

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: NUMBER OF PERSONS PARTICIPATING

(Data as of June 9, 2017)

State / Territory	Percent Change				
	March	February	March	March 2017 vs	
	2016	2017	2017	Feb 2017	Mar 2016
		<i>Preliminary</i>	<i>Initial</i>		
Alabama	864,645	809,763	803,466	-0.8%	-7.1%
Alaska	83,933	85,866	87,803	2.3%	4.6%
Arizona	946,247	913,814	912,635	-0.1%	-3.6%
Arkansas	434,865	389,577	385,208	-1.1%	-11.4%
California	4,378,063	4,126,328	4,117,613	-0.2%	-5.9%
Colorado	477,783	461,645	465,246	0.8%	-2.6%
Connecticut	433,566	408,213	391,810	-4.0%	-9.6%
Delaware	146,532	149,105	147,419	-1.1%	0.6%
District of Columbia	133,804	121,393	120,786	-0.5%	-9.7%
Florida	3,560,060	3,176,287	3,178,027	0.1%	-10.7%
Georgia	1,719,210	1,744,886	1,423,551	-18.4%	-17.2%
Guam	47,044	44,667	44,841	0.4%	-4.7%
Hawaii	176,105	169,319	169,038	-0.2%	-4.0%
Idaho	188,833	175,781	174,920	-0.5%	-7.4%
Illinois	1,870,177	1,856,153	1,885,248	1.6%	0.8%
Indiana	745,505	679,246	678,003	-0.2%	-9.1%
Iowa	381,641	367,477	365,773	-0.5%	-4.2%
Kansas	253,183	236,370	233,285	-1.3%	-7.9%
Kentucky	598,535	651,889	647,896	-0.6%	8.2%
Louisiana	989,811	926,213	913,850	-1.3%	-7.7%
Maine	190,803	185,153	181,209	-2.1%	-5.0%
Maryland	745,125	686,967	679,315	-1.1%	-8.8%
Massachusetts	782,988	762,087	759,573	-0.3%	-3.0%
Michigan	1,480,044	1,393,563	1,383,576	-0.7%	-6.5%
Minnesota	482,901	454,645	455,995	0.3%	-5.6%
Mississippi	570,514	540,106	535,180	-0.9%	-6.2%
Missouri	830,045	758,123	758,881	0.1%	-8.6%
Montana	116,987	122,324	121,859	-0.4%	4.2%
Nebraska	175,455	176,971	177,129	0.1%	1.0%
Nevada	438,356	440,775	438,465	-0.5%	0.0%
New Hampshire	99,485	93,302	92,966	-0.4%	-6.6%
New Jersey	885,831	825,972	821,265	-0.6%	-7.3%
New Mexico	469,855	459,657	456,168	-0.8%	-2.9%
New York	2,972,806	2,922,436	2,927,021	0.2%	-1.5%
North Carolina	1,598,845	1,458,092	1,448,592	-0.7%	-9.4%
North Dakota	54,526	53,987	53,941	-0.1%	-1.1%
Ohio	1,628,168	1,510,943	1,522,223	0.7%	-6.5%
Oklahoma	608,305	605,306	600,322	-0.8%	-1.3%
Oregon	739,514	691,223	686,855	-0.6%	-7.1%
Pennsylvania	1,866,954	1,845,237	1,838,124	-0.4%	-1.5%
Rhode Island	171,329	161,936	153,106	-5.5%	-10.6%
South Carolina	772,096	725,386	721,117	-0.6%	-6.6%
South Dakota	95,646	94,387	93,493	-0.9%	-2.3%
Tennessee	1,115,967	1,048,724	1,054,349	0.5%	-5.5%
Texas	3,716,248	3,755,726	3,769,743	0.4%	1.4%
Utah	223,053	209,053	209,947	0.4%	-5.9%
Vermont	79,653	78,032	77,142	-1.1%	-3.2%
Virginia	827,483	797,149	770,736	-3.3%	-6.9%
Virgin Islands	27,424	27,164	26,796	-1.4%	-2.3%
Washington	1,029,246	942,136	936,645	-0.6%	-9.0%

West Virginia	358,559	342,011	341,407	-0.2%	-4.8%
Wisconsin	726,309	698,688	696,930	-0.3%	-4.0%
Wyoming	34,712	33,887	33,929	0.1%	-2.3%
TOTAL	44,344,774	42,395,140	41,970,417	-1.0%	-5.4%

February and March 2017 data are preliminary and are subject to significant revision.

[*Data may include disaster assistance.*](#)

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.