

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION  
JANUARY 2012**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2011 to Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
<b>State Total</b>	<b>408,109</b>	<b>866,362</b>	<b>\$113,185,592</b>	<b>404,511</b>	<b>863,585</b>	<b>\$801,361,502</b>
Abbeville	2,281	4,487	\$555,621	2,256	4,454	\$3,901,136
Aiken	13,593	30,363	\$3,962,997	13,333	29,913	\$27,897,173
Allendale	1,823	3,590	\$460,645	1,843	3,634	\$3,377,659
Anderson	15,229	33,614	\$4,316,239	14,880	32,976	\$30,804,043
Bamberg	2,270	4,495	\$580,444	2,244	4,473	\$4,135,794
Barnwell	3,111	6,802	\$863,304	3,066	6,682	\$6,023,010
Beaufort	8,614	18,738	\$2,526,614	8,330	18,253	\$17,470,564
Berkeley	13,215	29,790	\$3,949,310	13,041	29,501	\$27,700,338
Calhoun	1,470	2,956	\$371,507	1,474	2,968	\$2,648,051
Charleston	23,804	48,800	\$6,382,102	23,689	48,893	\$45,605,270
Cherokee	7,234	15,249	\$2,038,053	7,152	15,168	\$14,357,195
Chester	4,971	10,137	\$1,350,197	5,043	10,311	\$9,740,118
Chesterfield	6,167	12,941	\$1,670,118	6,055	12,844	\$11,837,372
Clarendon	5,403	10,716	\$1,334,128	5,389	10,754	\$9,563,301
Colleton	5,489	11,738	\$1,514,120	5,397	11,638	\$10,691,397
Darlington	9,137	19,346	\$2,440,138	9,118	19,359	\$17,389,345
Dillon	4,426	10,007	\$1,181,385	4,399	10,004	\$8,432,506
Dorchester	9,544	21,700	\$2,849,482	9,395	21,445	\$19,969,932
Edgefield	2,424	5,250	\$671,725	2,478	5,373	\$4,830,210
Fairfield	3,455	6,480	\$861,355	3,411	6,466	\$6,102,738
Florence	15,418	33,240	\$4,179,220	15,403	33,387	\$29,957,172
Georgetown	6,493	13,305	\$1,703,452	6,395	13,174	\$11,798,137
Greenville	30,671	64,831	\$8,724,564	30,618	65,136	\$62,354,459
Greenwood	7,492	15,447	\$2,056,862	7,453	15,475	\$14,634,320
Hampton	2,896	6,262	\$792,295	2,808	6,144	\$5,487,250
Horry	27,241	55,253	\$7,407,049	26,189	53,569	\$50,394,968
Jasper	3,214	7,071	\$960,016	3,156	6,978	\$6,764,726
Kershaw	5,602	12,141	\$1,558,197	5,592	12,196	\$11,019,746
Lancaster	8,057	16,477	\$2,211,022	8,269	16,998	\$16,240,381
Laurens	6,527	14,371	\$1,845,929	6,477	14,341	\$13,004,081
Lee	3,270	6,491	\$808,523	3,283	6,538	\$5,796,398
Lexington	18,248	41,433	\$5,594,790	18,058	41,430	\$39,594,771
McCormick	1,074	1,892	\$244,915	1,090	1,929	\$1,769,934
Marion	5,342	10,755	\$1,320,816	5,314	10,752	\$9,324,185
Marlboro	3,783	7,748	\$948,517	3,697	7,612	\$6,580,707
Newberry	4,098	8,393	\$1,097,662	4,050	8,292	\$7,700,551
Oconee	4,914	11,287	\$1,374,703	4,888	11,311	\$9,763,258
Orangeburg	13,915	27,850	\$3,644,349	13,996	28,105	\$26,160,968
Pickens	6,742	15,221	\$1,957,135	6,848	15,554	\$13,856,213
Richland	31,116	63,811	\$8,796,995	31,152	64,089	\$62,915,856
Saluda	1,999	4,080	\$530,920	1,973	4,025	\$3,716,899
Spartanburg	19,034	42,712	\$5,319,132	18,741	42,374	\$37,648,636
Sumter	13,111	27,527	\$3,543,423	12,991	27,443	\$25,023,292
Union	3,239	6,456	\$798,158	3,177	6,396	\$5,584,146
Williamsburg	5,525	11,056	\$1,375,909	5,418	10,909	\$9,724,167
York	15,428	34,053	\$4,511,555	15,487	34,320	\$32,069,129

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