

VETERANS RECEIVING SNAP BENEFITS BY STATE

2018-2019 AVERAGE

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State	Estimated Veterans Receiving SNAP	Estimated Total Veterans	Percent of Veterans Receiving SNAP
Alabama	21,537	321,651	6.7%
Alaska	4,436	62,644	7.1%
Arizona	28,498	489,494	5.8%
Arkansas	9,936	183,608	5.4%
California	84,931	1,506,762	5.6%
Colorado	20,955	368,677	5.7%
Connecticut	9,555	157,428	6.1%
Delaware	4,964	68,428	7.2%
District of Columbia	2,113	24,074	8.9%
Florida	107,606	1,415,035	7.6%
Georgia	44,192	610,904	7.2%
Hawaii	6,507	97,670	6.7%
Idaho	7,588	122,604	6.2%
Illinois	44,045	542,368	8.1%
Indiana	18,558	373,797	5.0%
Iowa	10,388	179,099	5.8%
Kansas	7,451	175,857	4.2%
Kentucky	16,420	253,197	6.5%
Louisiana	18,114	237,890	7.6%
Maine	6,777	104,325	6.4%
Maryland	20,025	358,106	5.6%
Massachusetts	18,634	286,641	6.5%
Michigan	39,517	522,637	7.6%
Minnesota	11,108	282,620	3.9%
Mississippi	11,266	157,968	7.1%
Missouri	22,558	383,044	5.9%

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Montana	5,304	85,343	6.2%
Nebraska	5,746	114,322	5.0%
Nevada	15,702	211,593	7.4%
New Hampshire	2,655	93,598	2.8%
New Jersey	13,976	301,798	4.6%
New Mexico	10,926	140,223	7.8%
New York	55,994	662,074	8.5%
North Carolina	43,705	653,241	6.7%
North Dakota	1,290	46,465	2.8%
Ohio	47,119	671,657	7.0%
Oklahoma	20,398	262,504	7.8%
Oregon	29,888	270,864	11.0%
Pennsylvania	62,061	737,779	8.4%
Rhode Island	4,775	51,836	9.2%
South Carolina	20,331	355,798	5.7%
South Dakota	3,851	57,559	6.6%
Tennessee	31,123	422,026	7.4%
Texas	93,261	1,423,557	6.6%
Utah	5,795	118,942	4.8%
Vermont	2,501	34,014	7.4%
Virginia	27,498	660,666	4.2%
Washington	41,228	518,057	8.0%
West Virginia	11,510	122,823	9.4%
Wisconsin	18,712	322,391	5.8%
Wyoming	1,009	43,627	2.3%
Total	1,174,027	17,669,267	6.6%

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