



STUDENT ACCESS TO SNAP LISTENING SESSION

SNAP Program Design Branch, USDA Food and Nutrition Service
December 13, 2022

Reminders for the Session

- This is a **listening** session; USDA staff will be in listen-only mode.
- Today's session will focus on improvements that do **not** require Congressional action.
- **Student** refers to an individual enrolled **half-time or more** in an institution of higher education, as defined by 7 CFR 273.5(b).
- In the first part of the session, we will cover five topic areas, devoting **approximately 15 minutes** to each topic.
- Please **state your name and organization** in advance of making your comments.
- If we do not get to all your comments in the allotted time, **additional comments can be submitted to FNS by Tuesday, December 27.**



Topics *(15 minutes per topic)*

1. Populations with high need for food assistance, in the context of higher education.
2. Strategies for identifying students enrolled half-time or more with high need for food assistance.
3. Strategies for identifying institutions of higher education that serve students with high need for food assistance.
4. Actions to enroll more eligible students in SNAP and to ensure that students have equitable access to SNAP across the country.
5. Implementation of strategies to reduce food insecurity among students.

Individual Remarks

- As a reminder, please limit remarks to no more than 3 minutes.
- Please state your name and organization in advance of making comments.

Thank you for your participation!

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