

**North Carolina Food Stamp Participation Report  
(Based on 130% Federal Poverty Level)**

County	January 2005 Participation	January 2005 Percent Served	September 2005 Participation	September 2005 Percent Served	Number Unserved	Total Eligible	Jan-Sept Inc/Sep
Alamance County	8,041	38.71%	8,980	43.23%	11,795	20,775	939
Alexander County	2,821	66.61%	3,130	73.91%	1,105	4,235	309
Alleghany County	966	42.54%	959	42.23%	1,312	2,271	-7
Anson County	4,188	74.73%	4,400	78.52%	1,204	5,604	212
Ashe County	2,131	42.67%	2,194	43.93%	2,800	4,994	63
Avery County	1,187	33.85%	1,251	35.67%	2,256	3,507	64
Beaufort County	5,550	48.93%	5,746	50.66%	5,597	11,343	196
Bertie County	4,028	66.40%	4,072	67.13%	1,994	6,066	44
Bladen County	5,519	61.04%	5,433	60.09%	3,609	9,042	-86
Brunswick County	6,986	51.59%	6,690	49.41%	6,851	13,541	-296
Buncombe County	17,675	51.73%	18,465	54.04%	15,705	34,170	790
Burke County	7,971	55.39%	8,394	58.33%	5,997	14,391	423
Cabarrus County	11,251	77.04%	12,743	87.25%	1,862	14,605	1,492
Caldwell County	8,911	73.61%	9,551	78.90%	2,554	12,105	640
Camden County	498	53.15%	565	60.30%	372	937	67
Carteret County	3,705	40.79%	3,711	40.85%	5,373	9,084	6
Caswell County	3,249	78.38%	3,468	83.67%	677	4,145	219
Catawba County	12,854	69.00%	13,968	74.98%	4,662	18,630	1,114
Chatham County	2,739	39.25%	2,860	40.99%	4,118	6,978	121
Cherokee County	2,139	39.28%	1,999	36.71%	3,446	5,445	-140
Chowan County	2,062	59.89%	2,050	59.54%	1,393	3,443	-12
Clay County	912	58.02%	934	59.41%	638	1,572	22
Cleveland County	13,632	77.14%	13,993	79.18%	3,679	17,672	361
Columbus County	8,788	51.79%	9,155	53.95%	7,815	16,970	367
Craven County	7,603	47.43%	7,965	49.69%	8,064	16,029	362
Cumberland County	34,641	65.90%	36,358	69.17%	16,205	52,563	1,717
Currituck County	1,088	36.96%	1,107	37.60%	1,837	2,944	19
Dare County	756	22.51%	826	24.60%	2,532	3,358	70
Davidson County	13,927	64.09%	14,827	68.23%	6,904	21,731	900
Davie County	1,848	41.04%	2,201	48.88%	2,302	4,503	353
Duplin County	5,047	37.13%	5,322	39.15%	8,271	13,593	275
Durham County	20,212	52.16%	21,725	56.06%	17,026	38,751	1,513
Edgecombe County	10,919	75.27%	11,703	80.68%	2,803	14,506	784
Forsyth County	25,624	56.05%	27,256	59.62%	18,461	45,717	1,632
Franklin County	5,111	59.84%	5,500	64.40%	3,041	8,541	389
Gaston County	20,815	71.29%	22,162	75.90%	7,037	29,199	1,347
Gates County	1,041	43.52%	1,059	44.27%	1,333	2,392	18
Graham County	858	38.93%	843	38.25%	1,361	2,204	-15
Granville County	4,004	53.85%	4,225	56.83%	3,210	7,435	221
Greene County	3,018	61.50%	3,215	65.52%	1,692	4,907	197
Guilford County	39,907	66.22%	42,582	70.66%	17,682	60,264	2,675
Halifax County	12,306	69.66%	12,758	72.22%	4,908	17,666	452
Harnett County	9,893	52.95%	10,537	56.40%	8,146	18,683	644
Haywood County	5,517	59.06%	5,686	60.87%	3,655	9,341	169
Henderson County	5,598	43.16%	5,787	44.62%	7,182	12,969	189
Hertford County	4,356	71.44%	4,604	75.51%	1,493	6,097	248
Hoke County	4,453	53.72%	5,135	61.94%	3,155	8,290	682
Hyde County	766	67.37%	790	69.48%	347	1,137	24
Iredell County	8,431	55.05%	9,172	59.89%	6,144	15,316	741
Jackson County	2,651	43.46%	2,611	42.80%	3,489	6,100	-40
Johnston County	12,437	58.97%	13,060	61.92%	8,032	21,092	623
Jones County	1,298	52.47%	1,335	53.96%	1,139	2,474	37
Lee County	4,159	47.35%	4,353	49.56%	4,431	8,784	194
Lenoir County	8,502	62.63%	9,046	66.63%	4,530	13,576	544

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Lincoln County	5,028	60.08%	5,736	68.54%	2,633	8,369	708
Macon County	2,452	43.32%	2,435	43.02%	3,225	5,660	-17
Madison County	1,753	43.87%	1,847	46.22%	2,149	3,996	94
Martin County	3,539	51.34%	3,534	51.27%	3,359	6,893	-5
McDowell County	3,004	41.07%	3,337	45.62%	3,977	7,314	333
Mecklenburg County	75,714	87.81%	75,662	87.75%	10,560	86,222	-52
Mitchell County	1,632	52.32%	1,716	55.02%	1,403	3,119	84
Montgomery County	2,845	47.12%	3,130	51.84%	2,908	6,038	285
Moore County	5,447	46.95%	5,779	49.81%	5,823	11,602	332
Nash County	9,355	58.38%	9,959	62.15%	6,066	16,025	604
New Hanover County	15,280	55.05%	14,670	52.85%	13,088	27,758	-610
Northampton County	4,398	71.17%	4,477	72.44%	1,703	6,180	79
Onslow County	10,413	39.75%	11,040	42.14%	15,156	26,196	627
Orange County	6,142	31.07%	6,284	31.79%	13,485	19,769	142
Pamlico County	1,187	46.10%	1,203	46.72%	1,372	2,575	16
Pasquotank County	4,410	54.97%	4,586	57.17%	3,436	8,022	176
Pender County	4,528	57.47%	4,596	58.33%	3,283	7,879	68
Perquimans County	1,542	59.72%	1,609	62.32%	973	2,582	67
Person County	3,552	57.19%	3,817	61.46%	2,394	6,211	265
Pitt County	16,634	49.19%	17,878	52.87%	15,936	33,814	1,244
Polk County	903	35.43%	1,046	41.04%	1,503	2,549	143
Randolph County	9,695	51.46%	10,752	57.07%	8,087	18,839	1,057
Richmond County	7,202	58.72%	7,424	60.53%	4,841	12,265	222
Robeson County	25,972	69.77%	26,944	72.39%	10,279	37,223	972
Rockingham County	7,859	45.77%	8,250	48.05%	8,920	17,170	391
Rowan County	10,974	55.60%	11,483	58.18%	8,253	19,736	509
Rutherford County	7,908	63.60%	8,024	64.54%	4,409	12,433	116
Sampson County	7,472	49.33%	7,712	50.92%	7,434	15,146	240
Scotland County	7,456	77.25%	8,001	82.89%	1,651	9,652	545
Stanly County	4,872	56.04%	5,212	59.95%	3,482	8,694	340
Stokes County	3,508	59.52%	3,815	64.73%	2,079	5,894	307
Surry County	6,557	47.42%	7,158	51.76%	6,670	13,828	601
Swain County	1,619	52.68%	1,593	51.84%	1,480	3,073	-26
Transylvania County	2,651	66.64%	2,626	66.01%	1,352	3,978	-25
Tyrrell County	623	54.75%	559	49.12%	579	1,138	-64
Union County	9,109	63.93%	9,401	65.98%	4,847	14,248	292
Vance County	8,695	74.85%	9,106	78.39%	2,511	11,617	411
Wake County	40,201	60.79%	42,751	64.65%	23,377	66,128	2,550
Warren County	3,278	61.21%	3,309	61.79%	2,046	5,355	31
Washington County	2,331	56.66%	2,358	57.32%	1,756	4,114	27
Watauga County	1,700	19.02%	1,816	20.32%	7,122	8,938	116
Wayne County	12,152	54.40%	13,060	58.47%	9,277	22,337	908
Wilkes County	5,824	51.29%	6,489	57.14%	4,867	11,356	665
Wilson County	8,883	50.10%	9,665	54.51%	8,066	17,731	782
Yadkin County	2,306	42.59%	2,419	44.67%	2,996	5,415	113
Yancey County	2,357	60.68%	2,451	63.11%	1,433	3,884	94
<b>Total</b>	<b>795,551</b>	<b>58.47%</b>	<b>835,180</b>	<b>61.38%</b>	<b>525,472</b>	<b>1,360,652</b>	<b>39,629</b>