

**North Carolina Food Stamp Participation Report
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County	January 2005 Participation	January 2005 Percent Served	January 2006 Participation	January 2006 Percent Served	March 2007 Participation	Mar. 2007 Percent Served	Number Unserviced	Total Eligible	Net Gain, Jan05 to Mar07
Alamance	8,041	38.71%	9,378	45.14%	10,965	52.78%	9,810	20,775	2,924
Alexander	2,821	66.61%	3,218	75.99%	3,417	80.68%	818	4,235	596
Alleghany	966	42.54%	1,069	47.07%	1,080	47.56%	1,191	2,271	114
Anson	4,188	74.73%	4,484	80.01%	4,469	79.75%	1,135	5,604	281
Ashe	2,131	42.67%	2,363	47.32%	2,400	48.06%	2,594	4,994	269
Avery	1,187	33.85%	1,319	37.61%	1,178	33.59%	2,329	3,507	-9
Beaufort	5,550	48.93%	6,095	53.73%	5,865	51.71%	5,478	11,343	315
Bertie	4,028	66.40%	4,115	67.84%	4,063	66.98%	2,003	6,066	35
Bladen	5,519	61.04%	5,492	60.74%	5,282	58.42%	3,760	9,042	-237
Brunswick	6,986	51.59%	7,053	52.09%	7,424	54.83%	6,117	13,541	438
Buncombe	17,675	51.73%	18,678	54.66%	19,283	56.43%	14,887	34,170	1,608
Burke	7,971	55.39%	8,747	60.78%	8,758	60.86%	5,633	14,391	787
Cabarrus	11,251	77.04%	12,848	87.97%	12,952	88.68%	1,653	14,605	1,701
Caldwell	8,911	73.61%	9,644	79.67%	9,778	80.78%	2,327	12,105	867
Camden	498	53.15%	566	60.41%	542	57.84%	395	937	44
Carteret	3,705	40.79%	3,939	43.36%	4,105	45.19%	4,979	9,084	400
Caswell	3,249	78.38%	3,494	84.29%	3,568	86.08%	577	4,145	319
Catawba	12,854	69.00%	14,314	76.83%	14,804	79.46%	3,826	18,630	1,950
Chatham	2,739	39.25%	2,872	41.16%	2,976	42.65%	4,002	6,978	237
Cherokee	2,139	39.28%	2,162	39.71%	2,185	40.13%	3,260	5,445	46
Chowan	2,062	59.89%	2,226	64.65%	2,210	64.19%	1,233	3,443	148
Clay	912	58.02%	966	61.45%	1,052	66.92%	520	1,572	140
Cleveland	13,632	77.14%	14,430	81.65%	14,223	80.48%	3,449	17,672	591
Columbus	8,788	51.79%	9,510	56.04%	9,324	54.94%	7,646	16,970	536
Craven	7,603	47.43%	8,180	51.03%	8,729	54.46%	7,300	16,029	1,126
Cumberland	34,641	65.90%	36,938	70.27%	38,640	73.51%	13,923	52,563	3,999
Currituck	1,088	36.96%	1,216	41.30%	1,256	42.66%	1,688	2,944	168
Dare	756	22.51%	955	28.44%	1,208	35.97%	2,150	3,358	452
Davidson	13,927	64.09%	15,206	69.97%	16,067	73.94%	5,664	21,731	2,140
Davie	1,848	41.04%	2,366	52.54%	2,637	58.56%	1,866	4,503	789
Duplin	5,047	37.13%	5,484	40.34%	5,290	38.92%	8,303	13,593	243
Durham	20,212	52.16%	21,852	56.39%	21,850	56.39%	16,901	38,751	1,638
Edgecombe	10,919	75.27%	11,754	81.03%	11,135	76.76%	3,371	14,506	216
Forsyth	25,624	56.05%	28,385	62.09%	29,496	64.52%	16,221	45,717	3,872
Franklin	5,111	59.84%	5,635	65.98%	5,878	68.82%	2,663	8,541	767
Gaston	20,815	71.29%	22,881	78.36%	23,093	79.09%	6,106	29,199	2,278
Gates	1,041	43.52%	1,090	45.57%	1,130	47.24%	1,262	2,392	89
Graham	858	38.93%	898	40.74%	983	44.60%	1,221	2,204	125
Granville	4,004	53.85%	4,309	57.96%	4,525	60.86%	2,910	7,435	521
Greene	3,018	61.50%	3,258	66.39%	3,180	64.81%	1,727	4,907	162
Guilford	39,907	66.22%	43,442	72.09%	45,168	74.95%	15,096	60,264	5,261
Halifax	12,306	69.66%	12,904	73.04%	12,644	71.57%	5,022	17,666	338
Harnett	9,893	52.95%	10,658	57.05%	11,184	59.86%	7,499	18,683	1,291
Haywood	5,517	59.06%	5,810	62.20%	5,885	63.00%	3,456	9,341	368
Henderson	5,598	43.16%	6,037	46.55%	5,601	43.19%	7,368	12,969	3
Hertford	4,356	71.44%	4,708	77.22%	4,483	73.53%	1,614	6,097	127
Hoke	4,453	53.72%	5,379	64.89%	5,375	64.84%	2,915	8,290	922
Hyde	766	67.37%	820	72.12%	842	74.05%	295	1,137	76
Iredell	8,431	55.05%	9,331	60.92%	9,844	64.27%	5,472	15,316	1,413
Jackson	2,651	43.46%	2,736	44.85%	2,674	43.84%	3,426	6,100	23
Johnston	12,437	58.97%	13,688	64.90%	14,549	68.98%	6,543	21,092	2,112
Jones	1,298	52.47%	1,365	55.17%	1,304	52.71%	1,170	2,474	6
Lee	4,159	47.35%	4,764	54.23%	5,082	57.86%	3,702	8,784	923

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Lenoir	8,502	62.63%	9,305	68.54%	9,070	66.81%	4,506	13,576	568
Lincoln	5,028	60.08%	5,961	71.23%	6,298	75.25%	2,071	8,369	1,270
Macon	2,452	43.32%	2,591	45.78%	2,587	45.71%	3,073	5,660	135
Madison	1,753	43.87%	2,001	50.08%	1,968	49.25%	2,028	3,996	215
Martin	3,539	51.34%	3,560	51.65%	3,651	52.97%	3,242	6,893	112
McDowell	3,004	41.07%	3,416	46.70%	3,797	51.91%	3,517	7,314	793
Mecklenburg	75,714	87.81%	73,538	85.29%	75,989	88.13%	10,233	86,222	275
Mitchell	1,632	52.32%	1,777	56.97%	1,680	53.86%	1,439	3,119	48
Montgomery	2,845	47.12%	3,333	55.20%	3,293	54.54%	2,745	6,038	448
Moore	5,447	46.95%	5,956	51.34%	5,804	50.03%	5,798	11,602	357
Nash	9,355	58.38%	9,977	62.26%	9,951	62.10%	6,074	16,025	596
New Hanover	15,280	55.05%	14,989	54.00%	14,443	52.03%	13,315	27,758	-837
Northampton	4,398	71.17%	4,684	75.79%	4,490	72.65%	1,690	6,180	92
Onslow	10,413	39.75%	11,127	42.48%	11,607	44.31%	14,589	26,196	1,194
Orange	6,142	31.07%	6,311	31.92%	6,017	30.44%	13,752	19,769	-125
Pamlico	1,187	46.10%	1,314	51.03%	1,276	49.55%	1,299	2,575	89
Pasquotank	4,410	54.97%	4,669	58.20%	4,614	57.52%	3,408	8,022	204
Pender	4,528	57.47%	4,389	55.71%	4,507	57.20%	3,372	7,879	-21
Perquimans	1,542	59.72%	1,714	66.38%	1,728	66.92%	854	2,582	186
Person	3,552	57.19%	3,952	63.63%	4,156	66.91%	2,055	6,211	604
Pitt	16,634	49.19%	17,913	52.98%	18,052	53.39%	15,762	33,814	1,418
Polk	903	35.43%	1,133	44.45%	1,312	51.47%	1,237	2,549	409
Randolph	9,695	51.46%	11,615	61.65%	12,851	68.21%	5,988	18,839	3,156
Richmond	7,202	58.72%	7,530	61.39%	7,153	58.32%	5,112	12,265	-49
Robeson	25,972	69.77%	27,141	72.91%	26,492	71.17%	10,731	37,223	520
Rockingham	7,859	45.77%	8,819	51.36%	9,658	56.25%	7,512	17,170	1,799
Rowan	10,974	55.60%	11,794	59.76%	12,259	62.11%	7,477	19,736	1,285
Rutherford	7,908	63.60%	8,332	67.02%	7,993	64.29%	4,440	12,433	85
Sampson	7,472	49.33%	7,917	52.27%	7,890	52.09%	7,256	15,146	418
Scotland	7,456	77.25%	7,899	81.84%	8,217	85.13%	1,435	9,652	761
Stanly	4,872	56.04%	5,454	62.73%	5,712	65.70%	2,982	8,694	840
Stokes	3,508	59.52%	3,943	66.90%	3,952	67.05%	1,942	5,894	444
Surry	6,557	47.42%	7,741	55.98%	8,204	59.33%	5,624	13,828	1,647
Swain	1,619	52.68%	1,762	57.34%	1,823	59.32%	1,250	3,073	204
Transylvania	2,651	66.64%	2,716	68.28%	2,657	66.79%	1,321	3,978	6
Tyrrell	623	54.75%	665	58.44%	670	58.88%	468	1,138	47
Union	9,109	63.93%	9,668	67.86%	10,289	72.21%	3,959	14,248	1,180
Vance	8,695	74.85%	9,292	79.99%	9,364	80.61%	2,253	11,617	669
Wake	40,201	60.79%	42,516	64.29%	42,672	64.53%	23,456	66,128	2,471
Warren	3,278	61.21%	3,305	61.72%	3,419	63.85%	1,936	5,355	141
Washington	2,331	56.66%	2,493	60.60%	2,428	59.02%	1,686	4,114	97
Watauga	1,700	19.02%	1,956	21.88%	2,018	22.58%	6,920	8,938	318
Wayne	12,152	54.40%	13,451	60.22%	14,000	62.68%	8,337	22,337	1,848
Wilkes	5,824	51.29%	6,894	60.71%	7,418	65.32%	3,938	11,356	1,594
Wilson	8,883	50.10%	9,637	54.35%	10,027	56.55%	7,704	17,731	1,144
Yadkin	2,306	42.59%	2,691	49.70%	2,785	51.43%	2,630	5,415	479
Yancey	2,357	60.68%	2,554	65.76%	2,500	64.37%	1,384	3,884	143
Total	795,551	58.47%	852,426	62.65%	870,376	63.97%	490,276	1,360,652	74,825

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Net Gain, Jan06 to Mar07
1,587
199
11
-15
37
-141
-230
-52
-210
371
605
11
104
134
-24
166
74
490
104
23
-16
86
-207
-186
549
1,702
40
253
861
271
-194
-2
-619
1,111
243
212
40
85
216
-78
1,726
-260
526
75
-436
-225
-4
22
513
-62
861
-61
318

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Net Gain, Jan06 to Mar07
-235
337
-4
-33
91
381
2,451
-97
-40
-152
-26
-546
-194
480
-294
-38
-55
118
14
204
139
179
1,236
-377
-649
839
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-339
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