

COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM: CSFP ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

The Central Texas Food Bank partners with the Texas Department of Agriculture to provide the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) to eligible seniors 60 years of age and older. The food items included in the CSFP box are U.S. Department of Agriculture products. Therefore, in order to participate in the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP), seniors must qualify by meeting USDA's Income Eligibility Guidelines.

How do I know if I meet the Age Requirements for CSFP?

Applicants who are 60 years of age or older meet the age requirement to participate in the CSFP. Applicants must provide proof of identification to prove that they meet the age requirement. Valid forms of Identification include:

- Driver's License
- State ID Card
- Birth Certificate
- Permanent Resident Card
- Passport
- Military ID
- Refugee Visa
- Baptismal Certificate
- Health Card

How do I know if I meet the Income Eligibility Guidelines for CSFP?

Using the chart below, find where the number of people in your household intersects with your household's income. If this dollar amount is equal to or below your household income, you meet the income requirements to participate in the Commodity Supplemental Food Program. Applicants must provide proof of household income to verify the total household income amount*.

Valid forms of proof of household income include:

- Social Security award letter
- Pay stub for the previous month
- Income Tax Return
- Bank Statement showing direct deposit of income
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI) award letter

*SNAP benefits do not count as income.

Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) Income Eligibility Guidelines

Effective February 28, 2018

Based on 130% of Federal Poverty Guidelines			
Household Size	Annual Income	Monthly Income	Weekly Income
1	\$15,782	\$1,316	\$304
2	\$21,398	\$1,784	\$412
3	\$27,014	\$2,252	\$520
4	\$32,630	\$2,720	\$628
5	\$38,246	\$3,188	\$736
6	\$43,862	\$3,656	\$844
7	\$49,478	\$4,124	\$952
8	\$55,094	\$4,592	\$1,060
For each additional household member, add:	+ \$5,616	+ \$468	+ \$108

For more information on eligibility requirements for receiving food through the Food Bank distribution programs please contact the Food Bank Programs Team: 512-684-2117.



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