

ATTENTION: More Households Now Qualify for SNAP (Food Stamps) Effective January 1, 2016

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) helps low-income households buy adequate, healthy food. Eligible households receive monthly benefits on a Link card. Starting January 1, 2016, you may be eligible for SNAP benefits if your household's gross monthly income is below the following:

Number of People in Your Household	Maximum Monthly Income
1	\$1,619
2	\$2,191
3	\$2,763
4	\$3,335
5	\$3,907
6	\$4,479
7	\$5,051
8	\$5,623

Note: Households with higher incomes may qualify if they include a person 60 years or older or with a disability

How to apply for SNAP benefits:

- Online at abe.illinois.gov
- By phone at 1-800-843-6154
- Or by visiting a DHS Family Community Resource Center. Find the nearest location online (<https://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?module=12>) or by phone (1-800-843-6154)

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