

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
NOVEMBER 2005**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2005 To Date)		
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Monthly Average		Total Benefits
				Households	Persons	
State Total	227,844	539,239	\$50,059,341	225,020	532,828	\$244,746,585
Abbeville	1,574	3,356	309,474	1,585	3,375	1,560,712
Aiken	7,399	18,268	1,718,717	7,325	18,056	8,415,797
Allendale	1,338	3,210	306,112	1,339	3,200	1,498,709
Anderson	9,072	22,305	2,089,037	8,946	21,911	10,162,346
Bamberg	1,588	3,560	320,998	1,558	3,496	1,552,518
Barnwell	2,025	4,882	453,792	2,015	4,844	2,237,466
Beaufort	3,789	9,719	882,433	3,738	9,602	4,302,252
Berkeley	6,215	15,591	1,434,163	6,235	15,634	7,134,052
Calhoun	970	2,139	199,878	957	2,117	963,787
Charleston	13,820	32,912	2,974,733	13,602	32,453	14,476,447
Cherokee	3,913	9,207	880,300	3,883	9,125	4,350,372
Chester	2,803	6,296	609,978	2,767	6,239	2,995,476
Chesterfield	3,671	8,408	768,391	3,693	8,480	3,832,247
Clarendon	3,519	7,924	715,844	3,519	7,949	3,537,630
Colleton	3,300	7,767	685,078	3,281	7,762	3,378,870
Darlington	6,389	14,970	1,363,003	6,352	14,907	6,743,918
Dillon	2,923	7,409	641,558	2,900	7,314	3,142,047
Dorchester	4,069	10,240	927,915	3,977	10,031	4,512,241
Edgefield	1,568	3,557	320,458	1,529	3,487	1,527,528
Fairfield	2,058	4,488	431,562	2,018	4,410	2,099,896
Florence	10,111	24,656	2,306,378	9,959	24,355	11,244,065
Georgetown	3,856	9,183	830,778	3,797	9,093	4,055,554
Greenville	16,816	38,487	3,661,048	16,635	37,978	17,811,181
Greenwood	3,794	8,822	850,699	3,753	8,747	4,159,440
Hampton	1,706	4,348	373,456	1,681	4,282	1,801,334
Horry	11,983	27,655	2,623,212	11,659	26,877	12,583,300
Jasper	1,694	4,169	400,610	1,650	4,063	1,937,007
Kershaw	2,490	6,138	548,571	2,462	6,046	2,708,229
Lancaster	4,377	10,379	1,030,704	4,281	10,187	5,020,923
Laurens	3,883	9,174	848,471	3,808	8,973	4,119,661
Lee	2,426	5,551	499,841	2,403	5,509	2,436,512
Lexington	8,036	20,371	1,947,179	7,731	19,791	9,345,424
McCormick	804	1,533	149,534	797	1,542	726,964
Marion	3,972	8,730	778,731	3,966	8,742	3,853,949
Marlboro	2,768	6,213	552,741	2,829	6,325	2,817,130
Newberry	2,425	5,389	499,015	2,391	5,311	2,464,159
Oconee	2,864	7,181	628,340	2,804	7,024	3,030,394
Orangeburg	9,599	21,004	1,993,358	9,573	20,925	9,796,344
Pickens	3,792	9,429	834,446	3,755	9,334	4,122,401
Richland	14,993	36,130	3,489,684	14,685	35,449	16,930,459
Saluda	1,264	2,814	245,884	1,250	2,789	1,217,575
Spartanburg	9,510	22,894	2,007,134	9,425	22,703	9,881,192
Sumter	8,258	19,320	1,779,074	8,205	19,238	8,751,096
Union	2,158	4,510	406,177	2,177	4,534	2,029,884
Williamsburg	4,437	9,818	859,992	4,426	9,848	4,279,964
York	7,825	19,133	1,880,860	7,697	18,774	9,198,133

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