

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION  
AUGUST 2012**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2012 to Date)		
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Monthly Average		Total Benefits
				Households	Persons	
<b>State Total</b>	<b>413,125</b>	<b>873,432</b>	<b>\$115,408,296</b>	<b>412,689</b>	<b>872,643</b>	<b>\$230,126,471</b>
Abbeville	2,317	4,524	\$567,774	2,294	4,471	\$1,113,882
Aiken	13,771	30,495	\$4,040,444	13,755	30,476	\$8,068,262
Allendale	1,798	3,489	\$456,742	1,791	3,481	\$909,392
Anderson	15,632	34,361	\$4,453,300	15,566	34,196	\$8,859,830
Bamberg	2,314	4,615	\$606,109	2,295	4,576	\$1,200,269
Barnwell	3,206	7,031	\$917,794	3,187	7,001	\$1,815,376
Beaufort	8,788	18,847	\$2,555,106	8,789	18,862	\$5,111,406
Berkeley	13,565	30,388	\$4,049,896	13,603	30,458	\$8,113,215
Calhoun	1,478	2,924	\$371,282	1,467	2,912	\$744,219
Charleston	24,387	49,823	\$6,577,164	24,375	49,732	\$13,150,263
Cherokee	7,285	15,334	\$2,074,356	7,261	15,298	\$4,128,919
Chester	4,785	9,906	\$1,342,485	4,785	9,905	\$2,666,873
Chesterfield	6,100	12,795	\$1,673,294	6,124	12,835	\$3,340,332
Clarendon	5,324	10,372	\$1,313,208	5,324	10,380	\$2,618,092
Colleton	5,634	11,881	\$1,531,746	5,639	11,887	\$3,063,953
Darlington	9,128	19,313	\$2,473,840	9,113	19,310	\$4,937,410
Dillon	4,472	10,056	\$1,217,504	4,448	10,034	\$2,418,021
Dorchester	9,538	21,555	\$2,866,134	9,551	21,557	\$5,725,707
Edgefield	2,402	5,228	\$664,901	2,399	5,224	\$1,327,287
Fairfield	3,453	6,491	\$871,689	3,456	6,485	\$1,728,492
Florence	15,559	33,452	\$4,302,212	15,515	33,407	\$8,588,477
Georgetown	6,384	13,077	\$1,692,015	6,394	13,065	\$3,369,144
Greenville	32,137	67,522	\$9,185,225	31,846	67,000	\$18,117,169
Greenwood	7,629	15,761	\$2,120,782	7,654	15,812	\$4,252,215
Hampton	2,883	6,178	\$781,575	2,882	6,165	\$1,561,986
Horry	25,561	52,317	\$7,034,532	25,673	52,529	\$14,099,872
Jasper	3,239	7,007	\$959,647	3,241	7,017	\$1,914,825
Kershaw	5,734	12,238	\$1,609,983	5,739	12,274	\$3,219,620
Lancaster	7,853	16,049	\$2,176,442	7,856	16,070	\$4,350,639
Laurens	6,910	14,973	\$1,975,112	6,892	14,952	\$3,917,562
Lee	3,261	6,453	\$821,165	3,272	6,469	\$1,641,737
Lexington	18,272	41,333	\$5,599,746	18,319	41,421	\$11,200,440
McCormick	1,062	1,919	\$243,234	1,062	1,914	\$485,143
Marion	5,428	10,899	\$1,362,760	5,411	10,880	\$2,715,527
Marlboro	3,871	7,844	\$982,272	3,848	7,796	\$1,952,910
Newberry	4,155	8,451	\$1,135,159	4,146	8,438	\$2,260,912
Oconee	4,959	11,269	\$1,385,168	4,935	11,210	\$2,753,564
Orangeburg	13,952	27,950	\$3,703,789	13,977	27,977	\$7,420,077
Pickens	7,145	15,984	\$1,988,386	7,134	15,978	\$3,963,597
Richland	32,736	66,606	\$9,267,478	32,696	66,548	\$18,470,394
Saluda	1,935	3,997	\$513,939	1,931	3,987	\$1,024,741
Spartanburg	19,415	43,372	\$5,512,424	19,391	43,325	\$10,992,067
Sumter	13,242	27,653	\$3,608,246	13,227	27,624	\$7,198,094
Union	3,372	6,628	\$840,113	3,371	6,618	\$1,673,019
Williamsburg	5,515	10,898	\$1,366,848	5,537	10,953	\$2,741,160
York	15,539	34,174	\$4,615,276	15,531	34,143	\$9,200,380

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