

**! Current Suspected Overdose Deaths in Delaware for 2023: 172** Get Help Now! 

(<http://www.helpisherede.com/#intro>)

**! Find school water testing results and additional resources**

(<https://publichealthalerts.delaware.gov/safe-school-drinking-water/>)

**! Attention Medicaid Participants: Eligibility Renewals Restarted April 1, 2023**

([https://www.dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dmma/de\\_medicaid\\_eligibility\\_renewal.html](https://www.dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dmma/de_medicaid_eligibility_renewal.html))

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# Delaware SNAP Emergency Food Benefits Are Ending



([snapbenefits.html](https://snapbenefits.html))

**A federal law was passed that ends Emergency Food Benefits. Households will get their final Emergency Food Benefits on their EBT cards on February 28, 2023. Extra Emergency Food Benefits end and monthly Food Benefit amounts will return to normal starting in March 2023.**

[Learn More \(snapbenefits.html\)](https://snapbenefits.html)

## Food Supplement Program

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is a food supplemental program that enables low-income families to buy a variety of food that is the basis for better nutrition. Benefits are issued electronically to the family's Delaware Food First card each month. This is an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card. The Food Supplement Program recipient uses this card at local grocery stores to access his/her food benefit.

The United States Department of Agriculture, Food & Nutrition Service (FNS), is the federal agency responsible for overseeing the Food Supplement Program. Please see our Related Links ([links.html](https://www.dhss.delaware.gov/links.html)) page for the FNS website.

To apply for (SNAP) food supplement benefits click here (<https://assist.dhss.delaware.gov/>)

## Eligibility

Eligibility for Delaware's Food Supplement Program is based on factors such as who lives and eats together, relationship in the home and household income. All children who are 21 years of age and younger and live with their parents must apply for food benefits with their parents. Applications for the Food Supplement Program must be U.S. Citizens or eligible aliens to qualify. Individuals who receive TANF, GA or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) do not need to meet an income test to receive food benefits. The maximum gross monthly income limit for most households is set at 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). Currently, there is no resource test for most households that meet the 200% FPL maximum gross monthly income limit.

# Food Supplemental Program

## FOOD BENEFIT INCOME ELIGIBILITY LIMITS AND MAXIMUM BENEFIT AMOUNTS October 1, 2022 - September 30, 2023

Household Size	Maximum Gross Monthly Income 200% FPL	Gross Monthly Income Limit 130% FPL	Net Monthly Income Limit 100% FPL	Maximum Monthly Benefit Amount
1	\$2,266	\$1,473	\$1,133	\$281
2	\$3,052	\$1,984	\$1,526	\$516
3	\$3,840	\$2,495	\$1,920	\$740
4	\$4,626	\$3,007	\$2,313	\$939
5	\$5,412	\$3,518	\$2,706	\$1,116
6	\$6,200	\$4,029	\$3,100	\$1,339
7	\$6,986	\$4,541	\$3,493	\$1,480
8	\$7,772	\$5,052	\$3,886	\$1,691
*For each additional person add	\$788	\$512	\$394	\$211

### Additional Food Assistance Resources

- SNAP Online Purchasing Program  
(<https://www.dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dss/snapopp.html>) - Buy groceries online with your Delaware EBT card.
- WIC - Women Infant and Children  
(<http://www.dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dph/chca/dphwichominf01.html>) - Helps low-income women, infants & children up to age 5 who are at nutritional risk.
- School Nutrition Programs (<http://www.doe.k12.de.us/domain/149>)
- Community Food and Nutrition Program  
(<http://dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/dssc/comfdnut.html>)
- USDA - Recipe Finder (<https://snaped.fns.usda.gov/nutrition-education/snap-ed-recipes>)

**To check the amount on your EBT card, you can:**

- Check your balance on your last grocery receipt.
- Log into ConnectEBT.com (<https://www.connectebt.com/>)
- Call Conduent customer service at **1-800-526-9099**
- Download the FREE FreshEBT APP (<http://www.freshebt.com>)

**If you are in need of emergency food assistance, please contact:**

Delaware 211 to find the nearest food pantry or distribution site:

- Dial 2-1-1 or 1-800-560-3372
- Text (302)231-1464
- Visit 211 Service (<http://211service.com/index.php/basic-needs/food/food-assistance>)

Local Delaware State Service Center (<http://cms-internet.dhss.state.de.us/dhss/dssc/>)

**SNAP Nondiscrimination Statement for Food Benefit Applicants and Recipients:**

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1. Mail:

Food and Nutrition Service, USDA

1320 Braddock Place, Room 334

Alexandria, VA 22314; or

2. Fax:

(833)256-1665 or (202)690-7442; or

3. Email:

FNSCIVILRIGHTSCOMPLAINTS@usda.gov

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