

New Mexico Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)

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Southeast Region

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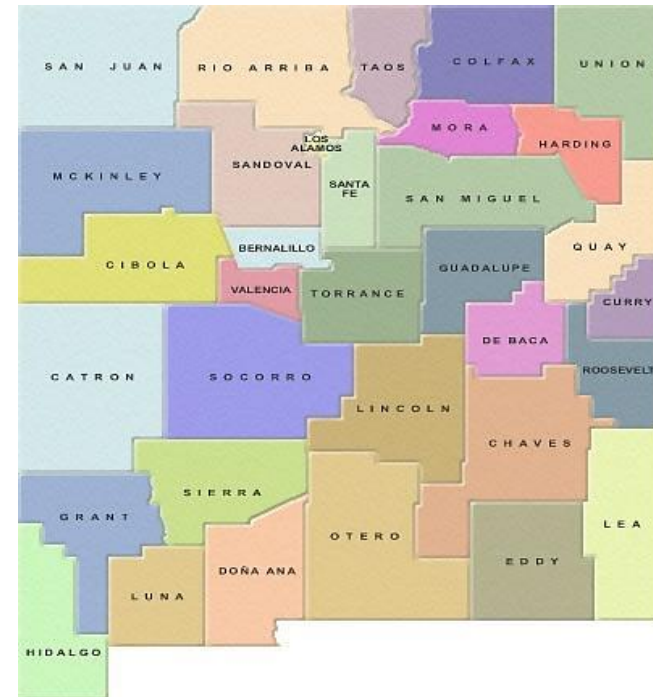
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New Mexico Commodity Supplemental Food Program For Seniors



CSFP- Commodity Supplemental Food Program

NM HSD partners with community organizations throughout the state to provide a box of nutritious food to supplement the diet of elderly persons who may be at risk for malnutrition. There are currently 5 regional centers and 116 tail gate sites located throughout the state who distribute a monthly box of food to eligible persons 60 and older. Call the nearest regional center (see back page) for more information on eligibility, and to find the location closest to you.

Four contractors support all 33 NM counties. They are:

- ECHO, Inc. (Bernalillo, Colfax, Cibola, Guadalupe – Santa Rosa, Harding, Los Alamos, McKinley, Mora, Quay, Rio Arriba, San Miguel, San Juan, Sandoval, Santa Fe, Socorro, Taos, Torrance, Union and Valencia)
- Loaves & Fishes, Inc. (Sierra, Luna and Dona Ana)
- The Wellness Coalition (Catron, Grant and Hidalgo)
- The Salvation Army Roswell Corps (Chaves, Curry, De Baca, Eddy, Guadalupe-Vaughn, Lea, Lincoln, Otero and Roosevelt)

Monthly Food Package

Commodity	Available
Food Group Package	Number of Items
Canned Meat: beef, chicken, fish 24-29 oz., can	1
Canned Vegetables Low sodium 16 oz. can	4
Canned Fruits Low sugar 16 oz. can	2
Cereal: Ready to eat, assorted 14-18 oz. box	2
Cheese 2lb. carton	1
UHT Fluid 1% Milk 32 oz.	2
Powdered Milk, every other month 25.6 oz. bag	1
Pasta, Rice or Potatoes 2lbs.	1-2
Dry beans 1 lb. bag or Peanut Butter 18 oz. jar	1
Fruit Juice 64 oz. bottle	2

How Do I Qualify for CSFP?

Eligibility Requirements

- 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
- Proof of residency: physical address included on mail such as a utility bill
- Income eligibility: Social Security Award letter, retirement income statement, annuity statement, employment pay stub or any document that includes gross income for everyone in the household.

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), the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and non-nutrition programs like Medicaid, the Medicare Savings Program (MSP) and the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). These programs are available through the Income Support Division county offices and on line at <https://www.yes.state.nm.us>.