Wyoming	13,549	14,347	14,277	-0.5%	5.4%
TOTAL	22,398,227	21,396,499	21,352,145	-0.2%	-4.7%

The following areas receive Nutrition Assistance Grants which provide benefits analogous to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: Puerto Rico, American Samoa, and the Northern Marianas.

August and September 2016 data are preliminary and are subject to significant revision.