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### State Activity Report

### FiscalYear 2018

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

This is a report of State activity in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). The data contained herein is State reported data or data calculated from State reported data.

The tables are based on data for all of Fiscal Year 2018. Fiscal Year 2018 data in this report reflects National Data Bank totals as of June 2021.

As may be expected in a report of this size, which consolidates information taken from multiple data sources, there are some apparent discrepancies in reported data. States report nearly all of the data in this report on a quarterly or yearly basis. Differences between State reporting methods and timeframes may lead to minor discrepancies between some similar data elements in this report. In addition, some data may still be revised after the publication of this report.

To assist the reader, end notes are provided at the conclusion of the report identifying the data sources and other pertinent information for each individual section. All data, with one exception, was compiled from the National Data Bank, the official repository of SNAP data. The report was prepared by the Program Accountability and Administration Division. Some of the data highlighted in this report are:

Recipient Claims Table: Reports on the methods used by State agencies to collect claims against recipient households. Some of the data included in the recipient claims table is derived from administrative offset weekly statistical reports prepared by the U. S. Department of the Treasury.

Ranking Section: Tables that rank participation and issuance data, from high to low, for each State.

This entire report is available on the SNAP web page at: www.fns.usda.gov/pd/snap-state-activity-reports.

If there are any questions concerning the data in this publication, contact the State Administration Branch at SM.FN.SNAPSAB@usda.gov.

#### Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Activity - FY 2017-2018 National Summary Tables

Table 1: Participation and Issuance	FY 2017	FY 2018	Percent Change
Persons Participating (monthly average, in millions)	42.2	40.8	-3.50%
Households Participating (monthly average, in millions)	20.9	20.2	-3.36%
Total Issuance (in millions)	\$63,711.1	\$60,916.9	-4.39%
Average Monthly Benefit per Person	\$125.73	\$124.50	-0.98%
Average Monthly Benefit per Household	\$254.02	\$251.19	-1.11%
Table 2: State Agency Administrative Costs (in millions)	FY 2017	FY 2018	Percent Change
Table 2: State Agency Administrative Costs (in millions)   Total Costs	<b>FY 2017</b> \$7,955.9	<b>FY 2018</b> \$8,040.3	Percent Change 1.06%
Total Costs	\$7,955.9	\$8,040.3	1.06%
Total Costs Federal Share of Certification Costs	\$7,955.9 \$2,564.8	\$8,040.3 \$2,604.0	1.06% 1.53%

• Totals may not add due to rounding.

### l. State Participationand Issuance

#### PARTICIPATION AND ISSUANCE

In Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 State agencies issued approximately \$60.9 billion in Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits, a 4.4 percent decrease from \$63.7 billion in FY 2017. These benefits were issued to a monthly average of 20.1 million households or 40.7 million people participating in the Program, a 3.5 percent decrease from 42.2 million participants the previous year. The average monthly benefit was \$124.50 per person or \$251.19 per household. The Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 requires that Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) cards be the sole method of benefit delivery. EBT systems issue and redeem benefits using cards, electronic funds transfer networks, and point-of-sale technology in authorized retail food stores. The Federal Government pays 100 percent of the benefits issued.

#### **CASH-OUT**

Cash-out projects are limited to certain pilot projects authorized in the Food and Nutrition Act that have either continued to operate since 1981 or were approved prior to August 1996. While technically not considered part of the EBT system for issuance, redemption, and reporting purposes, States with FNS-approved cash- out issuance systems (for wage supplementation, welfare reform, or other approved demonstration projects) may issue cash-out benefits electronically via either direct deposit or debit cards, which can be used at automatic teller machines to draw the funds. In FY 2018, \$130 million in cash-out benefits were issued to 81,594 households in 5 States.

#### **DEMONSTRATION PROJECT**

In FY 2018, Minnesota operated an approved Group Residential Housing project that provided \$5.8 million in SNAP benefits to be used for food purchase by 4,834 residents.

TABLE 3: SNAP Participation and Issuance - FY 2018			
STATE	Persons Participating (Monthly Average)	Households Participating (Monthly Average)	Total Issuance
Alabama	766,681	360,067	\$1,084,563,290
Alaska	91,995	40,516	\$187,357,117
Arizona	845,733	387,657	\$1,210,429,898
Arkansas	372,451	164,761	\$480,472,657
California	3,949,512	1,945,990	\$6,334,018,899
Colorado	449,824	221,726	\$668,610,833
Connecticut	387,329	223,244	\$614,967,955
Delaware	140,298	68,554	\$196,899,033
District of Columbia	112,282	68,855	\$188,433,398
Florida	3,347,518	1,747,853	\$5,763,762,595
Georgia	1,556,452	721,491	\$2,336,788,286
Guam	44,974	15,362	\$106,449,158
Hawaii	163,618	83,819	\$469,433,045
Idaho	157,858	70,062	\$199,514,037
Illinois	1,826,011	920,271	\$2,777,948,512
Indiana	617,032	275,368	\$867,533,147
Iowa	345,406	165,116	\$446,259,982
Kansas	217,865	101,652	\$293,539,988
Kentucky	615,305	285,763	\$853,986,982
Louisiana	867,342	403,388	\$1,297,321,641
Maine	167,858	89,089	\$218,217,647
Maryland	646,483	343,933	\$910,098,604
Massachusetts	770,566	451,072	\$1,159,118,509
Michigan	1,281,862	684,001	\$1,894,038,446
Minnesota	428,986	212,453	\$544,420,005
Mississippi	505,308	231,847	\$679,722,657
Missouri	736,590	342,323	\$1,061,334,229
Montana	115,223	56,025	\$158,389,738
Nebraska	169,811	76,451	\$229,206,174
Nevada	439,941	228,290	\$614,241,940
New Hampshire	86,502	43,489	\$101,469,828
New Jersey	760,303	379,343	\$1,012,654,300
New Mexico	456,251	220,341	\$638,421,821
New York	2,796,620	1,565,541	\$4,526,970,965
North Carolina	1,344,485	643,153	\$1,919,051,873
North Dakota	52,621	25,072	\$75,391,175
Ohio	1,421,366	710,024	\$2,078,237,006
Oklahoma	585,064	268,711	\$832,653,493
Oregon	633,970	365,382	\$937,798,988
Pennsylvania	1,818,589	956,435	\$2,592,183,684
Rhode Island	158,986	94,205	\$2,592,185,084 \$259,191,919
South Carolina			
South Dakota	658,119 87,410	307,859 39,968	\$943,922,431 \$131,112,641
Tennessee			
Texas	970,875	471,342	\$1,424,890,904
	3,895,207	1,636,052 77,795	\$5,525,177,455
Utah	189,093	41,035	\$258,536,027
Vermont	73,312	•	\$106,782,062
Virginia Virgin Islands	736,221	352,313	\$1,051,800,978
Virgin Islands	32,833	15,064	\$86,935,571
Washington	877,244	501,868	\$1,268,734,555
West Virginia	321,009	165,378	\$440,298,715
Wisconsin	652,885	329,203	\$816,882,114
Wyoming	29,330	12,989	\$40,676,283
U.S.	40,752,140	20,197,671	\$60,916,853,190

• Totals may not add due to rounding.

TABLE 4: SNAP Average Monthly Benefit - FY 2018			
STATE	Average Monthly Benefit Per Person	Average Monthly Benefit Per Household	
Alabama	\$117.89	\$251.01	
Alaska	\$169.72	\$385.36	
Arizona	\$119.27	\$260.20	
Arkansas	\$107.50	\$243.01	
California	\$133.65	\$271.24	
Colorado	\$123.87	\$251.29	
Connecticut	\$132.31	\$229.56	
Delaware	\$116.95	\$239.35	
District of Columbia	\$139.85	\$228.06	
Florida	\$143.48	\$274.80	
Georgia	\$125.11	\$269.90	
Guam	\$197.24	\$577.46	
Hawaii	\$239.09	\$466.72	
Idaho	\$105.32	\$237.31	
Illinois	\$126.78	\$251.55	
Indiana	\$117.16	\$262.54	
lowa	\$107.67	\$225.23	
Kansas	\$112.51	\$241.13	
Kentucky	\$115.66	\$249.04	
Louisiana	\$124.65	\$268.01	
Maine	\$108.33	\$200.01	
Maryland	\$108.33	\$204.12	
Massachusetts	\$125.35	\$214.14	
Michigan	\$123.33	\$230.75	
Minnesota	\$105.76	\$213.55	
Mississippi	\$105.70	\$244.31	
Missouri	\$112.10	\$258.37	
Montana	\$120.07 \$114.55	\$235.60	
Nebraska	\$114.55	\$249.84	
Nevada	\$112.48	\$2249.84	
New Hampshire	\$97.75	\$194.43	
		\$194.43	
New Jersey	\$110.99	•	
New Mexico	\$116.61	\$241.45	
New York	\$134.89	\$240.97	
North Carolina	\$118.95	\$248.65	
North Dakota	\$119.39	\$250.59	
Ohio	\$121.85	\$243.92	
Oklahoma	\$118.60	\$258.23	
Oregon	\$123.27	\$213.89	
Pennsylvania	\$118.78	\$225.85	
Rhode Island	\$135.86	\$229.28	
South Carolina	\$119.52	\$255.51	
South Dakota	\$125.00	\$273.37	
Tennessee	\$122.30	\$251.92	
Texas	\$118.20	\$281.43	
Utah	\$113.94	\$276.94	
Vermont	\$121.80	\$217.39	
Virginia	\$119.05	\$248.78	
Virgin Islands	\$220.65	\$480.92	
Washington	\$120.52	\$210.67	
West Virginia	\$114.30	\$221.86	
Wisconsin	\$104.27	\$206.78	
Wyoming	\$115.57	\$260.97	
U.S.	\$124.50	\$251.19	

TABLE 5: SNAP Participation By Benefit Type-   Persons (Monthly Average)- FY2018				
STATE	Persons Receiving	Persons Receiving	Persons Receiving	Total Persons Participating
AL 1	EBT	Cash	Group Housing	766 604
Alabama	766,681	-	-	766,681
Alaska	91,995	-	-	91,995
Arizona	845,733	-	-	845,733
Arkansas	372,451	-	-	372,451
California	3,949,512	-	-	3,949,512
Colorado	449,824	-	-	449,824
Connecticut	387,329	-	-	387,329
Delaware	140,298	-	-	140,298
District of Columbia	112,282	-	-	112,282
Florida	3,347,518	-	-	3,347,518
Georgia	1,556,452	-	-	1,556,452
Guam	44,974	-	-	44,974
Hawaii	163,618	-	-	163,618
Idaho	157,858	-	-	157,858
Illinois	1,826,011	-	-	1,826,011
Indiana	617,032	-	-	617,032
lowa	345,406	-	-	345,406
Kansas	217,865	-	-	217,865
Kentucky	615,305	-	-	615,305
Louisiana	867,342	-	-	867,342
Maine	167,858	-	-	167,858
Maryland	646,483	-	-	646,483
Massachusetts	770,566	-	-	770,566
Michigan	1,281,862	-	-	1,281,862
Minnesota	400,101	24,051	4,834	428,986
Mississippi	505,308	-	-	505,308
Missouri	736,590	-	-	736,590
Montana	115,223	-	-	115,223
Nebraska	169,811	-	-	169,811
Nevada	439,941	-	-	439,941
New Hampshire	86,502	-	-	86,502
New Jersey	760,303	-	-	760,303
New Mexico	456,251	-	-	456,251
New York	2,796,620	-	-	2,796,620
North Carolina	1,344,485	-	-	1,344,485
North Dakota	52,621	-	-	52,621
Ohio	1,407,632	13,734	-	1,421,366
Oklahoma	585,064	-	-	585,064
Oregon	597,662	36,308	-	633,970
Pennsylvania	1,818,589	-	-	1,818,589
Rhode Island	158,986	-	-	158,986
South Carolina	658,119	-	-	658,119
South Dakota	87,410	-	-	87,410
Tennessee	970,875	-	-	970,875
Texas	3,895,207	-	-	3,895,207
Utah	187,496	1,597	-	189,093
Vermont	57,167	16,145	-	73,312
Virginia	736,221	-	-	736,221
Virgin Islands	32,833	-	-	32,833
Washington	877,244	-	-	877,244
West Virginia	321,009	-	-	321,009
Wisconsin	652,885	-	-	652,885
Wyoming	29,330	-	-	29,330
U.S.	40,656,817	90,489	4,834	40,752,140

TABLE 6: SNAP Participation By Benefit Type-Households (Monthly Average)- FY2018				
STATE	Households-EBT	Households- Cash	Households- Group Housing	Total Households Participating
Alabama	360,067	-	-	360,067
Alaska	40,516	-	-	40,516
Arizona	387,657	-	-	387,657
Arkansas	164,761	-	-	164,761
California	1,945,990	-	-	1,945,990
Colorado	221,726	-	-	221,726
Connecticut	223,244	-	-	223,244
Delaware	68,554	-	-	68,554
District of Columbia	68,855	-	-	68,855
Florida	1,747,853	-	-	1,747,853
Georgia	721,491	_	_	721,491
Guam	15,362	_		15,362
Hawaii	83,819			
Idaho	70,062	-	-	83,819
		-	-	70,062
Illinois	920,271	-	-	920,271
Indiana	275,368	-	-	275,368
Iowa	165,116	-	-	165,116
Kansas	101,652	-	-	101,652
Kentucky	285,763	-	-	285,763
Louisiana	403,388	-	-	403,388
Maine	89,089	-	-	89,089
Maryland	343,933	-	-	343,933
Massachusetts	451,072	-	-	451,072
Michigan	684,001	-	-	684,001
Minnesota	187,974	19,646	4,834	212,453
Mississippi	231,847	-	-	231,847
Missouri	342,323	-	-	342,323
Montana	56,025	-	-	56,025
Nebraska	76,451	-	-	76,451
Nevada	228,290	-	-	228,290
New Hampshire	43,489	-	-	43,489
New Jersey	379,343	-	-	379,343
New Mexico	220,341	-	_	220,341
New York	1,565,541	_		1,565,541
North Carolina	643,153	-		643,153
North Dakota		-	-	
	25,072	12.070	-	25,072
Ohio Oklaharra	696,945	13,079	-	710,024
Oklahoma	268,711	-	-	268,711
Oregon	331,754	33,629	-	365,382
Pennsylvania	956,435	-	-	956,435
Rhode Island	94,205	-	-	94,205
South Carolina	307,859	-	-	307,859
South Dakota	39,968	-	-	39,968
Tennessee	471,342	-	-	471,342
Texas	1,636,052	-	-	1,636,052
Utah	76,275	1,521	-	77,795
Vermont	26,068	14,967	-	41,035
Virginia	352,313	-	-	352,313
Virgin Islands	15,064	-	-	15,064
Washington	501,868	-	-	501,868
West Virginia	165,378	-	-	165,378
Wisconsin	329,203	-	-	329,203
Wyoming	12,989	-	-	12,989
U.S.	20,111,244	81,594	4,834	20,197,671
0.3.	20,111,244	01,394	4,834	20,197,071

TABLE 7: SNAP Issuance By Benefit Type - FY 2018				
STATE	Issuance by EBT	Issuance by Cash	Issuance by Group Housing	Total Issuance
Alabama	\$1,084,563,290	\$0	\$0	\$1,084,563,290
Alaska	\$187,357,117	\$0	\$0	\$187,357,117
Arizona	\$1,210,429,898	\$0	\$0	\$1,210,429,898
Arkansas	\$480,472,657	\$0	\$0	\$480,472,657
California	\$6,334,018,899	\$0	\$0	\$6,334,018,899
Colorado	\$668,610,833	\$0	\$0	\$668,610,833
Connecticut	\$614,967,955	\$0	\$0	\$614,967,955
Delaware	\$196,899,033	\$0	\$0	\$196,899,033
District of Columbia	\$188,433,398	\$0	\$0	\$188,433,398
Florida	\$5,763,762,595	\$0	\$0	\$5,763,762,595
Georgia	\$2,336,788,286	\$0	\$0	\$2,336,788,286
Guam	\$106,449,158	\$0	\$0	\$106,449,158
Hawaii	\$469,433,045	\$0	\$0	\$469,433,045
Idaho	\$199,514,037	\$0	\$0	\$199,514,037
Illinois	\$2,777,948,512	\$0	\$0	\$2,777,948,512
Indiana	\$867,533,147	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$867,533,147
lowa	\$446,259,982	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$446,259,982
Kansas	\$293,539,988	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$293,539,988
Kentucky	\$853,986,982	\$0	\$0	\$853,986,982
Louisiana	\$1,297,321,641	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$1,297,321,641
Maine	\$218,217,647	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$218,217,647
	\$910,098,604	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	
Maryland Massachusetts		\$0	\$0 \$0	\$910,098,604
	\$1,159,118,509	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$1,159,118,509
Michigan	\$1,894,038,446	•	•	\$1,894,038,446
Minnesota	\$513,386,169	\$25,167,763	\$5,866,073	\$544,420,005
Mississippi	\$679,722,657	\$0	\$0	\$679,722,657
Missouri	\$1,061,334,229	\$0	\$0 ¢0	\$1,061,334,229
Montana	\$158,389,738	\$0	\$0	\$158,389,738
Nebraska	\$229,206,174	\$0	\$0	\$229,206,174
Nevada	\$614,241,940	\$0	\$0	\$614,241,940
New Hampshire	\$101,469,828	\$0	\$0	\$101,469,828
New Jersey	\$1,012,654,300	\$0	\$0	\$1,012,654,300
New Mexico	\$638,421,821	\$0	\$0	\$638,421,821
New York	\$4,526,970,965	\$0	\$0	\$4,526,970,965
North Carolina	\$1,919,051,873	\$0	\$0	\$1,919,051,873
North Dakota	\$75,391,175	\$0	\$0	\$75,391,175
Ohio	\$2,059,918,647	\$18,318,359	\$0	\$2,078,237,006
Oklahoma	\$832,653,493	\$0	\$0	\$832,653,493
Oregon	\$881,592,465	\$56,206,523	\$0	\$937,798,988
Pennsylvania	\$2,592,183,684	\$0	\$0	\$2,592,183,684
Rhode Island	\$259,191,919	\$0	\$0	\$259,191,919
South Carolina	\$943,922,431	\$0	\$0	\$943,922,431
South Dakota	\$131,112,641	\$0	\$0	\$131,112,641
Tennessee	\$1,424,890,904	\$0	\$0	\$1,424,890,904
Texas	\$5,525,177,455	\$0	\$0	\$5,525,177,455
Utah	\$256,742,402	\$1,793,625	\$0	\$258,536,027
Vermont	\$78,261,977	\$28,520,085	\$0	\$106,782,062
Virginia	\$1,051,800,978	\$0	\$0	\$1,051,800,978
Virgin Islands	\$86,935,571	\$0	\$0	\$86,935,571
Washington	\$1,268,734,555	\$0	\$0	\$1,268,734,555
West Virginia	\$440,298,715	\$0	\$0	\$440,298,715
Wisconsin	\$816,882,114	\$0	\$0	\$816,882,114
Wyoming	\$40,676,283	\$0	\$0	\$40,676,283
U.S.	\$60,780,980,762	\$130,006,355	\$5,866,073	\$60,916,853,190

### II. Administrative Costs

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS**

State agency administrative costs are affected by a number of factors including participation levels, the number and salary level of State staff, inflation, the location of State agency offices, type of issuance system, worker training costs, degree of automation, level of fraud control activity, etc. The Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) pays approximately 50 percent of State agency administrative costs to operate the program. Total State agency administrative costs prior to Federal cost sharing were \$8 billion, a 1.7 percent increase from \$7.9 billion in FY 2017. In FY 2018, the Federal government reimbursed \$3.91 billion in State agency administrative costs, a 1.29 percent increase from FY 2017. The Federal share of administrative cost per case (i.e., per household) per month increased by 4.8 percent to \$16.16 in FY 2018.

Total Federal spending on State agency certification costs increased by 1.5 percent to 2.6 billion in FY 2018. The Federal share of the certification costs per case (i.e., per household) per month increased by 4.98 percent to \$10.74 in FY 2018.

TABLE 8: State Agency SNAP Administrative Costs - FY 2018			
STATE	State Share of	Federal Share of	Total
0.772	Administrative Costs	Administrative Costs	Administrative Costs
Alabama	\$43,437,020	\$42,353,992	\$85,791,012
Alaska	\$11,273,955	\$11,449,220	\$22,723,175
Arizona	\$62,478,074	\$57,755,988	\$120,234,062
Arkansas	\$33,226,256	\$33,695,459	\$66,921,715
California	\$954,380,613	\$848,064,827	\$1,802,445,440
Colorado	\$55,420,913	\$53,269,466	\$108,690,379
Connecticut	\$39,338,958	\$51,104,299	\$90,443,257
Delaware	\$14,548,921	\$13,391,366	\$27,940,287
District of Columbia	\$28,272,291	\$25,331,410	\$53,603,701
Florida	\$110,440,580	\$105,835,042	\$216,275,622
Georgia	\$88,145,200	\$89,152,450	\$177,297,650
Guam	\$1,648,920	\$1,745,184	\$3,394,104
Hawaii	\$21,203,263	\$21,519,510	\$42,722,773
Idaho	\$10,965,481	\$10,328,766	\$21,294,247
Illinois	\$110,465,576	\$100,899,834	\$211,365,410
Indiana	\$68,493,404	\$67,835,748	\$136,329,152
lowa	\$22,008,027	\$20,538,662	\$42,546,689
Kansas	\$26,490,792	\$23,928,374	\$50,419,166
Kentucky	\$66,607,596	\$64,218,874	\$130,826,470
, Louisiana	\$60,924,253	\$60,443,670	\$121,367,923
Maine	\$12,815,972	\$11,993,853	\$24,809,825
Maryland	\$74,327,002	\$72,899,714	\$147,226,716
Massachusetts	\$63,834,021	\$62,918,552	\$126,752,573
Michigan	\$141,917,140	\$146,008,121	\$287,925,261
Minnesota	\$67,669,896	\$65,958,410	\$133,628,306
Mississippi	\$23,471,168	\$22,046,382	\$45,517,550
Missouri	\$36,441,670	\$37,996,551	\$74,438,221
Montana	\$9,943,966	\$10,065,760	\$20,009,726
Nebraska	\$16,571,469	\$16,563,191	\$33,134,660
Nevada	\$27,583,976	\$26,186,172	\$53,770,148
New Hampshire	\$9,390,623	\$8,560,201	\$17,950,824
New Jersey	\$171,004,209	\$154,471,385	\$325,475,594
New Mexico	\$23,661,089	\$20,985,827	\$44,646,916
New York	\$485,359,222	\$386,523,936	\$871,883,158
North Carolina	\$109,710,679	\$111,257,264	\$220,967,943
North Dakota	\$10,660,588	\$10,615,920	\$21,276,508
Ohio	\$110,048,605	\$104,799,884	\$214,848,489
Oklahoma	\$45,201,002	\$27,807,755	\$73,008,757
Oregon	\$94,497,078	\$93,549,708	\$188,046,786
Pennsylvania	\$169,226,749	\$172,545,799	\$341,772,548
Rhode Island	\$17,340,033	\$17,099,615	\$34,439,648
South Carolina	\$26,804,523	\$26,997,621	\$53,802,144
South Dakota	\$6,834,653	\$20,997,021 \$8,221,007	\$15,055,660
Tennessee	\$80,646,527	\$77,797,198	\$158,443,725
Texas	\$185,819,385	\$193,765,519	\$158,445,725
Utah	\$16,638,733	\$15,128,458	\$31,767,191
Vermont	\$10,058,755	\$15,128,438 \$8,606,329	\$17,849,289
	\$9,242,960 \$108,382,685	\$8,606,329 \$109,943,574	
Virginia Virgin Islands			\$218,326,259
Virgin Islands	\$5,390,704	\$5,590,716	\$10,981,420
Washington	\$99,965,279	\$100,351,208	\$200,316,487
West Virginia	\$16,410,753	\$16,877,170	\$33,287,923
Wisconsin	\$59,129,574	\$62,851,806	\$121,981,380
Wyoming	\$6,760,469	\$6,839,105	\$13,599,574
U.S.	\$4,172,472,495	\$3,916,685,852	\$8,089,158,347

TABLE 9: State Agency SNAP Administrative Costs Per Case - FY 2018			
CTATE	Households	Total	Total Admin. Costs
STATE	Participating (Monthly Average)	Administrative Costs	Per Case Per Month
Alabama	360,067	\$85,791,012	\$19.86
Alaska	40,516	\$22,723,175	\$46.74
Arizona	387,657	\$120,234,062	\$25.85
Arkansas	164,761	\$66,921,715	\$33.85
California	1,945,990	\$1,802,445,440	\$77.19
Colorado	221,726	\$108,690,379	\$40.85
Connecticut	223,244	\$90,443,257	\$33.76
Delaware	68,554	\$27,940,287	\$33.96
District of Columbia	68,855	\$53,603,701	\$64.88
Florida	1,747,853	\$216,275,622	\$10.31
Georgia	721,491	\$177,297,650	\$20.48
Guam	15,362	\$3,394,104	\$18.41
Hawaii	83,819	\$42,722,773	\$42.48
Idaho	70,062	\$21,294,247	\$25.33
Illinois	920,271	\$211,365,410	\$19.14
Indiana	275,368	\$136,329,152	\$41.26
Iowa	165,116	\$42,546,689	\$21.47
Kansas	101,652	\$50,419,166	\$41.33
Kentucky	285,763	\$130,826,470	\$38.15
Louisiana	403,388	\$121,367,923	\$25.07
Maine	89,089	\$24,809,825	\$23.21
Maryland	343,933	\$147,226,716	\$35.67
Massachusetts	451,072	\$126,752,573	\$23.42
Michigan	684,001	\$287,925,261	\$35.08
Minnesota	212,453	\$133,628,306	\$52.41
Mississippi	231,847	\$45,517,550	\$16.36
Missouri	342,323	\$74,438,221	\$18.12
Montana	56,025	\$20,009,726	\$29.76
Nebraska	76,451	\$33,134,660	\$36.12
Nevada	228,290	\$53,770,148	\$19.63
New Hampshire	43,489	\$17,950,824	\$34.40
New Jersey	379,343	\$325,475,594	\$71.50
New Mexico	220,341	\$44,646,916	\$16.89
New York	1,565,541	\$871,883,158	\$46.41
North Carolina	643,153	\$220,967,943	\$28.63
North Dakota	25,072	\$21,276,508	\$70.72
Ohio	710,024	\$214,848,489	\$25.22
Oklahoma	268,711	\$73,008,757	\$22.64
Oregon	365,382	\$188,046,786	\$42.89
Pennsylvania	956,435	\$341,772,548	\$29.78
Rhode Island	94,205	\$34,439,648	\$30.47
South Carolina	307,859	\$53,802,144	\$14.56
South Dakota	39,968	\$15,055,660	\$31.39
Tennessee	471,342	\$158,443,725	\$28.01
Texas	1,636,052	\$379,584,904	\$19.33
Utah	77,795	\$31,767,191	\$34.03
Vermont	41,035	\$17,849,289	\$36.25
Virginia	352,313	\$218,326,259	\$51.64
Virgin Islands	15,064	\$10,981,420	\$60.75
Washington	501,868	\$200,316,487	\$33.26
West Virginia	165,378	\$33,287,923	\$16.77
Wisconsin	329,203	\$121,981,380	\$30.88
Wyoming	12,989	\$13,599,574	\$87.25
U.S.	20,197,671	\$8,089,158,347	\$33.37

	TABLE 10: Federal Share of Administrative Costs Per		
	Households	Federal Share of	Federal Admin.Costs
STATE	Participating	Total Costs	Per Case Per Month
	(Monthly Average)		
Alabama	360,067	\$42,353,992	\$9.80
Alaska	40,516	\$11,449,220	\$23.55
Arizona	387,657	\$57,755,988	\$12.42
Arkansas	164,761	\$33,695,459	\$17.04
California	1,945,990	\$848,064,827	\$36.32
Colorado	221,726	\$53,269,466	\$20.02
Connecticut	223,244	\$51,104,299	\$19.08
Delaware	68,554	\$13,391,366	\$16.28
District of Columbia	68,855	\$25,331,410	\$30.66
Florida	1,747,853	\$105,835,042	\$5.05
Georgia	721,491	\$89,152,450	\$10.30
Guam	15,362	\$1,745,184	\$9.47
Hawaii	83,819	\$21,519,510	\$21.39
Idaho	70,062	\$10,328,766	\$12.29
Illinois	920,271	\$100,899,834	\$9.14
Indiana	275,368	\$67,835,748	\$20.53
lowa	165,116	\$20,538,662	\$10.37
Kansas	101,652	\$23,928,374	\$19.62
Kentucky	285,763	\$64,218,874	\$18.73
Louisiana	403,388	\$60,443,670	\$12.49
Maine	89,089	\$11,993,853	\$11.22
Maryland	343,933	\$72,899,714	\$17.66
Massachusetts	451,072	\$62,918,552	\$11.62
Michigan	684,001	\$146,008,121	\$17.79
Minnesota	212,453	\$65,958,410	\$25.87
Mississippi	231,847	\$22,046,382	\$7.92
Missouri	342,323	\$37,996,551	\$9.25
Montana	56,025	\$10,065,760	\$14.97
Nebraska	76,451	\$16,563,191	\$18.05
Nevada	228,290	\$26,186,172	\$9.56
New Hampshire	43,489	\$8,560,201	\$16.40
New Jersey	379,343	\$154,471,385	\$33.93
New Mexico	220,341	\$20,985,827	\$7.94
New York	1,565,541	\$386,523,936	\$20.57
North Carolina	643,153	\$111,257,264	\$14.42
North Dakota	25,072	\$10,615,920	\$35.29
Ohio	710,024	\$104,799,884	\$12.30
Oklahoma	268,711	\$27,807,755	\$8.62
Oregon	365,382	\$93,549,708	\$21.34
Pennsylvania	956,435	\$172,545,799	\$15.03
Rhode Island	94,205	\$17,099,615	\$15.13
South Carolina	307,859	\$26,997,621	\$7.31
South Dakota	39,968	\$8,221,007	\$17.14
Tennessee	471,342	\$77,797,198	\$13.75
Texas	1,636,052	\$193,765,519	\$9.87
Utah	77,795	\$15,128,458	\$16.21
Vermont	41,035	\$8,606,329	\$17.48
Virginia Virgin Islanda	352,313	\$109,943,574	\$26.01
Virgin Islands	15,064	\$5,590,716	\$30.93
Washington	501,868	\$100,351,208	\$16.66
West Virginia	165,378	\$16,877,170	\$8.50
Wisconsin	329,203	\$62,851,806	\$15.91
Wyoming	12,989	\$6,839,105	\$43.88
U.S.	20,197,671	\$3,916,685,852	\$16.16

TABLE 11: Federal Share of Selected State Agency SNAP Administrative Costs - FY 2018			
STATE	Federal Share of Certification Cost	Federal Share of Issuance Costs	Federal Share of Fraud Control Costs
Alabama	\$29,992,675	\$1,143,651	\$1,152,632
Alaska	\$7,294,922	\$165,907	\$680,243
Arizona	\$39,026,414	\$1,210,868	\$1,562,850
Arkansas	\$28,601,250	\$786,678	\$1,293,089
California	\$541,603,417	\$32,911,650	\$41,297,408
Colorado	\$37,542,667	\$651,685	\$2,851,075
Connecticut	\$24,780,545	\$678,561	\$3,302,827
Delaware	\$8,358,492	\$322,213	\$1,136,590
District of Columbia	\$12,941,254	\$345,932	\$1,734,762
Florida	\$75,120,555	\$4,773,699	\$2,777,801
Georgia	\$63,836,326	\$4,175,035	\$3,259,904
Guam	\$723,272	\$43,923	\$3,259,904 \$186,361
Hawaii	\$15,552,154	\$73,296	\$1,687,238
Idaho	\$5,098,956	\$1,585,099	\$1,087,238 \$247,612
Illinois	\$71,146,813	\$4,107,431	\$2,422,993
			\$2,422,995 \$1,508,155
Indiana	\$49,664,477	\$1,516,802 \$1,114,523	
lowa Kansas	\$15,635,538 \$14,343,332		\$854,884
		\$567,560	\$53,773
Kentucky	\$49,640,056	\$1,058,085	\$1,286,160
Louisiana	\$52,389,387	\$1,369,303	\$1,651,114
Maine	\$4,858,951	\$619,211	\$943,315
Maryland	\$61,159,150	\$1,224,919	\$1,231,766
Massachusetts Michigan	\$49,970,732	\$1,331,069	\$1,456,054
Michigan	\$119,851,547	\$1,341,650	\$6,555,778
Minnesota	\$42,671,159	\$4,205,539	\$2,314,693
Mississippi	\$16,653,753	\$179,085	\$606,055
Missouri	\$28,244,950	\$1,392,262	\$611,387
Montana	\$6,095,403	-	\$5,500
Nebraska	\$11,170,602	\$417,733	\$389,797
Nevada	\$18,148,858	\$874,353	\$1,607,502
New Hampshire	\$1,259,709	\$164,814	\$181,199
New Jersey	\$107,137,893	\$2,239,954	\$14,025,312
New Mexico	\$15,375,207	\$542,979	\$127,152
New York	\$207,172,886	\$4,357,828	\$32,451,189
North Carolina	\$87,042,713	\$2,822,814	\$7,608,278
North Dakota	\$5,987,980	\$367,016	\$0
Ohio	\$47,693,044	\$2,350,808	\$471,114
Oklahoma	\$22,401,271	\$1,153,853	\$1,100,248
Oregon	\$69,396,836	\$3,495,435	\$162,236
Pennsylvania	\$128,953,379	\$9,744,810	\$4,416,180
Rhode Island	\$8,074,492	\$342,754	\$525,821
South Carolina	\$14,787,482	\$1,205,868	\$1,648,781
South Dakota	\$4,610,149	\$468,835	\$229,103
Tennessee	\$65,735,235	\$1,286,263	\$2,150,627
Texas	\$129,440,174	\$4,511,132	\$4,935,298
Utah	\$11,296,971	\$448,030	\$1,777,166
Vermont	\$5,634,995	\$167,116	\$470,677
Virginia	\$74,536,564	\$5,605,036	\$3,612,274
Virgin Islands	\$3,422,500	\$249,916	\$167,938
Washington	\$56,818,694	\$3,222,720	\$1,749,707
West Virginia	\$12,197,144	\$1,597,845	\$496,464
Wisconsin	\$18,830,392	\$1,545,787	\$1,709,649
Wyoming	\$4,060,874	\$35,911	\$308,611
U.S.	\$2,603,984,191	\$116,126,123	\$166,994,342

Missing federal share of issuance costs data for Montana

TABLE 12: Federal Share of Selected State Agency SNAP Administrative Costs - FY 2018			
STATE	Federal Share of	Federal Share of	
	ADP Development Costs	ADP Operations Costs	
Alabama	\$263,452	\$757,991	
Alaska	\$0	\$862,987	
Arizona	\$1,148,068	\$4,558,782	
Arkansas	\$0	\$867,383	
California	\$535,546	\$36,144,470	
Colorado	\$970,203	\$3,289,931	
Connecticut	\$2,236,231	\$4,393,588	
Delaware	\$0	\$2,729,374	
District of Columbia	\$0	\$4,960,863	
Florida	\$0	\$4,008,520	
Georgia	\$0	\$12,017,580	
Guam	\$0	\$46,338	
Hawaii	\$0	\$2,382,383	
Idaho	\$0	\$1,703,954	
Illinois	\$625,917	\$55,644	
Indiana	\$3,200,350	\$4,341,304	
lowa	\$0	\$1,116,896	
Kansas	\$167,157	\$5,166,126	
Kentucky	\$0	\$6,225,723	
Louisiana	\$2,204,582	\$0	
Maine	\$144,230	\$1,874,819	
Maryland	\$0	\$3,730,902	
Massachusetts	\$0	\$20,294	
Michigan	\$0	\$12,084,363	
Minnesota	\$0	\$6,086,977	
Mississippi	\$0	\$1,918,760	
Missouri	\$105,439	\$3,150,422	
Montana	\$0	\$608,897	
Nebraska	\$258,532	\$2,686,590	
Nevada	\$0	\$2,621,624	
New Hampshire	\$75,865	\$2,212,936	
New Jersey	\$402,659	\$11,081,589	
New Mexico	\$0	\$4,024,139	
New York	\$549,480	\$14,774,610	
North Carolina	\$1,820,069	\$4,488,822	
North Dakota	\$2,583,365	\$402,920	
Ohio	\$0	\$13,638,142	
Oklahoma	\$0	\$1,766,952	
Oregon	\$1,546,204	\$2,776,985	
Pennsylvania	\$207,743	\$17,654,188	
Rhode Island	\$293,740	\$407,782	
South Carolina	\$0	\$1,408,781	
South Dakota	\$0	\$485,924	
Tennessee	\$0	\$4,767,178	
Texas	\$0	\$37,637,204	
Utah	\$0	\$921,631	
Vermont	\$5,405	\$476,915	
Virginia	\$478,745	\$19,612,123	
Virgin Islands	\$0	\$1,163,793	
Washington	\$0	\$7,795,683	
West Virginia	\$0	\$953,296	
Wisconsin	\$0	\$12,340,013	
Wyoming	\$0	\$546,426	
U.S.	\$19,822,982	\$291,751,517	

TABLE 13: Federal Share of SNAP Certification Costs Per Case - FY 2018				
CT A T F	Households Participating	Federal Share of	Federal Costs Per Case Per	
STATE	(Monthly Average)	<b>Certification Costs</b>	Month for Certification	
Alabama	360,067	\$29,992,675	\$6.94	
Alaska	40,516	\$7,294,922	\$15.00	
Arizona	387,657	\$39,026,414	\$8.39	
Arkansas	164,761	\$28,601,250	\$14.47	
California	1,945,990	\$541,603,417	\$23.19	
Colorado	221,726	\$37,542,667	\$14.11	
Connecticut	223,244	\$24,780,545	\$9.25	
Delaware	68,554	\$8,358,492	\$10.16	
District of Columbia	68,855	\$12,941,254	\$15.66	
Florida	1,747,853	\$75,120,555	\$3.58	
Georgia	721,491	\$63,836,326	\$7.37	
Guam	15,362	\$723,272	\$3.92	
Hawaii	83,819	\$15,552,154	\$15.46	
Idaho	70,062	\$5,098,956	\$6.06	
Illinois	920,271	\$71,146,813	\$6.44	
Indiana	275,368	\$49,664,477	\$15.03	
Iowa	165,116	\$15,635,538	\$7.89	
Kansas	101,652	\$14,343,332	\$11.76	
Kentucky	285,763	\$49,640,056	\$14.48	
Louisiana	403,388	\$52,389,387	\$10.82	
Maine	89,089	\$4,858,951	\$4.55	
Maryland	343,933	\$61,159,150	\$14.82	
Massachusetts	451,072	\$49,970,732	\$9.23	
Michigan	684,001	\$119,851,547	\$14.60	
Minnesota	212,453	\$42,671,159	\$16.74	
Mississippi	231,847	\$16,653,753	\$5.99	
Missouri	342,323	\$28,244,950	\$6.88	
Montana	56,025	\$6,095,403	\$9.07	
Nebraska	76,451	\$11,170,602	\$12.18	
Nevada	228,290	\$18,148,858	\$6.62	
New Hampshire	43,489	\$1,259,709	\$2.41	
New Jersey	379,343	\$107,137,893	\$23.54	
New Mexico	220,341	\$15,375,207	\$5.81	
New York	1,565,541	\$207,172,886	\$11.03	
North Carolina	643,153	\$87,042,713	\$11.28	
North Dakota	25,072	\$5,987,980	\$19.90	
Ohio	710,024	\$47,693,044	\$5.60	
Oklahoma	268,711	\$22,401,271	\$6.95	
Oregon	365,382	\$69,396,836	\$15.83	
Pennsylvania	956,435	\$128,953,379	\$11.24	
Rhode Island	94,205	\$8,074,492	\$7.14	
South Carolina	307,859	\$14,787,482	\$4.00	
South Dakota	39,968	\$4,610,149	\$9.61	
Tennessee	471,342	\$65,735,235	\$11.62	
Texas	1,636,052	\$129,440,174	\$6.59	
Utah	77,795	\$11,296,971	\$12.10	
Vermont	41,035	\$5,634,995	\$11.44	
Virginia	352,313	\$74,536,564	\$17.63	
Virgin Islands	15,064	\$3,422,500	\$18.93	
Washington	501,868	\$56,818,694	\$9.43	
West Virginia	165,378	\$12,197,144	\$6.15	
Wisconsin	329,203	\$18,830,392	\$4.77	
Wyoming	12,989	\$4,060,874	\$26.05	
U.S.	20,197,671	\$2,603,984,191	\$10.74	

## III. Fair Hearings

#### FAIR HEARINGS

SNAP regulations provide recourse to households that are denied benefits or have their allotment reduced, suspended or cancelled as a result of an adverse decision by the State agency. This recourse is called the fair hearing process. The number of fair hearings conducted by States is reported quarterly on Form FNS- 366B, the Program Activity Statement.

In FY 2018, the number of fair hearings held decreased by 35 percent to 89,033. The State's decision was upheld in 59 percent of fair hearings, compared to 37 percent in FY 2017.

TABLE 14: SNAP Fair Hearings Upheld and Reversed - FY 2018					
STATE	Fair Hearings Upheld	Fair Hearings Reversed	Percent Upheld		
Alabama	50	14	78.13%		
Alaska	17	1	94.44%		
Arizona	513	394	56.56%		
Arkansas	305	52	85.43%		
California	1,651	1,596	50.85%		
Colorado	116	8	93.55%		
Connecticut	380	142	72.80%		
Delaware	42	6	87.50%		
District of Columbia	9	10	47.37%		
Florida	293	65	81.84%		
Georgia	35	41	46.05%		
Guam	-	1	-		
Hawaii	13	10	56.52%		
Idaho	55	2	96.49%		
Illinois	122	32	79.22%		
Indiana	1,447	16	98.91%		
lowa	156	18	89.66%		
Kansas	136	3	97.84%		
Kentucky	257	17	93.80%		
Louisiana	223	1	99.55%		
Maine	23	2	92.00%		
Maryland	117	35	76.97%		
Massachusetts	1,158	566	67.17%		
Michigan	741	417	63.99%		
Minnesota	224	39	85.17%		
Mississippi	148	10	93.67%		
Missouri	699	85	89.16%		
Montana	19	2	90.48%		
Nebraska	283	76	78.83%		
Nevada	60	6	90.91%		
New Hampshire	9	5	64.29%		
	130	38	77.38%		
New Jersey New Mexico	130	44	72.84%		
New York		9,386			
	3,909		29.40%		
North Carolina	487	120	80.23%		
North Dakota	4	0 5 225	100.00%		
Ohio	6,164	5,325	53.65%		
Oklahoma	41	18	69.49%		
Oregon	96	6	94.12%		
Pennsylvania	455	170	72.80%		
Rhode Island	12	22	35.29%		
South Carolina	306	92	76.88%		
South Dakota	12	1	92.31%		
Tennessee	5,836	1,804	76.39%		
Texas	3,932	735	84.25%		
Utah	18	0	100.00%		
Vermont	12	1	92.31%		
Virginia	232	75	75.57%		
Virgin Islands	-	0	-		
Washington	309	51	85.83%		
West Virginia	39	0	100.00%		
Wisconsin	211	49	81.15%		
Wyoming	3	0	100.00%		
U.S.	31,627	21,609	59.41%		

### IV.

# Fraud Investigations, Judicial Prosecutions, and Administrative Disqualification Hearings

#### FRAUD CONTROL

In FY 2018, State agency investigators referred 43,862 fraud investigations to hearing officials for administrative disqualification hearings (ADH) or to prosecutors for prosecution through the court system. Fraud investigations fall into two categories: eligibility fraud investigations and trafficking investigations.

Eligibility fraud investigations involve individuals suspected of intentionally making a false or misleading statement, or misrepresenting, concealing or withholding facts at application, required reporting, or recertification period with the intent to influence a SNAP eligibility determination. Trafficking investigations involve individuals suspected of trafficking benefits, as defined in 7 CFR §271.2.

In both types of investigations, investigators determine whether sufficient documentary evidence of SNAP fraud or abuse exists to warrant civil, criminal or administrative legal action against an individual.

Once a case is referred for an ADH, an administrative law judge determines whether the accused individual will receive a SNAP disqualification. The individual may also sign an ADH waiver, which results in a disqualification.

Cases referred for prosecution are handled by local prosecutors who pursue SNAP disqualifications through the court system. Prosecutors may also use disqualification consent agreements (DCAs), where accused individuals consent to a SNAP disqualification in cases of deferred adjudication.

In FY 2018, there were a total of 5,612 disqualifications from prosecutions and DCAs, and 37,604 disqualifications from ADHs and ADH waivers.

TABLE 15: SNAP Administrative Disqualification Hearings (ADHs) - FY 2018						
STATE	ADH- Intentional program violation found	ADH Waivers Signed	ADH- No intentional program violation found			
Alabama	248	89	145			
Alaska	10	22	0			
Arizona	22	0	9			
Arkansas	264	47	11			
California	502	742	588			
Colorado	211	332	28			
Connecticut	73	128	43			
Delaware	507	255	242			
District of Columbia	0	64	0			
Florida	436	741	112			
Georgia	1,910	678	1,700			
Guam	0	79	0			
Hawaii	6	195	0			
Idaho	48	248	0			
Illinois	649	287	564			
Indiana	322	189	163			
lowa	179	0	25			
Kansas	65	10	3			
Kentucky	791	462	598			
Louisiana	272	385	27			
Maine	65	71	4			
Maryland	149	98	96			
Massachusetts	807	108	271			
Michigan	2,066	1,564	836			
Minnesota	157	449	45			
Mississippi	1,434	66	967			
Missouri	669	365	39			
Montana	257	113	27			
Nebraska	29	101	0			
Nevada	303	154	11			
New Hampshire	3	81	0			
New Jersey	77	280	31			
New Mexico	20	32	1			
New York	486	194	106			
North Carolina	3,172	448	1,155			
North Dakota	70	244	6			
Ohio	624	1,256	137			
Oklahoma	55	432	12			
Oregon	22	468	2			
Pennsylvania	25	221	24			
Rhode Island	3	13	0			
South Carolina	1,005	1,000	94			
South Dakota	130	120	18			
Tennessee	465	661	52			
Texas	515	1,130	115			
Utah	999	79	69			
Vermont	24	146	3			
Virginia	327	603	88			
Virgin Islands	0	12	0			
Washington	301	224	131			
West Virginia	48	172	4			
Wisconsin	369	518	102			
Wyoming	24	13	3			
U.S.	21,215	16,389	8,707			

TABLE 16: SNAP Recipient Fraud Investigations Referred for ADH or Prosecution - FY 2018					
STATE	Eligibility Fraud Investigations Ref.for ADH or Prosecution	Trafficking Investigations Referred for ADH or Prosecution	Total Fraud Investigations Referred for ADH or Prosecution		
Alabama	259	166	425		
Alaska	40	0	40		
Arizona	29	92	121		
Arkansas	327	8	335		
California	3,493	215	3,708		
Colorado	501	22	523		
Connecticut	96	86	182		
Delaware	172	412	584		
District of Columbia	36	78	114		
Florida	1,844	428	2,272		
Georgia	641	1,916	2,557		
Guam	48	32	80		
Hawaii	47	0	47		
Idaho	56	12	68		
Illinois	118	7	125		
Indiana	118 189	100	289		
lowa	646	63	709		
Kansas	220	2	222		
Kentucky	882	1,924	2,806		
Louisiana	19	517	536		
Maine	85	0	85		
Maryland	67	11	78		
Massachusetts	1,967	311	2,278		
Michigan	3,033	1,189	4,222		
Minnesota	280	3	283		
Mississippi	231	886	1,117		
Missouri	1,163	66	1,229		
Montana	207	0	207		
Nebraska	135	6	141		
Nevada	33	12	45		
New Hampshire	30	0	30		
New Jersey	372	22	394		
New Mexico	15	0	15		
New York	1,884	194	2,078		
North Carolina	3,856	79	3,935		
North Dakota	182	0	182		
Ohio	1,190	75	1,265		
Oklahoma	468	61	529		
		8			
Oregon	103		111		
Pennsylvania	761	258	1,019		
Rhode Island	12	35	47		
South Carolina	1,959	46	2,005		
South Dakota	85	17	102		
Tennessee	1,395	125	1,520		
Texas	842	57	899		
Utah	548	39	587		
Vermont	214	4	218		
Virginia	1,182	78	1,260		
Virgin Islands	2	40	42		
Washington	239	184	423		
West Virginia	179	27	206		
Wisconsin	1,341	174	1,515		
Wyoming	52	0	52		

TABLE 17: SNAP Recipient Fraud Prosecution Activity- FY 2018					
STATE	Prosecution Convictions	Disqualification Consent Agreements Signed	Prosecution Acquittals		
Alabama	47	13	4		
Alaska	21	1	0		
Arizona	23	0	0		
Arkansas	122	0	25		
California	1,188	467	703		
Colorado	34	0	0		
Connecticut	13	4	1		
Delaware	0	0	0		
District of Columbia	2	9	0		
Florida	123	327	111		
Georgia	14	69	1		
Guam	0	0	0		
Hawaii	2	12	0		
Idaho	15	0	0		
Illinois	3	0	0		
Indiana	8	0	0		
lowa	5	0	0		
Kansas	105	0	17		
Kentucky	87	3	32		
Louisiana	17	28	1		
Maine	28	0	1		
Maryland	9	4	1		
Massachusetts	4	47	1		
Michigan	169	165	0		
Minnesota	34	16	5		
Mississippi	8	0	22		
Missouri	49	3	1		
Montana	0	0	0		
Nebraska	10	0	0		
Nevada	4	0	0		
New Hampshire	28	0	6		
New Jersey	2	1	29		
New Mexico	3	1	0		
New York	415	571	35		
North Carolina	53	13	7		
North Dakota	8	0	0		
Ohio	111	91	12		
Oklahoma	4	6	25		
Oregon	10	2	1		
Pennsylvania	67	499	48		
Rhode Island	0	0	0		
South Carolina	17	6	0		
South Dakota	0	0	0		
Tennessee	1	0	0		
Texas	16	111	63		
Utah	11	0	0		
Vermont	0	0	0		
Virginia Virgin Islanda	112	0	8		
Virgin Islands	0	0	0		
Washington	40	7	5		
West Virginia	22	4	0		
Wisconsin	50	13	10		
Wyoming	5	0	0		
U.S.	3,119	2,493	1,175		

TABLE 18: SNAP Disqualification Determinations- FY 2018					
STATE	Disqualifications from ADH	Disqualifications from Prosecution	Total Disqualifications		
Alabama	337	60	397		
Alaska	32	22	54		
Arizona	22	23	45		
Arkansas	311	122	433		
California	1,244	1,655	2,899		
Colorado	543	34	577		
Connecticut	201	17	218		
Delaware	762	0	762		
District of Columbia	64	11	75		
Florida	1,177	450	1,627		
Georgia	2,588	83	2,671		
Guam	79	0	79		
Hawaii	201	14	215		
Idaho	201	15	311		
Illinois	936	3	939		
Indiana	511	8	519		
	179	5	184		
lowa					
Kansas	75	105	180		
Kentucky	1,253	90	1,343		
Louisiana	657	45	702		
Maine	136	28	164		
Maryland	247	13	260		
Massachusetts	915	51	966		
Michigan	3,630	334	3,964		
Minnesota	606	50	656		
Mississippi	1,500	8	1,508		
Missouri	1,034	52	1,086		
Montana	370	0	370		
Nebraska	130	10	140		
Nevada	457	4	461		
New Hampshire	84	28	112		
New Jersey	357	3	360		
New Mexico	52	4	56		
New York	680	986	1,666		
North Carolina	3,620	66	3,686		
North Dakota	314	8	322		
Ohio	1,880	202	2,082		
Oklahoma	487	10	497		
Oregon	490	10	502		
Pennsylvania	246	566	812		
Rhode Island	16	0	16		
South Carolina		23	2,028		
	2,005				
South Dakota	250	0	250		
Tennessee	1,126	1	1,127		
Texas	1,645	127	1,772		
Utah	1,078	11	1,089		
Vermont	170	0	170		
Virginia	930	112	1,042		
Virgin Islands	12	0	12		
Washington	525	47	572		
West Virginia	220	26	246		
Wisconsin	887	63	950		
Wyoming	37	5	42		
<u> </u>	37,604	5,612	43,216		

### V. Recipient Claims

#### **RECIPIENT CLAIM COLLECTIONS**

Recipient claims are established against households that receive more SNAP benefits than they are entitled to receive or households that have trafficked benefits (exchanged for cash). Claims fall into three categories: intentional program violation (eligibility fraud and trafficking), inadvertent household error, or agency error. State agencies are entitled to retain 35 percent of the amount they collect on fraud claims and certain inadvertent household error claims; and retain 20 percent of the amount they collect on the remaining inadvertent household error claims.

In FY 2018, State agencies established over \$520 million in new claims against households and collected over \$397 million. The average claim established was \$847. Collections decreased by 3.3 percent from FY 2017. Collections via recoupment, whereby the State agency reduces a portion of the households benefit allotment to pay an outstanding claim, decreased by 13 percent to \$133.9 million.

During FY 2018, the Federal Government, through the Treasury Offset Program (TOP), collected \$210.8 million. As participating partners in this program, State agencies notify the household and then send the delinquent claims through FNS to the US Department of Treasury for possible collection.

This Federal program offsets amounts from any eligible Federal payment otherwise due a household and uses those funds to pay outstanding claims. The collections are made by Treasury on behalf of SNAP. In FY 2018, all State agencies participated in TOP.

T/	TABLE 19: Newly Established SNAP Recipient Claim Dollars - FY 2018					
STATE	Fraud Claims Established	Household Error Claims Established	Agency Error Claims Established	Total Claims Established		
Alabama	\$76,823	\$4,512,414	\$1,777,585	\$6,366,821		
Alaska	\$164,348	\$331,728	\$598,625	\$1,094,701		
Arizona	\$285,288	\$2,651,514	\$1,160,807	\$4,097,609		
Arkansas	\$781,731	\$1,068,888	\$87,843	\$1,938,462		
California	\$649,785	\$106,311,591	\$70,596,639	\$177,558,014		
Colorado	\$1,050,226	\$5,048,162	\$2,268,090	\$8,366,478		
Connecticut	\$229,795	\$421,401	\$670,112	\$1,321,308		
Delaware	\$2,337,585	\$1,633,124	\$200,922	\$4,171,631		
District of Columbia						
Florida	\$1,926,451	\$4,890,843	\$145,049	\$6,962,343		
Georgia	\$692,651	\$549,125	\$1,142,231	\$2,384,007		
Guam		\$266,792	\$39,487	\$306,278		
Hawaii	\$857,652	\$1,411,426	\$224,432	\$2,493,510		
Idaho	\$676,516	\$568,024	\$197,569	\$1,442,110		
Illinois	\$163,544	\$22,676,634	\$1,891,920	\$24,732,098		
Indiana	\$163,544 \$1,327,781	\$22,676,634 \$4,465,669	\$1,891,920 \$2,625,517	\$24,732,098 \$8,418,967		
lowa	\$368,583	\$1,544,020	\$74,702	\$1,987,305		
Kansas	\$131,842	\$1,407,432	\$178,518	\$1,717,792		
Kentucky	\$1,371,690	\$6,161,026	\$3,256,031	\$10,788,747		
Louisiana	\$1,132,657	\$1,279,582	\$97,520	\$2,509,759		
Maine	\$557,368	\$1,355,182	\$1,380,739	\$3,293,289		
Maryland	\$502,009	\$1,708,426	\$583,162	\$2,793,598		
Massachusetts	\$3,248,043	\$3,346,652	\$784,151	\$7,378,846		
Michigan	\$9,184,503	\$6,888,801	\$2,003,599	\$18,076,903		
Minnesota	\$483,683	\$5,354,687	\$1,013,232	\$6,851,602		
Mississippi	\$297,020	\$2,692,219	\$228,076	\$3,217,315		
Missouri	\$539,005	\$2,115,593	\$842,743	\$3,497,340		
Montana	\$775,940	\$862,772	\$653,343	\$2,292,055		
Nebraska	\$0	\$1,693,773	\$664,201	\$2,357,974		
Nevada	\$165,763	\$3,272,512	\$217,095	\$3,655,370		
New Hampshire	\$429,803	\$278,835	\$92,128	\$800,766		
New Jersey	\$365,916	\$9,867,113	\$750,096	\$10,983,125		
New Mexico	\$513,002	\$1,153,113	\$893,749	\$2,559,864		
New York	\$3,700,995	\$13,257,655	\$4,421,108	\$21,379,759		
North Carolina	\$8,428,068	\$8,667,007	\$5,432,089	\$22,527,163		
North Dakota	\$52,944	\$336,078	\$199,258	\$588,280		
Ohio	\$5,636,409	\$13,547,465	\$3,292,750	\$22,476,624		
Oklahoma	\$1,411,686	\$1,175,349	\$542,760	\$3,129,795		
Oregon	\$1,576,691	\$5,532,022	\$82,072	\$7,190,784		
Pennsylvania	\$31,767	\$12,523,968	\$1,656,689	\$14,212,424		
Rhode Island		÷±2,525,500	ç±,030,005	~~,~ <i>~</i> ,~~,~~,~~~,~~~~,~~~~~,~~~~~~,~~~~~~~~		
South Carolina	\$33,080	 \$13,575,931	\$3,481,872	\$17,090,883		
South Dakota	\$89,757	\$768,987	\$5,461,672	\$916,982		
Tennessee	\$89,757 \$717,605	\$7,657,412	\$58,238	\$916,982 \$8,909,226		
		\$7,657,412 \$22,569,128				
Texas	\$7,702,204		\$3,611,688	\$33,883,021		
Utah	\$133,721	\$2,780,123	\$517,745	\$3,431,589		
Vermont	\$526,640	\$291,147	\$203,430	\$1,021,217		
Virginia Mineira la la seda	\$1,292,020	\$3,407,048	\$745,796	\$5,444,863		
Virgin Islands	\$38,004	\$11,791	\$25,259	\$75,054		
Washington	\$566,977	\$6,783,722	\$1,815,151	\$9,165,851		
West Virginia	\$954,456	\$1,845,112	\$349,245	\$3,148,813		
Wisconsin	\$948,850	\$8,169,097	\$614,051	\$9,731,997		
Wyoming	\$0	\$105,126	\$34,220	\$139,346		

• Some states establish all non-agency error claims as household error claims initially and then transfer the claim from household error to fraud after the prosecution or ADH.

• Missing recipient claims establishment data for the District of Columbia, Guam, and Rhode Island

	Fraud	Household Error	Agency Error	Total Claims
STATE	<b>Claims Established</b>	<b>Claims Established</b>	Claims Established	Established
Alabama	46	3,018	1,544	4,608
Alaska	64	268	833	1,165
Arizona	49	1,833	1,275	3,157
Arkansas	303	467	169	939
California	223	140,433	211,341	351,997
Colorado	211	2,348	4,687	7,246
Connecticut	120	485	1,232	1,837
Delaware	779	1,055	170	2,004
District of Columbia				, -
Florida	468	1,652	137	2,257
Georgia	192	887	1,661	2,740
Guam		79	32	111
Hawaii	107	918	356	1,381
Idaho	285	600	588	1,473
Illinois	472	22,717	3,411	26,600
Indiana	472	2,511	2,486	5,455
lowa	68	770	203	1,041
Kansas	45	608	491	1,041
	1,252	8,892	8,839	18,983
Kentucky	730	658	75	
Louisiana				1,463
Maine	175	1,395	1,641	3,211
Maryland	198	1,941	1,209	3,348
Massachusetts	925	5,277	1,076	7,278
Michigan	4,221	4,217	1,331	9,769
Minnesota	285	5,678	2,004	7,967
Mississippi	240	1,569	356	2,165
Missouri	114	1,324	1,022	2,460
Montana	233	682	1,120	2,035
Nebraska	0	1,548	1,413	2,961
Nevada	39	1,804	210	2,053
New Hampshire	105	219	86	410
New Jersey	114	7,553	783	8,450
New Mexico	130	1,976	1,104	3,210
New York	1,484	10,056	4,965	16,505
North Carolina	3,763	4,731	4,564	13,058
North Dakota	50	429	640	1,119
Ohio	1,888	8,426	3,577	13,891
Oklahoma	310	642	466	1,418
Oregon	234	3,475	120	3,829
Pennsylvania	20	9,610	3,466	13,096
Rhode Island				-
South Carolina	7	5,277	13,062	18,346
South Dakota	74	775	93	942
Tennessee	160	3,904	466	4,530
Texas	764	5,966	1,657	8,387
Utah	82	1,658	584	2,324
Vermont	190	379	200	769
Virginia	620	2,047	926	3,593
Virgin Islands	23	15	26	64
Washington	172	7,532	3,556	11,260
West Virginia	381	1,409	580	2,370
Wisconsin	611	6,617	1,220	8,448
Wyoming	0	121	121	242

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• Missing recipient claims establishment data for the District of Columbia, Guam, and Rhode Island

CTATE	Fraud	Household Error	Agency Error	Total Claims
STATE	<b>Claims Collected</b>	<b>Claims Collected</b>	<b>Claims Collected</b>	Collected
Alabama	\$1,387,532	\$3,072,755	\$1,428,202	\$5,888,489
Alaska	\$168,845	\$142,992	\$435,190	\$747,027
Arizona	\$266,115	\$1,476,215	\$952,343	\$2,694,672
Arkansas	\$1,303,133	\$245,770	\$105,263	\$1,654,166
California	\$7,313,765	\$59,695,574	\$42,763,903	\$109,773,242
Colorado	\$1,897,723	\$1,868,076	\$2,086,433	\$5,852,232
Connecticut	\$380,032	\$397,030	\$620,970	\$1,398,032
Delaware	\$763,580	\$1,532,472	\$183,367	\$2,479,419
District of Columbia	\$53,141	\$259,149	\$17,728	\$330,018
Florida	\$1,082,988	\$2,127,277	\$403,669	\$3,613,934
Georgia	\$4,488,290	\$62,144	\$1,766,138	\$6,316,573
Guam	\$106,028	\$5,187	\$45,626	\$156,840
Hawaii	\$798,979	\$860,088	\$272,726	\$1,931,793
daho	\$454,220	\$357,805	\$222,517	\$1,034,543
llinois	\$2,700,089	\$27,949,865	\$2,352,466	\$33,002,419
ndiana	\$1,044,848	\$2,973,435	\$1,611,868	\$5,630,151
owa	\$132,523	\$1,386,470	\$82,387	\$1,601,380
Kansas	\$1,034,074	\$490,682	\$263,534	\$1,788,290
Kentucky	\$2,935,720	\$1,806,840	\$1,957,453	\$6,700,014
Louisiana	\$2,276,215	\$539,844	\$301,759	\$3,117,818
Maine	\$371,856	\$648,770	\$686,757	\$1,707,383
Maryland	\$333,447	\$1,370,459	\$556,964	\$2,260,870
Massachusetts	\$1,788,889	\$4,524,424	\$408,533	\$6,721,846
Vichigan	\$7,832,540	\$2,769,452	\$1,633,250	\$12,235,242
Minnesota	\$945,382	\$4,378,578	\$1,210,502	\$6,534,462
Mississippi	\$4,613,017	\$789,782	\$348,223	\$5,751,021
Missouri	\$1,562,425	\$492,158	\$357,889	\$2,412,472
Montana	\$536,177	\$238,975	\$443,701	\$1,218,853
Nebraska	\$211,382	\$1,365,863	\$930,535	\$2,507,781
Nevada	\$654,372	\$873,284	\$91,717	\$1,619,373
New Hampshire	\$401,006	\$277,107	\$71,425	\$749,539
New Jersey	\$1,262,642	\$7,113,587	\$688,316	\$9,064,545
New Mexico	\$246,066	\$1,209,237	\$783,880	\$2,239,183
New York	\$3,197,683	\$6,656,713	\$3,808,299	\$13,662,696
North Carolina	\$6,199,534	\$6,415,652	\$4,654,550	\$17,269,737
North Dakota	\$50,485	\$260,074	\$176,251	\$486,811
Ohio	\$3,724,070	\$7,936,495	\$2,808,591	\$14,469,157
Oklahoma	\$769,092	\$371,298	\$244,187	\$1,384,577
Oregon	\$2,916,877	\$3,640,467	\$129,880	\$6,687,224
Pennsylvania	\$2,808,901	\$7,496,321	\$1,169,293	\$11,474,515
Rhode Island	\$18,818	\$59,050	\$37,905	\$115,773
South Carolina	\$4,559,111	\$5,273,876	\$2,777,768	\$12,610,755
South Dakota	\$270,828	\$430,068	\$82,374	\$783,270
Tennessee	\$5,849,589	\$3,886,699	\$543,822	\$10,280,109
Texas	\$9,534,336	\$16,502,868	\$6,063,977	\$32,101,180
Jtah Vormont	\$1,677,445	\$670,009	\$518,906	\$2,866,361
Vermont	\$304,786	\$246,912	\$50,680	\$602,378
/irginia /ingin la la sula	\$2,231,958	\$2,145,257	\$751,979	\$5,129,193
Virgin Islands	\$198,573	\$55,523	\$25,855	\$279,951
Washington	\$481,977	\$3,510,918	\$1,352,887	\$5,345,782
West Virginia	\$954,953	\$1,407,503	\$336,671	\$2,699,127
Wisconsin	\$1,504,408	\$5,691,228	\$656,450	\$7,852,085

TABLE 2	TABLE 22: SNAP Recipient Claims Collected by Collection Method - FY 2018					
STATE	Claims	Treasury Offset	Other Collection	Total Claims		
01112	Recouped	Program	Methods & Refunds	Collected		
Alabama	\$2,245,844	\$3,163,213	\$479,432	\$5,888,489		
Alaska	\$350,480	\$166,630	\$229,917	\$747,027		
Arizona	\$856,061	\$1,071,153	\$767,458	\$2,694,672		
Arkansas	\$328,190	\$1,050,717	\$275,259	\$1,654,166		
California	\$43,231,669	\$47,116,887	\$19,424,685	\$109,773,242		
Colorado	\$1,607,720	\$2,074,362	\$2,170,150	\$5,852,232		
Connecticut	\$584,620	\$595,499	\$217,913	\$1,398,032		
Delaware	\$766,926	\$1,198,506	\$513,987	\$2,479,419		
District of Columbia	\$118,995	\$469,979	-\$258,956	\$330,018		
Florida	\$1,791,003	\$16,059,808	-\$14,236,877	\$3,613,934		
Georgia	\$1,848,985	\$4,769,409	-\$301,821	\$6,316,573		
Guam	\$79,975	\$11,352	\$65,513	\$156,840		
Hawaii	\$899,024	\$553,347	\$479,422	\$1,931,793		
Idaho	\$287,810	\$445,294	\$301,439	\$1,034,543		
Illinois	\$10,726,412	\$18,423,148	\$3,852,859	\$33,002,419		
Indiana	\$1,901,953	\$3,064,619	\$663,579	\$5,630,151		
lowa	\$368,859	\$996,807	\$235,714	\$1,601,380		
Kansas	\$363,282	\$999,735	\$425,273	\$1,788,290		
Kentucky	\$2,645,898	\$2,335,910	\$1,718,206	\$6,700,014		
Louisiana	\$953,199	\$1,509,918	\$654,701	\$3,117,818		
Maine	\$1,064,045	\$83,920	\$559,417	\$1,707,383		
Maryland	\$738,922	\$1,142,337	\$379,612	\$2,260,870		
Massachusetts	\$2,686,760	\$3,190,061	\$845,025	\$6,721,846		
Michigan	\$3,381,725	\$7,576,939	\$1,276,579	\$12,235,242		
Minnesota	\$1,993,858	\$3,078,098	\$1,462,507	\$6,534,462		
Mississippi	\$2,829,627	\$2,775,406	\$145,988	\$5,751,021		
Missouri	\$675,564	\$1,403,228	\$333,680	\$2,412,472		
Montana	\$590,534	\$270,069	\$358,250	\$1,218,853		
Nebraska	\$904,994	\$1,236,763	\$366,023	\$2,507,781		
Nevada	\$512,570	\$700,110	\$406,693	\$1,619,373		
New Hampshire	\$179,197	\$307,098	\$263,244	\$749,539		
New Jersey	\$2,488,535	\$4,985,679	\$1,590,330	\$9,064,545		
New Mexico	\$950,704	\$905,818	\$382,661	\$2,239,183		
New York	\$4,563,704	\$6,057,679	\$3,041,312	\$13,662,696		
North Carolina			\$2,153,918			
North Dakota	\$5,122,157	\$9,993,661		\$17,269,737 \$486,811		
	\$185,421	\$211,649	\$89,741			
Ohio Oklahama	\$4,956,322	\$8,893,677	\$619,158	\$14,469,157		
Oklahoma	\$480,942	\$678,683	\$224,951	\$1,384,577		
Oregon	\$1,267,059	\$525,326	\$4,894,839	\$6,687,224		
Pennsylvania Rhada Island	\$3,680,950	\$5,671,919	\$2,121,647	\$11,474,515		
Rhode Island	\$89,002	\$2,501	\$24,270	\$115,773		
South Carolina	\$3,629,360	\$8,251,667	\$729,727	\$12,610,755		
South Dakota	\$281,695	\$363,014	\$138,562	\$783,270		
Tennessee	\$2,835,040	\$5,828,340	\$1,616,729	\$10,280,109		
Texas	\$7,816,336	\$19,701,566	\$4,583,278	\$32,101,180		
Utah	\$580,409	\$1,395,637	\$890,315	\$2,866,361		
Vermont	\$234,638	\$278,300	\$89,440	\$602,378		
Virginia	\$1,514,420	\$123,587	\$3,491,186	\$5,129,193		
Virgin Islands	\$155,373	\$2,216,478	-\$2,091,900	\$279,951		
Washington	\$2,580,929	\$1,575,073	\$1,189,780	\$5,345,782		
West Virginia	\$956,804	\$1,481,971	\$260,353	\$2,699,127		
Wisconsin	\$1,985,770	\$3,779,799	\$2,086,516	\$7,852,085		
Wyoming	\$37,686	\$79,787	\$57,926	\$175,399		

• States also collect other forms of claim payments and refund recipients that have overpaid. Depending on the amount of refunds issued during the fiscal year, this column can be negative.

## VI. Participation and Issuance Ranking

	TABLE 23: SNAP Participation and Issuance (Ranked by Persons) - FY 2018					
Rank	STATE	Persons Participating	Households Participating	Total Issuance		
		(Monthly Average)	(Monthly Average)			
1	Californica	3,949,512	1,945,990	\$6,334,018,899		
2	Texas	3,895,207	1,636,052	\$5,525,177,455		
3	Florida	3,347,518	1,747,853	\$5,763,762,595		
4	New York	2,796,620	1,565,541	\$4,526,970,965		
5	Illinois	1,826,011	920,271	\$2,777,948,512		
6	Pennsylvania	1,818,589	956,435	\$2,592,183,684		
7	Georgia	1,556,452	721,491	\$2,336,788,286		
8	Ohio	1,421,366	710,024	\$2,078,237,006		
9	North Carolina	1,344,485	643,153	\$1,919,051,873		
10	Michigan	1,281,862	684,001	\$1,894,038,446		
11	Tennessee	970,875	471,342	\$1,424,890,904		
12	Washington	877,244	501,868	\$1,268,734,555		
13	Louisiana	867,342	403,388	\$1,297,321,641		
14	Arizona	845,733	387,657	\$1,210,429,898		
15	Massachusetts	770,566	451,072	\$1,159,118,509		
16	Alabama	766,681	360,067	\$1,084,563,290		
17	New Jersey	760,303	379,343	\$1,012,654,300		
18	Missouri	736,590	342,323	\$1,061,334,229		
19	Virginia	736,221	352,313	\$1,051,800,978		
20	South Carolina	658,119	307,859	\$943,922,431		
21	Wisconsin	652,885	329,203	\$816,882,114		
22	Maryland	646,483	343,933	\$910,098,604		
23	Oregon	633,970	365,382	\$937,798,988		
24	Indiana	617,032	275,368	\$867,533,147		
25	Kentucky	615,305	285,763	\$853,986,982		
26	Oklahoma	585,064	268,711	\$832,653,493		
27	Mississippi	505,308	231,847	\$679,722,657		
28	New Mexico	456,251	220,341	\$638,421,821		
29	Colorado	449,824	221,726	\$668,610,833		
30	Nevada	439,941	228,290	\$614,241,940		
31	Minnesota	428,986	212,453	\$544,420,005		
32	Connecticut	387,329	223,244	\$614,967,955		
33	Arkansas	372,451	164,761	\$480,472,657		
34	lowa	345,406	165,116	\$446,259,982		
35	West Virginia	321,009	165,378	\$440,298,715		
36	Kansas	217,865	101,652	\$293,539,988		
37	Utah	189,093	77,795	\$258,536,027		
38	Nebraska	169,811	76,451	\$229,206,174		
39	Maine	167,858	89,089	\$218,217,647		
40	Hawaii	163,618	83,819	\$469,433,045		
41	Rhode Island	158,986	94,205	\$259,191,919		
42	Idaho	157,858	70,062	\$199,514,037		
43	Delaware	140,298	68,554	\$196,899,033		
43 44	Montana	115,223	56,025	\$158,389,738		
45	District of Columbia	112,282	68,855	\$188,433,398		
45 46	Alaska	91,995	40,516	\$187,357,117		
47	South Dakota	87,410	39,968	\$131,112,641		
48	New Hampshire	86,502	43,489	\$101,469,828		
40	Vermont	73,312	41,035	\$106,782,062		
49 50	North Dakota	52,621	25,072	\$75,391,175		
51	Guam	44,974	15,362	\$106,449,158		
52	Virgin Islands	32,833	15,064	\$100,449,130		
52	Wyoming	29,330	12,989	\$40,676,283		
55	U.S.	40,752,140	20,197,671	\$60,916,853,190		

TABLE 24: SNAP Participation and Issuance (Ranked by Households) - FY 2018				
Rank	STATE	Persons Participating (Monthly Average)	Households Participating (Monthly Average)	Total Issuance
1	California	3,949,512	1,945,990	\$6,334,018,899
2	Florida	3,347,518	1,747,853	\$5,763,762,59
3	Texas	3,895,207	1,636,052	\$5,525,177,45
4	New York	2,796,620	1,565,541	\$4,526,970,96
5	Pennsylvania	1,818,589	956,435	\$2,592,183,68
6	Illinois	1,826,011	920,271	\$2,777,948,51
7	Georgia	1,556,452	721,491	\$2,336,788,28
8	Ohio	1,421,366	710,024	\$2,078,237,00
9	Michigan	1,281,862	684,001	\$1,894,038,44
10	North Carolina	1,344,485	643,153	\$1,919,051,87
11	Washington	877,244	501,868	\$1,268,734,55
12	Tennessee	970,875	471,342	\$1,424,890,90
13	Massachusetts	770,566	451,072	\$1,159,118,50
14	Louisiana	867,342	403,388	\$1,297,321,642
15	Arizona	845,733	387,657	\$1,210,429,89
16	New Jersey	760,303	379,343	\$1,012,654,30
17	Oregon	633,970	365,382	\$937,798,988
18	Alabama	766,681	360,067	\$1,084,563,29
19	Virginia	736,221	352,313	\$1,051,800,97
20	Maryland	646,483	343,933	\$910,098,604
20	Missouri	736,590	342,323	\$1,061,334,229
21	Wisconsin	652,885	329,203	\$1,001,334,223
22	South Carolina	658,119	307,859	\$943,922,431
23 24	Kentucky	615,305	285,763	\$853,986,982
24	Indiana	617,032	275,368	\$867,533,147
25	Oklahoma	585,064	268,711	\$832,653,493
20		505,308	231,847	\$679,722,657
28	Mississippi Nevada	439,941	228,290	\$614,241,940
20				\$614,967,955
29 30	Connecticut Colorado	387,329 449,824	223,244 221,726	\$668,610,833
30 31				
	New Mexico	456,251	220,341	\$638,421,821
32 33	Minnesota	428,986	212,453 165,378	\$544,420,005
	West Virginia	321,009		\$440,298,715
34	lowa	345,406	165,116	\$446,259,982
35	Arkansas	372,451	164,761	\$480,472,65
36	Kansas	217,865	101,652	\$293,539,988
37	Rhode Island	158,986	94,205	\$259,191,919
38	Maine	167,858	89,089	\$218,217,647
39	Hawaii	163,618	83,819	\$469,433,045
40	Utah	189,093	77,795	\$258,536,027
41	Nebraska	169,811	76,451	\$229,206,174
42	Idaho	157,858	70,062	\$199,514,03
43	District of Columbia	112,282	68,855	\$188,433,398
44	Delaware	140,298	68,554	\$196,899,033
45	Montana	115,223	56,025	\$158,389,738
46	New Hampshire	86,502	43,489	\$101,469,828
47	Vermont	73,312	41,035	\$106,782,062
48	Alaska	91,995	40,516	\$187,357,117
49	South Dakota	87,410	39,968	\$131,112,643
50	North Dakota	52,621	25,072	\$75,391,175
51	Guam	44,974	15,362	\$106,449,158
52	Virgin Islands	32,833	15,064	\$86,935,571
53	Wyoming	29,330	12,989	\$40,676,283
	U.S.	40,752,140	20,197,671	\$60,916,853,190

		•	uance (Ranked by Issuand Households	
Rank	STATE	Persons Participating (Monthly Average)	Participating	Total Issuance
		(Wonthly Average)	(Monthly Average)	
1	California	3,949,512	1,945,990	\$6,334,018,899
2	Florida	3,347,518	1,747,853	\$5,763,762,595
3	Texas	3,895,207	1,636,052	\$5,525,177,455
4	New York	2,796,620	1,565,541	\$4,526,970,965
5	Illinois	1,826,011	920,271	\$2,777,948,512
6	Pennsylvania	1,818,589	956,435	\$2,592,183,684
7	Georgia	1,556,452	721,491	\$2,336,788,286
8	Ohio	1,421,366	710,024	\$2,078,237,006
9	North Carolina	1,344,485	643,153	\$1,919,051,873
10	Michigan	1,281,862	684,001	\$1,894,038,446
11	Tennessee	970,875	471,342	\$1,424,890,904
12	Louisiana	867,342	403,388	\$1,297,321,641
13	Washington	877,244	501,868	\$1,268,734,555
14	Arizona	845,733	387,657	\$1,210,429,898
15	Massachusetts	770,566	451,072	\$1,159,118,509
16	Alabama	766,681	360,067	\$1,084,563,290
17	Missouri	736,590	342,323	\$1,061,334,229
18	Virgin Islands	736,221	352,313	\$1,051,800,978
19	New Jersey	760,303	379,343	\$1,012,654,300
20	South Carolina	658,119	307,859	\$943,922,431
21	Oregon	633,970	365,382	\$937,798,988
22	Maryland	646,483	343,933	\$910,098,604
23	Indiana	617,032	275,368	\$867,533,147
24	Kentucky	615,305	285,763	\$853,986,982
25	Oklahoma	585,064	268,711	\$832,653,493
26	Wisconsin	652,885	329,203	\$816,882,114
27	Mississippi	505,308	231,847	\$679,722,657
28	Colorado	449,824	221,726	\$668,610,833
29	New Mexico	456,251	220,341	\$638,421,821
30	Connecticut	387,329	223,244	\$614,967,955
31	Nevada	439,941	228,290	\$614,241,940
32	Minnesota	428,986	212,453	\$544,420,005
33	Arkansas	372,451	164,761	\$480,472,657
34	Hawaii	163,618	83,819	\$469,433,045
35	lowa	345,406	165,116	\$446,259,982
36	West Virginia	321,009	165,378	\$440,259,582
37	Kansas	,	101,652	\$293,539,988
37 38	Rhode Island	217,865 158,986	94,205	\$259,191,919
39	Utah		,	\$258,536,027
		189,093	77,795	
40	Nebraska	169,811	76,451	\$229,206,174 \$218,217,647
41	Maine	167,858	89,089	
42	Idaho	157,858	70,062	\$199,514,037
43	Delaware	140,298	68,554	\$196,899,033
44 45	District of Columbia	112,282	68,855	\$188,433,398
45	Alaska	91,995	40,516	\$187,357,117
46	Montana	115,223	56,025	\$158,389,738
47	South Dakota	87,410	39,968	\$131,112,641
48	Vermont	73,312	41,035	\$106,782,062
49	Guam	44,974	15,362	\$106,449,158
50	New Hampshire	86,502	43,489	\$101,469,828
51	Virginia	32,833	15,064	\$86,935,571
52	North Dakota	52,621	25,072	\$75,391,175
53	Wyoming	29,330	12,989	\$40,676,283

TABLE 26: SNAP Average Monthly Benefit (Ranked per Person) - FY 2018				
Rank	STATE	Average Monthly Benefit Per Person	Average Monthly Benefit Per Household	
1	Hawaii	\$239.09	\$466.72	
2	Virgin Islands	\$220.65	\$480.92	
3	Guam	\$197.24	\$577.46	
4	Alaska	\$169.72	\$385.36	
5	Florida	\$143.48	\$274.80	
6	District of Columbia	\$139.85	\$228.06	
7	Rhode Island	\$135.86	\$229.28	
8	New York	\$134.89	\$240.97	
9	California	\$133.65	\$271.24	
10	Connecticut	\$132.31	\$229.56	
11	Illinois	\$126.78	\$251.55	
12	Massachusetts	\$125.35	\$214.14	
13	Georgia	\$125.11	\$269.90	
14	South Dakota	\$125.00	\$273.37	
15	Louisiana	\$123.00	\$268.01	
16	Colorado	\$123.87	\$251.29	
10		\$123.27	\$251.29	
	Oregon	•	•	
18	Michigan	\$123.13	\$230.75	
19	Tennessee	\$122.30	\$251.92	
20	Ohio	\$121.85	\$243.92	
21	Vermont	\$121.80	\$217.39	
22	Washington	\$120.52	\$210.67	
23	Missouri	\$120.07	\$258.37	
24	South Carolina	\$119.52	\$255.51	
25	North Dakota	\$119.39	\$250.59	
26	Arizona	\$119.27	\$260.20	
27	Virginia	\$119.05	\$248.78	
28	North Carolina	\$118.95	\$248.65	
29	Pennsylvania	\$118.78	\$225.85	
30	Oklahoma	\$118.60	\$258.23	
31	Texas	\$118.20	\$281.43	
32	Alabama	\$117.89	\$251.01	
33	Maryland	\$117.31	\$220.51	
34	Indiana	\$117.16	\$262.54	
35	Delaware	\$116.95	\$239.35	
36	New Mexico	\$116.61	\$241.45	
37	Nevada	\$116.35	\$224.22	
38	Kentucky	\$115.66	\$249.04	
39	Wyoming	\$115.57	\$260.97	
40	Montana	\$114.55	\$235.60	
41	West Virginia	\$114.30	\$221.86	
42	Utah	\$113.94	\$276.94	
43	Kansas	\$112.51	\$241.13	
45 44	Nebraska	\$112.48	\$249.84	
44	Mississippi	\$112.10	\$249.84	
45 46	New Jersey	\$112.10	\$222.46	
40 47	Maine	\$108.33	\$204.12	
48	lowa	\$107.67	\$225.23	
49	Arkansas	\$107.50	\$243.01	
50	Minnesota	\$105.76	\$213.55	
51	Idaho	\$105.32	\$237.31	
52	Wisconsin	\$104.27	\$206.78	
53	New Hampshire	\$97.75	\$194.43	
	U.S.	\$124.50	\$251.19	

Rank	STATE	Average Monthly Benefit Per Person	Average Monthly Benefit Per Household
1	Guam	\$197.24	\$577.46
2	Virgin Islands	\$220.65	\$480.92
3	Hawaii	\$239.09	\$466.72
4	Alaska	\$169.72	\$385.36
5	Texas	\$118.20	\$281.43
6	Utah	\$113.94	\$276.94
7	Florida	\$143.48	\$274.80
8	South Dakota	\$125.00	\$273.37
9	California	\$133.65	\$271.24
10	Georgia	\$125.11	\$269.90
11	Louisiana	\$124.65	\$268.01
12	Indiana	\$117.16	\$262.54
13	Wyoming	\$115.57	\$260.97
14	Arizona	\$119.27	\$260.20
15	Missouri	\$120.07	\$258.37
16	Oklahoma	\$118.60	\$258.23
17	South Carolina	\$119.52	\$255.51
18	Tennessee	\$122.30	\$251.92
19	Illinois	\$126.78	\$251.55
20	Colorado	\$123.87	\$251.29
21	Alabama	\$117.89	\$251.01
22	North Dakota	\$119.39	\$250.59
23	Nebraska	\$112.48	\$249.84
24	Kentucky	\$115.66	\$249.04
25	, Virginia	\$119.05	\$248.78
26	North Carolina	\$118.95	\$248.65
27	Mississippi	\$112.10	\$244.31
28	Ohio	\$121.85	\$243.92
29	Arkansas	\$107.50	\$243.01
30	New Mexico	\$116.61	\$241.45
31	Kansas	\$112.51	\$241.13
32	New York	\$134.89	\$240.97
33	Delaware	\$116.95	\$239.35
34	Idaho	\$105.32	\$237.31
35	Montana	\$114.55	\$235.60
36	Michigan	\$123.13	\$230.75
37	Connecticut	\$132.31	\$229.56
38	Rhode Island	\$135.86	\$229.28
39	District of Columbia	\$139.85	\$228.06
40	Pennsylvania	\$118.78	\$225.85
41	lowa	\$107.67	\$225.23
42	Nevada	\$116.35	\$224.22
43	New Jersey	\$110.99	\$222.46
44	West Virginia	\$114.30	\$221.86
45	Maryland	\$117.31	\$220.51
46	Vermont	\$121.80	\$217.39
47	Massachusetts	\$125.35	\$214.14
48	Oregon	\$123.27	\$213.89
49	Minnesota	\$105.76	\$213.55
	Washington	\$120.52	\$210.67
51	Wisconsin	\$104.27	\$206.78
51 52	Maine	\$108.33	\$204.12
53	New Hampshire	\$97.75	\$194.43
	U.S.	\$113.94	\$251.19

## VII.

# Multi-Year Comparisons

T	ABLE 28: SNAP Persons Par	ticipating (Monthly Ave	rage) - FY 2016 - FY 2018	
STATE	Households Participating FY 2016	Households Participating FY 2017	Households Participating FY 2018	Percent Change FY 2017 - FY 2018
Alabama	850,804	804,336	766,681	-4.68%
Alaska	82,326	89,113	91,995	3.23%
Arizona	960,105	918,728	845,733	-7.95%
Arkansas	426,069	388,362	372,451	-4.10%
California	4,340,042	4,112,066	3,949,512	-3.95%
Colorado	475,690	459,247	449,824	-2.05%
Connecticut	431,597	410,344	387,329	-5.61%
Delaware	147,559	146,805	140,298	-4.43%
District of Columbia	134,625	119,104	112,282	-5.73%
Florida	3,454,530	3,186,537	3,347,518	5.05%
Georgia	1,733,473	1,625,415	1,556,452	-4.24%
Guam	46,713	45,263	44,974	-0.64%
Hawaii	176,729	169,045	163,618	-3.21%
Idaho	185,303	171,251	157,858	-7.82%
Illinois	1,914,393	1,878,519	1,826,011	-2.80%
Indiana	741,610	671,986	617,032	-8.18%
lowa	380,705	365,893	345,406	-5.60%
Kansas	253,833	233,778	217,865	-6.81%
Kentucky	666,264	654,873	615,305	-6.04%
Louisiana	927,168	928,962	867,342	-6.63%
Maine	189,245	179,734	167,858	-6.61%
Maryland	744,343	684,282	646,483	-5.52%
Massachusetts	779,192	766,116	770,566	0.58%
Michigan	1,473,614	1,375,434	1,281,862	-6.80%
Minnesota	478,783	453,564	428,986	-5.42%
Mississippi	582,658	537,370	505,308	-5.97%
Missouri	810,690	758,918	736,590	-2.94%
Montana	116,626	120,889	115,223	-4.69%
Nebraska	175,851	175,849	169,811	-3.43%
Nevada	439,782	440,614	439,941	-0.15%
New Hampshire	98,464	92,457	86,502	-6.44%
New Jersey	879,987	817,979	760,303	-7.05%
New Mexico	471,247	460,534	456,251	-0.93%
New York	2,968,227	2,910,894	2,796,620	-3.93%
North Carolina			1,344,485	
North Dakota	1,568,387 54,252	1,365,394 53,748	52,621	-1.53% -2.10%
Ohio	1,608,633		1,421,366	-5.36%
Oklahoma		1,501,795 603,896		-5.36% -3.12%
	612,869		585,064	
Oregon	734,864	680,671	633,970	-6.86%
Pennsylvania	1,863,836	1,842,945	1,818,589	-1.32%
Rhode Island	171,055	164,410	158,986	-3.30%
South Carolina	805,012	719,977	658,119	-8.59%
South Dakota	95,983	93,259	87,410	-6.27%
Tennessee	1,113,231	1,047,058	970,875	-7.28%
Texas	3,768,472	3,921,278	3,895,207	-0.66%
Utah	219,820	206,299	189,093	-8.34%
Vermont	79,715	76,558	73,312	-4.24%
Virginia	826,354	775,548	736,221	-5.07%
Virgin Islands	27,760	26,758	32,833	22.70%
Washington	1,011,412	929,486	877,244	-5.62%
West Virginia	357,531	340,308	321,009	-5.67%
Wisconsin	728,077	691,635	652,885	-5.60%
Wyoming	33,853	32,839	29,330	-10.68%
U.S.	44,219,363	42,228,118	40,752,140	-3.50%

CTATE	Households Participating	Households Participating	Households Participating	Percent Change
STATE	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2017 - FY 2018
Alabama	399,728	375,919	360,067	-4.22%
Alaska	34,648	38,632	40,516	4.88%
Arizona	427,061	412,989	387,657	-6.13%
Arkansas	191,636	170,644	164,761	-3.45%
California	2,093,562	1,987,758	1,945,990	-2.10%
Colorado	225,334	221,885	221,726	-0.07%
Connecticut	244,927	235,306	223,244	-5.13%
Delaware	71,099	71,465	68,554	-4.07%
District of Columbia	75,819	71,743	68,855	-4.03%
Florida	1,870,739	1,690,926	1,747,853	3.37%
Georgia	800,670	756,158	721,491	-4.58%
Guam	15,551	15,228	15,362	0.88%
Hawaii	89,095	85,869	83,819	-2.39%
Idaho	79,531	74,534	70,062	-6.00%
Illinois	996,092	976,672	920,271	-5.77%
Indiana	328,688	297,486	275,368	-7.43%
lowa	178,874	172,869	165,116	-4.48%
Kansas	114,392	108,119	101,652	-5.98%
Kentucky	313,476	308,458	285,763	-7.36%
Louisiana	422,090	429,811	403,388	-6.15%
Maine	98,549	93,391	89,089	-4.61%
Maryland	388,957	359,112	343,933	-4.23%
Massachusetts	450,364	445,840	451,072	1.17%
Michigan	777,906	728,586	684,001	-6.12%
Minnesota	231,228	222,674	212,453	-4.59%
Mississippi	269,082	244,490	231,847	-5.17%
Missouri	378,373	351,513	342,323	-2.61%
Montana	54,612	57,589	56,025	-2.72%
Nebraska	78,482	78,872	76,451	-3.07%
Nevada	222,253	225,337	228,290	1.31%
New Hampshire	48,037	45,859	43,489	-5.17%
New Jersey	440,091	407,230	379,343	-6.85%
New Mexico	216,877	217,356	220,341	1.37%
New York	1,635,764	1,610,723	1,565,541	-2.81%
North Carolina	761,999	734,478	643,153	-12.43%
North Dakota	25,262	25,240	25,072	-0.67%
Ohio	793,923	746,747	710,024	-4.92%
Oklahoma	276,268	273,898	268,711	-1.89%
Oregon	419,778	388,364	365,382	-5.92%
Pennsylvania	950,739	951,411	956,435	0.53%
Rhode Island	100,433	97,102	94,205	-2.98%
South Carolina	378,328	337,213	307,859	-8.70%
South Dakota	42,234	41,316	39,968	-3.26%
Tennessee	547,850	512,909	471,342	-8.10%
Texas	1,588,116	1,646,209	1,636,052	-0.62%
Utah	86,244	82,772	77,795	-6.01%
Vermont	42,976	42,087	41,035	-2.50%
Virginia	387,633	367,231	352,313	-4.06%
Virgin Islands	13,068	12,713	15,064	18.50%
Washington	546,931	520,498	501,868	-3.58%
West Virginia	178,274	171,913	165,378	-3.80%
Wisconsin	359,933	343,582	329,203	-4.19%
Wyoming	14,367	14,102	12,989	-7.89%
U.S.	21,777,938	20,900,823	20,197,671	-3.36%

	TABLE 30: SNAP	Issuance - FY 2016 - FY 2	2018	
STATE	Issuance FY 2016	Issuance FY 2017	Issuance FY 2018	Percent Change FY 2017 - FY 2018
Alabama	\$1,254,835,320	1,161,155,532	1,084,563,290	-6.60%
Alaska	\$175,483,424	191,442,132	187,357,117	-2.13%
Arizona	\$1,402,230,493	1,335,235,066	1,210,429,898	-9.35%
Arkansas	\$577,775,082	510,832,029	480,472,657	-5.94%
California	\$7,237,700,086	6,732,719,405	6,334,018,899	-5.92%
Colorado	\$728,042,703	701,946,211	668,610,833	-4.75%
Connecticut	\$685,510,011	653,086,669	614,967,955	-5.84%
Delaware	\$220,683,314	210,706,049	196,899,033	-6.55%
District of Columbia	\$210,436,410	200,333,265	188,433,398	-5.94%
Florida	\$5,216,754,147	4,783,367,429	5,763,762,595	20.50%
Georgia	\$2,663,017,763	2,540,245,442	2,336,788,286	-8.01%
Guam	\$106,333,972	103,014,381	106,449,158	3.33%
Hawaii	\$484,225,008	479,722,381	469,433,045	-2.14%
Idaho	\$255,423,930	233,881,652	199,514,037	-14.69%
Illinois	\$3,040,976,772	2,930,325,381	2,777,948,512	-5.20%
Indiana	\$1,068,458,926	955,393,220	867,533,147	-9.20%
Iowa	\$507,597,206	482,469,098	446,259,982	-7.50%
Kansas	\$342,324,968	318,488,850	293,539,988	-7.83%
Kentucky	\$980,976,984	943,688,786	853,986,982	-9.51%
Louisiana	\$1,494,495,292	1,440,110,876	1,297,321,641	-9.92%
Maine	\$254,898,802	234,405,832	218,217,647	-6.91%
Maryland	\$1,079,151,904	987,124,236	910,098,604	-7.80%
Massachusetts	\$1,189,716,303	1,159,027,643	1,159,118,509	0.01%
Michigan	\$2,167,714,845	2,069,172,718	1,894,038,446	-8.46%
Minnesota	\$602,563,639	601,821,006	544,420,005	-9.54%
Mississippi	\$814,420,697	742,934,749	679,722,657	-8.51%
Missouri	\$1,182,957,874	1,116,216,424	1,061,334,229	-4.92%
Montana	\$166,365,465	172,035,838	158,389,738	-7.93%
Nebraska	\$240,677,417	241,772,391	229,206,174	-5.20%
Nevada	\$629,519,652	625,062,614	614,241,940	-1.73%
New Hampshire	\$120,552,019	112,617,204	101,469,828	-9.90%
New Jersey	\$1,223,052,433	1,115,682,640	1,012,654,300	-9.23%
New Mexico	\$693,426,783	669,640,046	638,421,821	-4.66%
New York	\$4,922,406,430	4,737,481,755	4,526,970,965	-4.44%
North Carolina	\$2,248,946,897	2,140,407,111	1,919,051,873	-10.34%
North Dakota	\$78,700,888	77,842,534	75,391,175	-3.15%
Ohio	\$2,396,032,919	2,226,190,303	2,078,237,006	-6.65%
Oklahoma	\$885,643,482	879,725,084	832,653,493	-5.35%
Oregon	\$1,072,982,185	1,009,209,337	937,798,988	-7.08%
Pennsylvania	\$2,729,024,683	2,673,354,132	2,592,183,684	-3.04%
Rhode Island	\$271,959,596	269,949,378	259,191,919	-3.98%
South Carolina	\$1,222,104,228	1,066,150,932	943,922,431	-11.46%
South Dakota	\$1,222,104,228 \$144,590,242	140,613,366	131,112,641	-6.76%
	\$1,672,282,240	1,586,711,088		-10.20%
Tennessee			1,424,890,904	
Texas	\$5,308,544,560	5,805,152,020	5,525,177,455	-4.82%
Utah	\$301,869,697	286,288,642	258,536,027	-9.69%
Vermont	\$116,470,075	112,961,944	106,782,062	-5.47%
Virginia	\$1,169,412,644	1,115,536,652	1,051,800,978	-5.71%
Virgin Islands	\$56,766,573	58,562,256	86,935,571	48.45%
Washington	\$1,452,893,518	1,363,774,904	1,268,734,555	-6.97%
West Virginia	\$499,059,458	481,164,574	440,298,715	-8.49%
Wisconsin	\$922,851,050	877,506,140	816,882,114	-6.91%
Wyoming	\$48,510,210	46,791,729	40,676,283	-13.07%
U.S.	\$66,539,351,219	63,711,051,076	60,916,853,190	-4.39%

	Federal Share of	Iministrative Costs - FY 2017 - FY	
STATE	Costs - FY 2017	Federal Share of Costs - FY 2018	Percent
Alabama	40,658,367	42,353,992	Change 4.17%
Alaska	9,844,313	42,555,992 11,449,220	4.17%
Arizona			
Arkansas	64,849,834 29,799,449	57,755,988	-10.94% 13.07%
California		33,695,459	
Colorado	823,572,861	848,064,827	2.97%
	52,254,138	53,269,466	1.94%
Connecticut	50,577,842	51,104,299	1.04%
Delaware	14,312,412	13,391,366	-6.44%
District of Columbia	22,550,402	25,331,410	12.33%
Florida	82,597,182	105,835,042	28.13%
Georgia	88,774,765	89,152,450	0.43%
Guam	1,566,775	1,745,184	11.39%
Hawaii	22,017,354	21,519,510	-2.26%
Idaho	9,683,346	10,328,766	6.67%
Illinois	101,157,195	100,899,834	-0.25%
Indiana	68,849,724	67,835,748	-1.47%
lowa	21,632,563	20,538,662	-5.06%
Kansas	22,941,623	23,928,374	4.30%
Kentucky	56,484,957	64,218,874	13.69%
Louisiana	57,344,583	60,443,670	5.40%
Maine	11,129,110	11,993,853	7.77%
Maryland	74,214,098	72,899,714	-1.77%
Massachusetts	64,473,533	62,918,552	-2.41%
Michigan	136,713,915	146,008,121	6.80%
Minnesota	63,805,083	65,958,410	3.37%
Mississippi	27,742,754	22,046,382	-20.53%
Missouri	37,178,374	37,996,551	2.20%
Montana	10,685,116	10,065,760	-5.80%
Nebraska	16,239,271	16,563,191	1.99%
Nevada	26,388,500	26,186,172	-0.77%
New Hampshire	8,812,102	8,560,201	-2.86%
New Jersey	157,803,241	154,471,385	-2.11%
New Mexico	21,781,653	20,985,827	-3.65%
New York	398,204,633	386,523,936	-2.93%
North Carolina	110,451,148	111,257,264	0.73%
North Dakota	9,501,605	10,615,920	11.73%
Ohio	101,339,137	104,799,884	3.42%
Oklahoma	29,120,241	27,807,755	-4.51%
Oregon	84,630,505	93,549,708	10.54%
Pennsylvania	179,131,753	172,545,799	-3.68%
Rhode Island	10,232,721	17,099,615	67.11%
South Carolina	28,547,877	26,997,621	-5.43%
South Dakota	8,242,583	8,221,007	-0.26%
Tennessee	73,894,137	77,797,198	5.28%
Texas	190,101,265	193,765,519	1.93%
Utah	15,340,719	15,128,458	-1.38%
Vermont	8,823,649	8,606,329	-2.46%
Virginia	117,382,950	109,943,574	-2.40%
Virgin Islands			
	4,785,659	5,590,716	16.82%
Washington	100,840,736	100,351,208	-0.49%
West Virginia	18,116,431	16,877,170	-6.84%
Wisconsin	74,279,969	62,851,806	-15.39%
Wyoming	6,410,777	6,839,105	6.68%
U.S.	3,867,814,930	3,916,685,852	1.26%

TABLE 32: Federal Share of State Agency SNAP Admin. Costs per Case – FY 2017 - FY 2018				
STATE	Federal Share of Costs per Case per Month - FY 2017	Federal Share of Costs per Case per Month - FY 2018	Percent Change	
Alabama	\$9.01	\$9.80	8.76%	
Alaska	\$21.24	\$23.55	10.89%	
Arizona	\$13.09	\$12.42	-5.12%	
Arkansas	\$14.55	\$17.04	17.11%	
California	\$34.53	\$36.32	5.18%	
Colorado	\$19.63	\$20.02	2.02%	
Connecticut	\$17.91	\$19.08	6.50%	
Delaware	\$16.69	\$16.28	-2.46%	
District of Columbia	\$26.19	\$30.66	17.04%	
Florida	\$4.07	\$5.05	23.96%	
Georgia	\$9.78	\$10.30	5.25%	
Guam	\$8.57	\$9.47	10.42%	
Hawaii	\$21.37	\$21.39	0.13%	
Idaho	\$10.83	\$12.29	13.47%	
Illinois	\$8.63	\$9.14	5.86%	
Indiana	\$19.29	\$20.53	6.44%	
Iowa	\$10.43	\$10.37	-0.60%	
Kansas	\$17.68	\$19.62	10.94%	
Kentucky	\$15.26	\$18.73	22.72%	
Louisiana	\$11.12	\$12.49	12.31%	
Maine	\$9.93	\$11.22	12.97%	
Maryland	\$17.22	\$17.66	2.56%	
Massachusetts	\$12.05	\$11.62	-3.54%	
Michigan	\$15.64	\$17.79	13.76%	
Minnesota	\$23.88	\$25.87	8.35%	
Mississippi	\$9.46	\$7.92	-16.20%	
Missouri	\$8.81	\$9.25	4.94%	
Montana	\$15.46	\$14.97	-3.17%	
Nebraska	\$17.16	\$18.05	5.22%	
Nevada	\$9.76	\$9.56	-2.05%	
New Hampshire	\$16.01	\$16.40	2.44%	
New Jersey	\$32.29	\$33.93	5.08%	
New Mexico	\$8.35	\$7.94	-4.96%	
New York	\$20.60	\$20.57	-0.13%	
North Carolina	\$12.53	\$14.42	15.03%	
North Dakota	\$31.37	\$35.29	12.48%	
Ohio	\$11.31	\$12.30	8.76%	
Oklahoma	\$8.86	\$8.62	-2.66%	
Oregon	\$18.16	\$21.34	17.49%	
Pennsylvania	\$15.69	\$15.03	-4.18%	
Rhode Island	\$8.78	\$15.13	72.25%	
South Carolina	\$7.05	\$7.31	3.59%	
South Dakota	\$16.63	\$17.14	3.10%	
Tennessee	\$12.01	\$13.75	14.57%	
Texas	\$9.62	\$9.87	2.56%	
Utah	\$15.44	\$16.21	4.93%	
Vermont	\$17.47	\$17.48	0.04%	
Virginia	\$26.64	\$26.01	-2.37%	
Virgin Islands	\$31.37	\$30.93	-1.41%	
Washington	\$16.14	\$16.66	3.21%	
West Virginia	\$16.14 \$8.78	\$10.00	-3.16%	
Wisconsin	\$18.02	\$8.50 \$15.91	-3.16%	
Wyoming		\$15.91 \$43.88		
	\$37.88		15.82%	
U.S.	\$15.42	\$16.16	4.79%	

TABLE 33: Federal Share of SNAP Certification Costs - FY 2017 - FY 2018					
STATE	Federal Share of	Federal Share of	Percent		
STATE	Certification Costs – FY17	Certification Costs – FY18	Change		
Alabama	\$30,053,526	\$29,992,675	-0.20%		
Alaska	\$6,518,170	\$7,294,922	11.92%		
Arizona	\$45,761,100	\$39,026,414	-14.72%		
Arkansas	\$25,112,771	\$28,601,250	13.89%		
California	\$528,430,272	\$541,603,417	2.49%		
Colorado	\$35,999,241	\$37,542,667	4.29%		
Connecticut	\$23,355,701	\$24,780,545	6.10%		
Delaware	\$7,923,383	\$8,358,492	5.49%		
District of Columbia	\$11,870,886	\$12,941,254	9.02%		
Florida	\$50,421,632	\$75,120,555	48.98%		
Georgia	\$64,437,904	\$63,836,326	-0.93%		
Guam	\$716,643	\$723,272	0.93%		
Hawaii	\$15,429,264	\$15,552,154	0.80%		
Idaho	\$5,030,488	\$5,098,956	1.36%		
Illinois	\$72,177,034	\$71,146,813	-1.43%		
Indiana	\$49,688,084	\$49,664,477	-0.05%		
lowa	\$16,510,223	\$15,635,538	-5.30%		
Kansas	\$14,483,833	\$14,343,332	-0.97%		
Kentucky	\$45,505,636	\$49,640,056	9.09%		
Louisiana	\$50,548,327	\$52,389,387	3.64%		
Maine	\$5,269,025	\$4,858,951	-7.78%		
Maryland	\$62,091,632	\$61,159,150	-1.50%		
Massachusetts	\$51,141,856	\$49,970,732	-2.29%		
Michigan	\$103,012,500	\$119,851,547	16.35%		
Minnesota	\$40,020,272	\$42,671,159	6.62%		
Mississippi	\$23,835,776	\$16,653,753	-30.13%		
Missouri	\$27,654,784	\$28,244,950	2.13%		
Montana	\$6,428,477	\$6,095,403	-5.18%		
Nebraska	\$10,733,566	\$11,170,602	4.07%		
Nevada	\$17,828,653	\$18,148,858	1.80%		
New Hampshire	\$1,289,619	\$1,259,709	-2.32%		
New Jersey	\$110,687,872	\$107,137,893	-3.21%		
New Mexico	\$14,819,796	\$15,375,207	3.75%		
New York	\$214,167,550	\$207,172,886	-3.27%		
North Carolina	\$88,838,269	\$87,042,713	-2.02%		
North Dakota	\$5,763,247	\$5,987,980	3.90%		
Ohio	\$47,056,669	\$47,693,044	1.35%		
Oklahoma	\$22,620,723	\$22,401,271	-0.97%		
Oregon	\$69,063,189	\$69,396,836	0.48%		
Pennsylvania	\$139,292,252	\$128,953,379	-7.42%		
Rhode Island	\$2,867,616	\$8,074,492	181.58%		
South Carolina	\$15,908,997	\$14,787,482	-7.05%		
South Dakota	\$4,808,092	\$4,610,149	-4.12%		
Tennessee	\$65,649,929	\$65,735,235	0.13%		
Texas	\$124,166,804	\$129,440,174	4.25%		
Utah	\$10,890,497	\$11,296,971	3.73%		
Vermont	\$5,871,299	\$5,634,995	-4.02%		
Virginia	\$73,498,567	\$74,536,564	1.41%		
Virgin Islands	\$3,530,949	\$3,422,500	-3.07%		
Washington	\$57,035,591	\$56,818,694	-0.38%		
West Virginia	\$12,106,695	\$12,197,144	0.75%		
Wisconsin	\$24,758,115	\$18,830,392	-23.94%		
Wyoming	\$2,147,395	\$4,060,874	89.11%		
U.S.	\$2,564,830,391	\$2,603,984,191	1.53%		

TABLE 34: Federal Share of SNAP Certification Costs per Case - FY 2017- FY 2018					
STATE	Federal Share of Cert. Costs	Federal Share of Cert. Costs	Percent		
	per Case per Month - FY 2017	per Case per Month - FY 2018	Change		
Alabama	\$6.66	\$6.94	4.19%		
Alaska	\$14.06	\$15.00	6.71%		
Arizona	\$9.23	\$8.39	-9.14%		
Arkansas	\$12.26	\$14.47	17.96%		
California	\$22.15	\$23.19	4.69%		
Colorado	\$13.52	\$14.11	4.36%		
Connecticut	\$8.27	\$9.25	11.83%		
Delaware	\$9.24	\$10.16	9.97%		
District of Columbia	\$13.79	\$15.66	13.59%		
Florida	\$2.48	\$3.58	44.13%		
Georgia	\$7.10	\$7.37	3.83%		
Guam	\$3.92	\$3.92	0.05%		
Hawaii	\$14.97	\$15.46	3.26%		
Idaho	\$5.62	\$6.06	7.83%		
Illinois	\$6.16	\$6.44	4.61%		
Indiana	\$13.92	\$15.03	7.98%		
lowa	\$7.96	\$7.89	-0.85%		
Kansas	\$11.16	\$11.76	5.33%		
Kentucky	\$12.29	\$11.70	17.75%		
Louisiana	\$9.80	\$10.82	10.43%		
Maine	\$4.70	\$4.55	-3.33%		
Maryland	\$4.70	\$4.55	-3.33%		
Massachusetts					
	\$9.56	\$9.23	-3.42%		
Michigan	\$11.78	\$14.60	23.93%		
Minnesota	\$14.98	\$16.74	11.75%		
Mississippi	\$8.12	\$5.99	-26.32%		
Missouri	\$6.56	\$6.88	4.88%		
Montana	\$9.30	\$9.07	-2.53%		
Nebraska	\$11.34	\$12.18	7.37%		
Nevada	\$6.59	\$6.62	0.48%		
New Hampshire	\$2.34	\$2.41	3.00%		
New Jersey	\$22.65	\$23.54	3.91%		
New Mexico	\$5.68	\$5.81	2.34%		
New York	\$11.08	\$11.03	-0.47%		
North Carolina	\$10.08	\$11.28	11.89%		
North Dakota	\$19.03	\$19.90	4.60%		
Ohio	\$5.25	\$5.60	6.59%		
Oklahoma	\$6.88	\$6.95	0.94%		
Oregon	\$14.82	\$15.83	6.80%		
Pennsylvania	\$12.20	\$11.24	-7.91%		
Rhode Island	\$2.46	\$7.14	190.23%		
South Carolina	\$3.93	\$4.00	1.81%		
South Dakota	\$9.70	\$9.61	-0.88%		
Tennessee	\$10.67	\$11.62	8.96%		
Texas	\$6.29	\$6.59	4.89%		
Utah	\$10.96	\$12.10	10.37%		
Vermont	\$11.63	\$11.44	-1.56%		
Virginia	\$16.68	\$17.63	5.71%		
Virgin Islands	\$23.15	\$18.93	-18.20%		
Washington	\$9.13	\$9.43	3.32%		
West Virginia	\$5.87	\$6.15	4.73%		
Wisconsin	\$6.00	\$4.77	-20.62%		
Wyoming	\$12.69	\$26.05	105.31%		
	\$12.05	\$20.05	5.06%		

TABLE	35: SNAP Completed Fair Hea	rrings - FY 2017 - FY 2018	
STATE	Total Fair Hearings FY 2017	Total Fair Hearings FY 2018	Percent Change
Alabama	90	64	-28.9%
Alaska	39	25	-35.9%
Arizona	1,307	972	-25.6%
Arkansas	685	357	-47.9%
California	3,997	3,303	-17.4%
Colorado	80	299	273.8%
Connecticut	343	522	52.2%
Delaware	355	363	2.3%
District of Columbia	504	500	-0.8%
Florida	354	319	-9.9%
Georgia	96	76	-20.8%
Guam	0	1	-
Hawaii	56	52	-7.1%
Idaho	124	129	4.0%
Illinois	279	190	-31.9%
Indiana	1,130	1,463	29.5%
lowa	258	226	-12.4%
Kansas	119	156	31.1%
Kentucky	510	521	2.2%
Louisiana	637	224	-64.8%
Maine	44	30	-31.8%
Maryland	131	240	83.2%
Massachusetts	1,834	1,937	5.6%
Michigan	973	963	-1.0%
Minnesota	621	514	-17.2%
Mississippi	294	158	-46.3%
Missouri	1,756	1,771	0.9%
Montana	1,750	71	491.7%
Nebraska		753	
	916		-17.8%
Nevada	55	66	20.0%
New Hampshire	34	16	-52.9%
New Jersey	240	170	-29.2%
New Mexico	207	170	-17.9%
New York	71,428	16,581	-76.8%
North Carolina	614	607	-1.1%
North Dakota	12	12	0.0%
Ohio	6,911	9,977	44.4%
Oklahoma	48	59	22.9%
Oregon	103	125	21.4%
Pennsylvania	31,866	28,848	-9.5%
Rhode Island	7	34	385.7%
South Carolina	413	480	16.2%
South Dakota	12	10	-16.7%
Tennessee	1,950	7,640	291.8%
Texas	5,135	6,908	34.5%
Utah	27	18	-33.3%
Vermont	15	20	33.3%
Virginia	323	307	-5.0%
Virgin Islands	0	0	-
Washington	477	484	1.5%
West Virginia	60	38	-36.7%
Wisconsin	330	260	-21.2%
Wyoming	4	4	0.0%
U.S.	137,815	89,033	-35.4%
0.5.	137,013	05,055	-35.4%

TAE	BLE 36: SNAP Total Disqualifica	ations - FY 2017 - FY 2018		
STATE	Total Disqualifications	Total Disqualifications	Percent Change	
	FY 2017	FY 2018		
Alabama	693	397	-42.71%	
Alaska	68	54	-20.59%	
Arizona	67	45	-32.84%	
Arkansas	427	433	1.41%	
California	3,666	2,899	-20.92%	
Colorado	802	577	-28.05%	
Connecticut	320	218	-31.88%	
Delaware	617	762	23.50%	
District of Columbia	136	75	-44.85%	
Florida	1,374	1,627	18.41%	
Georgia	1,999	2,671	33.62%	
Guam	170	79	-53.53%	
Hawaii	182	215	18.13%	
Idaho	243	311	27.98%	
Illinois	1,003	939	-6.38%	
Indiana	486	519	6.79%	
lowa	60	184	206.67%	
Kansas	299	180	-39.80%	
Kentucky	834	1,343	61.03%	
Louisiana	571	702	22.94%	
Maine	455	164	-63.96%	
Maryland	192	260	35.42%	
Massachusetts	737	966	31.07%	
Michigan	5,091	3,964	-22.14%	
Minnesota	454	656	44.49%	
Mississippi	6,030	1,508	-74.99%	
Missouri	991	1,086	9.59%	
Montana	231	370	60.17%	
Nebraska	161	140	-13.04%	
Nevada	382	461	20.68%	
New Hampshire	147	112	-23.81%	
New Jersey	485	360	-25.77%	
New Mexico	23	56	143.48%	
New York	1,947	1,666	-14.43%	
North Carolina	4,589	3,686	-19.68%	
North Dakota	251	322	28.29%	
Ohio Oklahama	2,165	2,082	-3.83%	
Oklahoma	558	497	-10.93%	
Oregon	617	502	-18.64%	
Pennsylvania	1,011	812	-19.68%	
Rhode Island	19	16	-15.79%	
South Carolina	1,385	2,028	46.43%	
South Dakota	207	250	20.77%	
Tennessee	1,322	1,127	-14.75%	
Texas	1,787	1,772	-0.84%	
Utah	955	1,089	14.03%	
Vermont	218	170	-22.02%	
Virginia	1,207	1,042	-13.67%	
Virgin Islands	53	12	-77.36%	
Washington	380	572	50.53%	
West Virginia	420	246	-41.43%	
Wisconsin	1,652	950	-42.49%	
Wyoming	40	42	5.00%	
U.S.	50,179	43,216	-13.88%	

TABLE 37: Ne	wly Established SNAP Recipie	nt Claim Dollars - FY 2017 - FY	018	
STATE	Total Claims Established	Total Claims Established	Percent	
SIGIL	FY 2017	FY 2018	Change	
Alabama	\$6,049,968	\$6,366,821	5.24%	
Alaska	\$1,021,370	\$1,094,701	7.18%	
Arizona	\$4,941,061	\$4,097,609	-17.07%	
Arkansas	\$2,914,860	\$1,938,462	-33.50%	
California	\$180,110,931	\$177,558,014	-1.42%	
Colorado	\$6,997,357	\$8,366,478	19.57%	
Connecticut	\$2,113,780	\$1,321,308	-37.49%	
Delaware	\$3,803,905	\$4,171,631	9.67%	
District of Columbia			-	
Florida	\$35,970,565	\$6,962,343	-80.64%	
Georgia	\$8,281,711	\$2,384,007	-71.21%	
Guam	\$131,457	\$306,278	132.99%	
Hawaii	\$2,795,452	\$2,493,510	-10.80%	
Idaho	\$1,000,682	\$1,442,110	44.11%	
Illinois	\$36,718,757	\$24,732,098	-32.64%	
Indiana	\$10,426,295	\$8,418,967	-19.25%	
Iowa	\$2,418,368	\$1,987,305	-17.82%	
Kansas	\$3,002,745	\$1,717,792	-42.79%	
Kentucky	\$11,913,701	\$10,788,747	-9.44%	
Louisiana	\$3,276,952	\$2,509,759	-23.41%	
Maine	\$3,311,973	\$3,293,289	-0.56%	
Maryland	\$3,015,587	\$2,793,598	-7.36%	
Massachusetts	\$8,281,643	\$7,378,846	-10.90%	
Michigan	\$20,797,137	\$18,076,903	-13.08%	
Minnesota	\$7,213,393	\$6,851,602	-5.02%	
Mississippi	\$7,647,711	\$3,217,315	-57.93%	
Missouri	\$2,801,467	\$3,497,340	24.84%	
Montana	\$2,540,945	\$2,292,055	-9.80%	
Nebraska	\$4,889,886	\$2,357,974	-51.78%	
Nevada	\$4,149,324	\$3,655,370	-11.90%	
New Hampshire	\$1,170,445	\$800,766	-31.58%	
New Jersey	\$10,270,669	\$10,983,125	6.94%	
New Mexico	\$2,864,113	\$2,559,864	-10.62%	
New York	\$20,684,648	\$2,355,864	3.36%	
North Carolina	\$21,313,230	\$22,527,163	5.70%	
North Dakota	\$633,807	\$588,280	-7.18%	
Ohio	\$20,215,264	\$22,476,624	11.19%	
Oklahoma	\$20,213,204 \$2,731,283	\$3,129,795	14.59%	
Oregon	\$7,102,962	\$7,190,784	1.24%	
Pennsylvania	\$15,724,589	\$14,212,424	-9.62%	
Rhode Island	şı,724,303	<i>₹</i> 14,212,424	-9.02%	
South Carolina	 \$16,144,939	 \$17,090,883	 5.86%	
South Dakota	\$10,144,939 \$1,073,933	\$17,090,883		
Tennessee			-14.61%	
	\$8,160,761 \$35,246,468	\$8,909,226 \$33,883,021	9.17%	
Texas			-3.87%	
Utah	\$4,691,749	\$3,431,589	-26.86%	
Vermont	\$706,877 \$5,170,602	\$1,021,217	44.47% 5.12%	
Virginia Virgin Islanda	\$5,179,602	\$5,444,863	5.12%	
Virgin Islands	\$344,223	\$75,054	-78.20%	
Washington	\$9,160,093	\$9,165,851	0.06%	
West Virginia	\$3,447,398	\$3,148,813	-8.66%	
Wisconsin	\$10,320,937	\$9,731,997	-5.71%	
Wyoming	\$318,187	\$139,346	-56.21%	

• Missing recipient claims establishment data for the District of Columbia and Rhode Island

TABLE 38: SNAP Recipient Claims Collected - FY 2017 - FY 2018							
STATE	Total Claims Collected FY 2017	Total Claims Collected FY 2018	Percent Change				
Alabama	\$6,266,934	\$5,888,489	-6.04%				
Alaska	\$839,979	\$747,027	-11.07%				
Arizona	\$2,903,917	\$2,694,672	-7.21%				
Arkansas	\$1,390,954	\$1,654,166	18.92%				
California	\$113,617,839	\$109,773,242	-3.38%				
Colorado	\$5,992,102	\$5,852,232	-2.33%				
Connecticut	\$1,381,249	\$1,398,032	1.22%				
Delaware	\$2,402,697	\$2,479,419	3.19%				
District of Columbia	\$376,158	\$330,018	-12.27%				
Florida	\$28,538,155	\$3,613,934	-87.34%				
Georgia	\$9,808,952	\$6,316,573	-35.60%				
Guam	\$158,673	\$156,840	-1.16%				
Hawaii	\$2,078,977	\$1,931,793	-7.08%				
Idaho	\$1,096,224	\$1,034,543	-5.63%				
Illinois	\$32,234,196	\$33,002,419	2.38%				
Indiana	\$3,612,083	\$5,630,151	55.87%				
Iowa	\$1,509,628	\$1,601,380	6.08%				
Kansas	\$1,991,679	\$1,788,290	-10.21%				
Kentucky	\$7,076,593	\$6,700,014	-5.32%				
Louisiana	\$3,594,622	\$3,117,818	-13.26%				
Maine	\$962,989	\$1,707,383	77.30%				
Maryland	\$2,401,952	\$2,260,870	-5.87%				
Massachusetts	\$6,439,610	\$6,721,846	4.38%				
Michigan	\$9,857,303	\$12,235,242	4.38%				
Minnesota	\$6,274,590	\$6,534,462	4.12%				
Mississippi Missouri	\$6,654,850	\$5,751,021	-13.58%				
	\$2,528,463	\$2,412,472	-4.59%				
Montana	\$1,118,020	\$1,218,853	9.02%				
Nebraska	\$1,961,368	\$2,507,781	27.86%				
Nevada	\$1,331,726	\$1,619,373	21.60%				
New Hampshire	\$668,675	\$749,539	12.09%				
New Jersey	\$8,450,099	\$9,064,545	7.27%				
New Mexico	\$2,191,052	\$2,239,183	2.20%				
New York	\$12,249,556	\$13,662,696	11.54%				
North Carolina	\$11,660,811	\$17,269,737	48.10%				
North Dakota	\$494,125	\$486,811	-1.48%				
Ohio	\$13,290,783	\$14,469,157	8.87%				
Oklahoma	\$1,462,164	\$1,384,577	-5.31%				
Oregon	\$6,510,716	\$6,687,224	2.71%				
Pennsylvania	\$11,490,658	\$11,474,515	-0.14%				
Rhode Island	\$256,033	\$115,773	-54.78%				
South Carolina	\$9,530,630	\$12,610,755	32.32%				
South Dakota	\$860,604	\$783,270	-8.99%				
Tennessee	\$11,607,794	\$10,280,109	-11.44%				
Texas	\$31,011,356	\$32,101,180	3.51%				
Utah	\$2,517,789	\$2,866,361	13.84%				
Vermont	\$665,393	\$602,378	-9.47%				
Virginia	\$4,417,807	\$5,129,193	16.10%				
Virgin Islands	\$381,947	\$279,951	-26.70%				
Washington	\$4,926,911	\$5,345,782	8.50%				
West Virginia	\$2,081,904	\$2,699,127	29.65%				
Wisconsin	\$7,472,873	\$7,852,085	5.07%				
Wyoming	\$191,767	\$175,399	-8.54%				

TABLE 39: SNAP Total Participation and Issuance - FY 2012 - 2018							
	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Persons Participating (monthly average, in millions)	46.6	47.6	46.5	45.8	44.2	42.2	40.8
Households Participating (monthly average, in millions)	22.3	23.1	22.7	22.5	21.8	20.9	20.2
Total Issuance (in millions)	\$74,619	\$76,066	\$70,000	\$69 <i>,</i> 655	\$66,539	\$63,711	\$60,917
Average Monthly Benefit per Person	\$133.41	\$133.07	\$125.35	\$126.83	\$125.40	\$125.73	\$124.50
Average Monthly Benefit per Household	\$278.48	\$274.98	\$256.98	\$257.73	\$254.61	\$254.02	\$251.19

TABLE 40: SNAP Newly Established Recipient Claims - FY 2012 - 2018								
	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	
Fraud Claims Established (in millions)	\$49.3	\$57.9	\$59.5	\$58.6	\$73.4	\$81.3	\$65.1	
Household Error Claims Established (in millions)	\$330.0	\$351.5	\$381.0	\$397.2	\$421.9	\$363.0	\$330.8	
Agency Error Claims Established (in millions)	\$154.8	\$144.1	\$134.5	\$191.3	\$188.9	\$141.8	\$125.0	
Total Claims Established (in millions)	\$534.1	\$553.5	\$575.0	\$647.1	\$684.2	\$586.0	\$520.9	
Average New Fraud Claim Amount	\$2,487	\$2 <i>,</i> 660	\$2,706	\$2,488	\$2,425	\$2,671	\$2,773	
Average New Household Error Claim Amount	\$757	\$833	\$1,011	\$1,042	\$1,069	\$1,055	\$1,108	
Average New Agency Error Claim Amount	\$335	\$364	\$403	\$399	\$411	\$410	\$426	
Average New Claim Amount (all types)	\$582	\$659	\$784	\$732	\$774	\$814	\$847	

TABLE 41: SNAP Collected Recipient Claims (in millions) - FY 2012 – 2018								
	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	
Fraud Claims Collected	\$74.0	\$75.2	\$77.7	\$86.0	\$89.6	\$97.1	\$98.7	
Household Error Claims Collected	\$168.8	\$175.7	\$178.8	\$194.4	\$210.8	\$214.6	\$206.0	
Agency Error Claims Collected	\$85.4	\$87.8	\$83.5	\$86.1	\$101.6	\$99.1	\$92.3	
Total Claims Collected	\$328.2	\$338.7	\$340.0	\$366.5	\$402.0	\$410.8	\$397.0	
State Share of Collected Claims	\$59.7	\$61.5	\$62.9	\$69.0	\$73.5	\$76.9	\$75.7	
Federal Share of Collected Claims	\$268.5	\$277.2	\$277.0	\$297.5	\$328.5	\$333.9	\$321.3	
Recouped Claims	\$153.4	\$158.5	\$145.6	\$143.6	\$155.3	\$154.7	\$133.9	
Treasury Offset Program	\$104.6	\$122.5	\$136.4	\$156.4	\$166.0	\$181.6	\$210.8	
Other Collection Methods and Refunds	\$70.1	\$57.7	\$57.9	\$66.5	\$80.6	\$74.5	\$52.3	

• Totals may not add due to rounding.

• Some states establish all non-agency error claims as household error claims initially and then transfer the claim from household error to fraud after the prosecution or ADH. Therefore, the sum of the fraud associated with disqualifications is a better measure of the ultimate amount of fraud claims than the newly established amount.

#### **NOTES ON SOURCES**

#### STATE PARTICIPATION AND ISSUANCE

States report participation data on the FNS-388 reports and issuance data on the FNS-46. Average monthly participation and household participation in this report may not add up to the national total due to rounding. The total participation data in this report is the average monthly participation from all States for the fiscal year (12-month average).

#### ADMINISTRATIVE

Administrative Cost data cited in this section is derived from the SF-425;

#### FAIR HEARINGS

Fair Hearings data cited in this section is derived from the FNS-366B.

#### FRAUD INVESTIGATIONS, PROSECUTIONS, AND ADMINISTRATIVE DISQUALIFICATION HEARINGS

Fraud Investigations, Prosecutions, and Administrative Disqualification Hearings data cited in this section is derived from the FNS-366B.

#### **RECIPIENT CLAIMS**

Claims data cited in this section is derived from the FNS-209; Federal debt collection data is derived from the FNS Federal Debt Collection Biweekly Collection Report. All recoupment amounts are included in collections data.

Data on new claims established is included in Tables 19 and 20. When referring to data in these tables it should be noted that some States show no or low fraud claims newly established because they establish such claims as inadvertent household error and subsequently transfer the claim to fraud after the court or hearing officer's determination.

Data included in Table 22 (Recipient Claims Collected - by Method) includes total claims collected through various means including Federal Debt.

Calculations for other means of collection employed by State agencies include all State methods except for recoupment and Federal collections from the Treasury Offset Program minus all refunds and negative adjustments.

Calculations for Federal Debt Collection amounts include Treasury Offset Program collections but not voluntary payments and offset fees paid by the client. Some offsets are subject to refunds.

### RANKINGS OF PARTICIPATION AND ISSUANCE

Please refer to the explanations above for the sources of various data cited in this section. Note that totals for persons and households may not add up due to rounding.

#### **COMPARISON TO PRIOR YEARS**

Please refer to the explanations above for the sources of various data cited in this section.