

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN (WIC)

(Data as of October 11, 2024)

Fiscal Year	Women Participants	Infant Participants	Children Participants	Total Participants	Food Costs	NSA Costs*	Average Food Cost
ANNUAL SUMMARY							
FY 2023	1,486,540	1,470,046	3,619,391	6,575,977	4,424,063,606	2,133,820,811	56.06
FY 2022	1,400,401	1,428,846	3,430,943	6,260,190	3,586,635,213	2,020,031,997	47.74
FY 2021	1,379,126	1,464,744	3,400,090	6,243,959	2,665,965,741	1,993,655,715	35.58
FY 2020	1,446,146	1,551,034	3,250,234	6,247,414	2,884,447,671	1,981,070,686	38.48
MONTHLY DATA							
FY 2021							
Oct 2020	1,425,128	1,524,414	3,429,556	6,379,098	220,947,731	719,590,353	34.64
Nov 2020	1,405,342	1,503,717	3,420,695	6,329,754	227,926,235	52,889,560	36.01
Dec 2020	1,400,003	1,502,403	3,425,985	6,328,391	232,058,981	119,522,497	36.67
Jan 2021	1,397,963	1,489,993	3,424,677	6,312,633	219,759,454	176,821,741	34.81
Feb 2021	1,378,160	1,468,867	3,412,402	6,259,429	215,728,409	102,066,237	34.46
Mar 2021	1,389,829	1,475,496	3,431,803	6,297,128	230,027,893	114,326,478	36.53
Apr 2021	1,369,815	1,461,726	3,406,170	6,237,711	203,628,844	102,802,538	32.64
May 2021	1,349,692	1,441,526	3,377,355	6,168,573	201,371,220	105,655,824	32.64
Jun 2021	1,351,443	1,433,916	3,364,254	6,149,613	234,428,525	139,168,321	38.12
Jul 2021	1,351,323	1,426,197	3,356,884	6,134,404	238,302,111	108,660,161	38.85
Aug 2021	1,361,648	1,424,471	3,371,082	6,157,201	234,523,595	96,500,134	38.09
Sep 2021	1,369,167	1,424,197	3,380,213	6,173,577	207,262,743	155,651,871	33.57
FY 2022							
Oct 2021	1,375,214	1,412,247	3,420,685	6,208,146	243,633,855	673,731,157	39.24
Nov 2021	1,374,044	1,413,532	3,412,545	6,200,121	269,506,529	136,202,457	43.47
Dec 2021	1,364,538	1,411,610	3,388,164	6,164,312	273,555,566	117,877,520	44.38
Jan 2022	1,371,213	1,424,480	3,374,826	6,170,519	299,151,433	133,320,994	48.48
Feb 2022	1,377,528	1,426,833	3,382,274	6,186,635	271,374,139	117,204,548	43.86
Mar 2022	1,411,606	1,449,050	3,426,498	6,287,154	283,912,753	110,424,735	45.16
Apr 2022	1,400,954	1,439,345	3,410,972	6,251,271	313,712,066	139,981,329	50.18
May 2022	1,410,405	1,436,343	3,436,100	6,282,848	305,582,547	93,909,912	48.64
Jun 2022	1,418,947	1,431,914	3,458,147	6,309,008	311,723,248	90,576,313	49.41
Jul 2022	1,412,646	1,419,090	3,455,019	6,286,755	328,620,836	142,983,901	52.27
Aug 2022	1,441,984	1,442,055	3,501,021	6,385,060	352,490,043	97,668,684	55.21
Sep 2022	1,445,734	1,439,650	3,505,067	6,390,451	333,372,198	166,150,447	52.17
FY 2023							
Oct 2022	1,446,806	1,438,865	3,514,117	6,399,788	332,830,025	663,496,858	52.01
Nov 2022	1,444,247	1,437,278	3,515,208	6,396,733	315,348,193	132,070,088	49.30
Dec 2022	1,435,583	1,435,016	3,508,289	6,378,888	352,900,738	113,761,466	55.32
Jan 2023	1,458,814	1,453,796	3,542,649	6,455,259	379,413,006	182,222,238	58.78
Feb 2023	1,467,529	1,454,385	3,569,413	6,491,327	359,321,741	116,659,371	55.35
Mar 2023	1,506,001	1,483,846	3,631,464	6,621,311	375,768,651	132,335,865	56.75
Apr 2023	1,499,498	1,476,028	3,637,093	6,612,619	390,347,279	124,295,706	59.03
May 2023	1,520,771	1,493,042	3,682,926	6,696,739	384,551,112	126,438,097	57.42
Jun 2023	1,524,632	1,498,893	3,708,899	6,732,424	372,992,479	126,738,787	55.40
Jul 2023	1,513,949	1,494,074	3,719,419	6,727,442	374,240,081	121,303,880	55.63
Aug 2023	1,517,646	1,493,258	3,711,266	6,722,170	385,699,800	127,651,063	57.38
Sep 2023	1,503,004	1,482,067	3,691,948	6,677,019	400,650,501	166,847,392	60.00
FY 2024							
Oct 2023	1,499,151	1,487,820	3,685,077	6,672,048	352,843,866	741,303,709	52.88

Nov 2023	1,484,687	1,476,663	3,662,676	6,624,026	372,347,175	98,790,803	56.21
Dec 2023	1,457,238	1,455,966	3,630,098	6,543,302	426,917,032	177,776,830	65.24
Jan 2024	1,478,237	1,471,003	3,658,462	6,607,702	392,307,784	192,353,565	59.37
Feb 2024	1,495,710	1,476,652	3,673,316	6,645,678	389,987,639	132,252,587	58.68
Mar 2024	1,512,003	1,486,862	3,687,171	6,686,036	401,934,919	156,323,373	60.12
Apr 2024	1,523,013	1,492,313	3,706,755	6,722,081	422,504,022	126,158,039	62.85
May 2024	1,536,208	1,501,289	3,726,084	6,763,581	421,335,285	112,411,488	62.29
Jun 2024	1,527,144	1,488,976	3,719,765	6,735,885	405,369,307	122,157,004	60.18
Jul 2024	1,536,639	1,496,625	3,737,346	6,770,610	427,110,070	132,294,144	63.08

*NSA = Nutrition Service and Administrative costs. Approximately two-thirds of total costs are used to provide nutrition education, breastfeeding promotion and support, and linkages to health and other client services (e.g., immunization; drug, alcohol and tobacco education; referrals to family and child health social programs). The remaining third is used for traditional management functions.

The annual average food cost is the benefit per month.

FY 2024 data are preliminary; all numbers are subject to revision.