

## New Mexico Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) for Seniors

NM HSD partners with community organizations throughout the state to provide nutritious food to supplement the diet of Seniors who may be at risk for malnutrition. Currently, there are 5 regional centers and 122 tailgate sites located throughout the state who distribute a monthly box of food to eligible persons 60 years and older.

### **How Do I Qualify for CSFP?**

- Adults 60 years of age and older
- Residency: must live within the service area at the time of application for services.
- Income Eligibility Requirement: up to 130% of the Federal poverty guidelines published annually by the Department of Health and Human Services

#### **How Do I Apply for CSFP?**

Applications are available at the warehouses and distribution sites. To Apply for CSFP benefits the applicant or caretaker of the applicant must provide the following information on the application:

- Proof of age and identity: driver license or picture ID
- Self-Declaration of Income and Residency. No Proof is Needed.

Households seeking food assistance are frequently eligible for other assistance programs that may provide much needed resources. These programs include The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP), and the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Non-nutrition programs such as Medicaid, Medicare Savings Program (MSP) and Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) are also available for qualifying persons. Information is available through the Income Support Division county offices and on line at <a href="https://www.yes.state.nm.us">https://www.yes.state.nm.us</a>.

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# **Monthly Food Package Effective February 1, 2020**

Commodity Food Group Package	Food Item	Amount Each Month	
Fruits and Juice	Canned Fruit (15.5 oz.) Juice (64 oz.) Raisins (15 oz.)	1 Juice and 3 cans Fruit; or 2 Juices and 2 cans Fruit; or 1 package Raisins, 1 Juice and 2 cans Fruit; or 1 package Raisins, 2 Juices and 1 can Fruit	
Vegetables	Canned Vegetables or Soup (10.5 – 15.5 oz.) Dehydrated Potatoes (1 lb.)	8 cans Vegetables or Soup; <b>or</b> 6 cans Vegetables or Soup and 1 package Dehydrated Potatoes.	
Cheese	Cheese (2 lb.)	1 package Cheese	
Milk	UHT Fluid Milk 1% (32 oz.) Instant Nonfat Dry Milk (12.8 oz.)	2 UHT Milk; <b>or</b> 1 UHT Milk and 1 package Nonfat Dry Milk	
Meat, Poultry and Fish	Beef, Beef Stew or Chili	1 (24 oz.) shelf-stable package	
Can or Pouch	(24 oz.) Chicken (10 – 15 oz.) Beef Chili with Beans (15 oz.) Tuna (12 oz.) Salmon (14.75 oz.)	Meat and 1 (10 -15 oz.) shelf- stable package Beef, Poultry or Fish; <b>or</b> 3 (10-15 oz.) shelf-stable packages Beef, Poultry and/or Fish of any combination	
Plant-Based Protein	Canned Beans (15.5 oz.) Dry Beans (1 lb.) Dry Lentils (1 lb.) Peanut Butter (16 oz.)	3 Units of any combination of Canned Beans, (1lb.) Dry Beans or Lentils, and Peanut Butter	
Cereals	Cereal, Dry Ready-to-Eat (RTE) (12 – 18 oz.) Farina (18 oz.) Rolled Oats (18 oz.) Grits (2 lb.)	2 Units of any combination of Cereal, Farina, (18 oz.) Rolled Oats and (2 lb.) Grits	
Pasta and Rice	Pasta (1 lb.) White or Brown Rice (1 lb.)	2 Units of any combination of (1 lb.) Pasta and (1 lb.) Rice	

Call the nearest regional center for more information on eligibility, and to find the location closest to you. Four contractors support all 33 NM counties:



### **Central Region**

Economic Council Helping Others, Inc. (ECHO, Inc.) 300 Menaul Blvd NW, Ste. 226, Albuquerque, NM 87107

505-242-6777

Bernalillo, Cibola, Los Alamos, Rio Arriba (Española), Sandoval, Santa Fe, Valencia

#### **Southern Region**

Loaves and Fishes, Inc.
320 Southgate Court, Las Cruces, NM
88005

575-523-1272

Doña Ana, Luna, Otero (Alamogordo & Tularosa), Sierra

## **Eastern Region**

The Salvation Army Roswell Corps 207 Chisum St., Roswell, NM 88201 575-625-2030

Chaves, Colfax, Curry, De Baca, Eddy, Guadalupe, Harding, Lea, Lincoln, Mora, Otero (Mescalero), Quay, Roosevelt, San Miguel, Socorro, Taos, Torrance, Union

#### **Northwest Region**

Economic Council Helping Others, Inc. (ECHO, Inc.)
401 S. Commercial St., Farmington NM

87401 **505-326-3770** 

McKinley, Rio Arriba, San Juan, Sandoval (Cuba)

#### **Southwest Region**

The Wellness Coalition
524 De Moss, Lordsburg, NM 88045
575-956-3056
Catron, Grant, Hidalgo

CSFP Counties of Service

Comparison

Contact Union

Source: diymaps.net (c)



# EFFECTIVE MARCH 12, 2021 NM HSD FANS CFSP INCOME GUIDELINES FEDERAL SENIOR POVERTY GUIDELINES 130%

No. of Household Members	Total Income			
	Annual	Monthly	Weekly	
1	\$16,744	\$1,396	\$322	
2	\$22,646	\$1,888	\$436	
3	\$28,548	\$2,379	\$549	
4	\$34,450	\$2,871	\$663	
5	\$40,352	\$3,363	\$776	
6	\$46,254	\$3,855	\$890	
7	\$52,156	\$4,347	\$1,003	
8	\$58,058	\$4,839	\$1,117	
For each additional family member, add	+\$5,902	+\$492	+\$114	

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   Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
   1400 Independence Avenue, SW
   Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;
- (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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