HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

Income Eligibility Guidelines for SNAP & Financial Assistance

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program - SNAP
October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026

House-Hold Size	Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) Monthly Income Standards			Maximum SNAP Monthly Allotment	LIHEAP 150%FPG
	100% FPG Net income	130% FPG Gross Income	200% FPG Gross Income for Categorical Eligibility		
1	$1,305	$1,696	$2,610	$298	$1,956
2	$1,763	$2,292	$3,526	$546	$2,644
3	$2,221	$2,888	$4,442	$785	$3,331
4	$2,680	$3,483	$5,360	$994	$4,019
5	$3,138	$4,079	$6,276	$1,183	$4,706
6	$3,596	$4,675	$7,192	$1,421	$5,394
7	$4,055	$5,271	$8,110	$1,571	$6,081
8	$4,513	$5,867	$9,026	$1,789	$6,769
+ Each Person	+$459	+$596	+$918	+$218	+$688
Minimum Allotment $24					

DEDUCTIONS:

- Standard Deduction: For HH size 1-3 = $209; 4 = $223; 5 = $261; 6 or more = $299
- Excess Shelter Deduction Limit: $744
- Heating and Cooling Standard Utility Allowance: $419 (HCSUA) Limited Utility Allowance: $289 (LUA)
- Telephone Standard: $51
- Dependent Care: Actual Amount (No Limit)
- Earned Income Deduction: 20%
- Homeless Shelter Standard: $198.99
- LIHEAP (only) Energy Standard Allowance (ESA): $291

Asset Limits:

- Asset Limit for HH with at least one member who is age 60 or older or is disabled: $4,500
- Asset Limit for all other HH: $3,000

Cash Assistance & Support Services
October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026

Household size	Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) Monthly Income Standards			Maximum Monthly Benefit	
	85% FPG Limit	100% FPG Limit	150% FPG Limit Transition Bonus Program*	NM Works Cash Net Income	General Assistance
1	$1,109	$1,305	$1,956	$327	$301
2	$1,499	$1,763	$2,644	$439	$405
3	$1,888	$2,221	$3,331	$550	$507
4	$2,278	$2,680	$4,019	$663	$610
5	$2,667	$3,138	$4,706	$775	$713
6	$3,057	$3,596	$5,394	$887	$817
7	$3,447	$4,055	$6,081	$999	$920
8	$3,836	$4,513	$6,769	$1,134	$1,044
+1	+$390	+$459	+$688	+$112	+$103

Deduction	**Resource limits**	**WORK INCENTIVES**
Dependent Care: For a child under age 2 = $200 For a child aged 2 and over = $175 * Transition Bonus Program Benefit Amount is $200	Liquid Asset limit: $1,500 Non-Liquid Resource limit: $2,000	Earned Income Disregard: Single - Parent = $125 & 1/2 remainder Two - Parent = $225 & 1/2 remainder