

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: NUMBER OF PERSONS PARTICIPATING- 1 YEAR CHANGE
(Data as of April 30, 2009)

State	February 2008	February 2009	Percent Change February 2009 vs February 2008
Idaho	98,613	132,777	34.6%
Utah	130,942	173,916	32.8%
Nevada	139,266	182,949	31.4%
Florida	1,407,409	1,842,181	30.9%
Arizona	606,563	772,534	27.4%
Washington	576,136	733,920	27.4%
Wisconsin	410,210	521,390	27.1%
Vermont	55,247	69,029	24.9%
Georgia	986,643	1,230,960	24.8%
Maryland	350,997	434,339	23.7%
Oregon	454,752	561,331	23.4%
Massachusetts	493,498	607,512	23.1%
Colorado	248,662	304,682	22.5%
Texas	2,431,025	2,932,224	20.6%
California	2,176,434	2,588,728	18.9%
North Carolina	927,714	1,102,385	18.8%
Delaware	72,908	86,502	18.6%
New Hampshire	63,255	74,757	18.2%
New Mexico	234,765	277,045	18.0%
Hawaii	94,775	110,915	17.0%
New York	1,927,903	2,246,664	16.5%
Tennessee	890,020	1,035,894	16.4%
Virginia	539,392	628,039	16.4%
Alabama	563,674	654,335	16.1%
Ohio	1,126,397	1,307,285	16.1%
South Carolina	577,145	667,944	15.7%
Iowa	250,999	289,286	15.3%
Rhode Island	84,339	97,207	15.3%
Missouri	876,031	1,009,334	15.2%
District of Columbia	88,203	101,494	15.1%
Kansas	183,902	210,524	14.5%
Maine	173,932	196,006	12.7%
New Jersey	429,344	483,832	12.7%
Minnesota	291,663	327,357	12.2%
Indiana	608,404	679,420	11.7%
Pennsylvania	1,176,463	1,312,566	11.6%
Michigan	1,251,724	1,395,668	11.5%
Illinois	1,286,507	1,433,163	11.4%
South Dakota	63,335	70,569	11.4%
Wyoming	22,695	25,253	11.3%
Mississippi	439,373	488,264	11.1%
Connecticut	222,730	247,159	11.0%
Kentucky	624,424	689,088	10.4%
Montana	80,525	88,548	10.0%
Alaska	58,153	63,592	9.4%
West Virginia	274,487	299,604	9.2%
Nebraska	121,167	129,740	7.1%
Arkansas	373,333	399,347	7.0%
Oklahoma	419,260	446,571	6.5%
North Dakota	48,481	51,501	6.2%
Louisiana	655,828	693,954	5.8%
TOTAL	27,730,703	32,554,795	17.4%