

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

County	January 2005 Participation	January 2005 Percent Served	January 2006 Participation	January 2006 Percent Served	December 2006 Participation	Dec. 2006 Percent Served	Number Unserviced	Total Eligible	Net Gain, Jan05 to Dec06
Alamance	8,041	38.71%	9,378	45.14%	10,937	52.65%	9,838	20,775	2,896
Alexander	2,821	66.61%	3,218	75.99%	3,335	78.75%	900	4,235	514
Alleghany	966	42.54%	1,069	47.07%	1,052	46.32%	1,219	2,271	86
Anson	4,188	74.73%	4,484	80.01%	4,604	82.16%	1,000	5,604	416
Ashe	2,131	42.67%	2,363	47.32%	2,371	47.48%	2,623	4,994	240
Avery	1,187	33.85%	1,319	37.61%	1,182	33.70%	2,325	3,507	-5
Beaufort	5,550	48.93%	6,095	53.73%	6,007	52.96%	5,336	11,343	457
Bertie	4,028	66.40%	4,115	67.84%	4,152	68.45%	1,914	6,066	124
Bladen	5,519	61.04%	5,492	60.74%	5,500	60.83%	3,542	9,042	-19
Brunswick	6,986	51.59%	7,053	52.09%	7,238	53.45%	6,303	13,541	252
Buncombe	17,675	51.73%	18,678	54.66%	19,082	55.84%	15,088	34,170	1,407
Burke	7,971	55.39%	8,747	60.78%	8,986	62.44%	5,405	14,391	1,015
Cabarrus	11,251	77.04%	12,848	87.97%	12,963	88.76%	1,642	14,605	1,712
Caldwell	8,911	73.61%	9,644	79.67%	9,681	79.98%	2,424	12,105	770
Camden	498	53.15%	566	60.41%	513	54.75%	424	937	15
Carteret	3,705	40.79%	3,939	43.36%	4,010	44.14%	5,074	9,084	305
Caswell	3,249	78.38%	3,494	84.29%	3,608	87.04%	537	4,145	359
Catawba	12,854	69.00%	14,314	76.83%	14,969	80.35%	3,661	18,630	2,115
Chatham	2,739	39.25%	2,872	41.16%	2,954	42.33%	4,024	6,978	215
Cherokee	2,139	39.28%	2,162	39.71%	2,240	41.14%	3,205	5,445	101
Chowan	2,062	59.89%	2,226	64.65%	2,266	65.81%	1,177	3,443	204
Clay	912	58.02%	966	61.45%	996	63.36%	576	1,572	84
Cleveland	13,632	77.14%	14,430	81.65%	14,385	81.40%	3,287	17,672	753
Columbus	8,788	51.79%	9,510	56.04%	9,504	56.00%	7,466	16,970	716
Craven	7,603	47.43%	8,180	51.03%	8,747	54.57%	7,282	16,029	1,144
Cumberland	34,641	65.90%	36,938	70.27%	39,612	75.36%	12,951	52,563	4,971
Currituck	1,088	36.96%	1,216	41.30%	1,251	42.49%	1,693	2,944	163
Dare	756	22.51%	955	28.44%	1,126	33.53%	2,232	3,358	370
Davidson	13,927	64.09%	15,206	69.97%	16,171	74.41%	5,560	21,731	2,244
Davie	1,848	41.04%	2,366	52.54%	2,597	57.67%	1,906	4,503	749
Duplin	5,047	37.13%	5,484	40.34%	5,412	39.81%	8,181	13,593	365
Durham	20,212	52.16%	21,852	56.39%	22,291	57.52%	16,460	38,751	2,079
Edgecombe	10,919	75.27%	11,754	81.03%	11,557	79.67%	2,949	14,506	638
Forsyth	25,624	56.05%	28,385	62.09%	30,321	66.32%	15,396	45,717	4,697
Franklin	5,111	59.84%	5,635	65.98%	5,898	69.06%	2,643	8,541	787
Gaston	20,815	71.29%	22,881	78.36%	23,434	80.26%	5,765	29,199	2,619
Gates	1,041	43.52%	1,090	45.57%	1,131	47.28%	1,261	2,392	90
Graham	858	38.93%	898	40.74%	969	43.97%	1,235	2,204	111
Granville	4,004	53.85%	4,309	57.96%	4,654	62.60%	2,781	7,435	650
Greene	3,018	61.50%	3,258	66.39%	3,191	65.03%	1,716	4,907	173
Guilford	39,907	66.22%	43,442	72.09%	45,405	75.34%	14,859	60,264	5,498
Halifax	12,306	69.66%	12,904	73.04%	12,872	72.86%	4,794	17,666	566
Harnett	9,893	52.95%	10,658	57.05%	11,279	60.37%	7,404	18,683	1,386
Haywood	5,517	59.06%	5,810	62.20%	5,816	62.26%	3,525	9,341	299
Henderson	5,598	43.16%	6,037	46.55%	5,476	42.22%	7,493	12,969	-122
Hertford	4,356	71.44%	4,708	77.22%	4,678	76.73%	1,419	6,097	322
Hoke	4,453	53.72%	5,379	64.89%	5,401	65.15%	2,889	8,290	948
Hyde	766	67.37%	820	72.12%	854	75.11%	283	1,137	88
Iredell	8,431	55.05%	9,331	60.92%	9,880	64.51%	5,436	15,316	1,449
Jackson	2,651	43.46%	2,736	44.85%	2,579	42.28%	3,521	6,100	-72
Johnston	12,437	58.97%	13,688	64.90%	14,413	68.33%	6,679	21,092	1,976
Jones	1,298	52.47%	1,365	55.17%	1,302	52.63%	1,172	2,474	4
Lee	4,159	47.35%	4,764	54.23%	5,003	56.96%	3,781	8,784	844

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Lenoir	8,502	62.63%	9,305	68.54%	9,273	68.30%	4,303	13,576	771
Lincoln	5,028	60.08%	5,961	71.23%	6,312	75.42%	2,057	8,369	1,284
Macon	2,452	43.32%	2,591	45.78%	2,573	45.46%	3,087	5,660	121
Madison	1,753	43.87%	2,001	50.08%	2,001	50.08%	1,995	3,996	248
Martin	3,539	51.34%	3,560	51.65%	3,676	53.33%	3,217	6,893	137
McDowell	3,004	41.07%	3,416	46.70%	3,648	49.88%	3,666	7,314	644
Mecklenburg	75,714	87.81%	73,538	85.29%	77,173	89.50%	9,049	86,222	1,459
Mitchell	1,632	52.32%	1,777	56.97%	1,716	55.02%	1,403	3,119	84
Montgomery	2,845	47.12%	3,333	55.20%	3,358	55.61%	2,680	6,038	513
Moore	5,447	46.95%	5,956	51.34%	6,013	51.83%	5,589	11,602	566
Nash	9,355	58.38%	9,977	62.26%	10,366	64.69%	5,659	16,025	1,011
New Hanover	15,280	55.05%	14,989	54.00%	14,775	53.23%	12,983	27,758	-505
Northampton	4,398	71.17%	4,684	75.79%	4,573	74.00%	1,607	6,180	175
Onslow	10,413	39.75%	11,127	42.48%	12,111	46.23%	14,085	26,196	1,698
Orange	6,142	31.07%	6,311	31.92%	6,086	30.79%	13,683	19,769	-56
Pamlico	1,187	46.10%	1,314	51.03%	1,321	51.30%	1,254	2,575	134
Pasquotank	4,410	54.97%	4,669	58.20%	4,683	58.38%	3,339	8,022	273
Pender	4,528	57.47%	4,389	55.71%	4,531	57.51%	3,348	7,879	3
Perquimans	1,542	59.72%	1,714	66.38%	1,739	67.35%	843	2,582	197
Person	3,552	57.19%	3,952	63.63%	4,031	64.90%	2,180	6,211	479
Pitt	16,634	49.19%	17,913	52.98%	18,506	54.73%	15,308	33,814	1,872
Polk	903	35.43%	1,133	44.45%	1,256	49.27%	1,293	2,549	353
Randolph	9,695	51.46%	11,615	61.65%	12,793	67.91%	6,046	18,839	3,098
Richmond	7,202	58.72%	7,530	61.39%	7,360	60.01%	4,905	12,265	158
Robeson	25,972	69.77%	27,141	72.91%	27,136	72.90%	10,087	37,223	1,164
Rockingham	7,859	45.77%	8,819	51.36%	9,465	55.13%	7,705	17,170	1,606
Rowan	10,974	55.60%	11,794	59.76%	12,371	62.68%	7,365	19,736	1,397
Rutherford	7,908	63.60%	8,332	67.02%	8,208	66.02%	4,225	12,433	300
Sampson	7,472	49.33%	7,917	52.27%	7,981	52.69%	7,165	15,146	509
Scotland	7,456	77.25%	7,899	81.84%	8,404	87.07%	1,248	9,652	948
Stanly	4,872	56.04%	5,454	62.73%	5,849	67.28%	2,845	8,694	977
Stokes	3,508	59.52%	3,943	66.90%	4,050	68.71%	1,844	5,894	542
Surry	6,557	47.42%	7,741	55.98%	8,231	59.52%	5,597	13,828	1,674
Swain	1,619	52.68%	1,762	57.34%	1,788	58.18%	1,285	3,073	169
Transylvania	2,651	66.64%	2,716	68.28%	2,607	65.54%	1,371	3,978	-44
Tyrrell	623	54.75%	665	58.44%	630	55.36%	508	1,138	7
Union	9,109	63.93%	9,668	67.86%	10,203	71.61%	4,045	14,248	1,094
Vance	8,695	74.85%	9,292	79.99%	9,471	81.53%	2,146	11,617	776
Wake	40,201	60.79%	42,516	64.29%	44,029	66.58%	22,099	66,128	3,828
Warren	3,278	61.21%	3,305	61.72%	3,545	66.20%	1,810	5,355	267
Washington	2,331	56.66%	2,493	60.60%	2,454	59.65%	1,660	4,114	123
Watauga	1,700	19.02%	1,956	21.88%	1,957	21.90%	6,981	8,938	257
Wayne	12,152	54.40%	13,451	60.22%	14,029	62.81%	8,308	22,337	1,877
Wilkes	5,824	51.29%	6,894	60.71%	7,443	65.54%	3,913	11,356	1,619
Wilson	8,883	50.10%	9,637	54.35%	9,939	56.05%	7,792	17,731	1,056
Yadkin	2,306	42.59%	2,691	49.70%	2,699	49.84%	2,716	5,415	393
Yancey	2,357	60.68%	2,554	65.76%	2,516	64.78%	1,368	3,884	159
Total	795,551	58.47%	852,426	62.65%	880,734	64.73%	479,918	1,360,652	85,183

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Net Gain, Jan06 to Dec06
1,559
117
-17
120
8
-137
-88
37
8
185
404
239
115
37
-53
71
114
655
82
78
40
30
-45
-6
567
2,674
35
171
965
231
-72
439
-197
1,936
263
553
41
71
345
-67
1,963
-32
621
6
-561
-30
22
34
549
-157
725
-63
239

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Net Gain, Jan06 to Dec06
-32
351
-18
0
116
232
3,635
-61
25
57
389
-214
-111
984
-225
7
14
142
25
79
593
123
1,178
-170
-5
646
577
-124
64
505
395
107
490
26
-109
-35
535
179
1,513
240
-39
1
578
549
302
8
-38
28,308