

Federal Government Shutdown

November SNAP Benefits



All eligible households will still receive October SNAP benefits as usual. SNAP benefits can continue to be used at all authorized retailers and farmers markets, even after November 1.



Due to the ongoing federal government shutdown, November SNAP benefits will be delayed. SNAP benefits cannot be issued for November unless federal funding is authorized.



All SNAP households should continue to complete all SNAP requirements including recertifications, periodic reports, and reporting changes.



Applications for SNAP will continue to be accepted. However, households approved for SNAP after November 1st may not receive benefits until the federal shutdown ends. New applicants can apply for SNAP or Public Assistance at the Department of Human Services, 691 St. Paul St., or online at mybenefits.ny.gov.

Monroe County administers, but does not fund, SNAP. SNAP is funded by the State and federal governments; Monroe County distributes \$20 million in SNAP benefits per month.



To find food resources near you, visit: foodlinkny.org/find-food or call 211



For updated information, visit: otda.ny.gov/snap-benefits-shutdown

