

NEW HAMPSHIRE P-EBT REPORT

School Year 2020-2021

WHO CARDS WERE ISSUED TO:

Eligible child

COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH PLAN FOR 2020-2021:

Updated the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) website, press release, flyer shared with community organizations, letters to parents.

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:

35,377

DATE TO START ISSUING SCHOOL-AGE BENEFITS:

June 2021

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:

7,830

DATE TO START ISSUING CHILD CARE BENEFITS:

XX

Summer 2021

STANDARD BENEFIT (Y/N):

Yes

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:

45,323

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:

9,674

TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHOOL-AGE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:

\$16,996,125

TOTAL ESTIMATED CHILDCARE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:

\$3.627.750

SUMMARY OF HOW STATE COLLECTED NAMES FOR

ISSUANCE: New Hampshire will use the same data file to identify all children who were eligible for free or reduced-price school meals under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program in school year (SY) 20–21 but did not receive a P-EBT benefit in the last month of the school year by confirming a P-EBT benefit was issued for any other month of the school year.

SUMMARY OF HOW THE STATE IDENTIFIED NEWLY

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: State of New Hampshire and DHHS will send each FSD an email containing a link to New Hampshire Electronic Application System for

a simple form to complete The data from both the food service director and beginning of year file will be merged and benefits will be auto-issued. There is no online application process needed to receive Summer P-EBT.

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FOR CHILDREN UNDER 6: New SNAP households with children in child care age 0–6 will be identified through a query in New HEIGHTS (New Hampshire's eligibility system) and auto-issued P-EBT benefits. Existing SNAP households that add an eligible child during the July 1 through August 31 summer period will be auto-issued benefits.

SUMMARY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH PLAN FOR SUMMER 2021: See School Year

 ${\color{blue} \textbf{Communications and Outreach Summary.}}$

SUMMARY OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS: The FSS will primarily work the P-EBT information line with support as needed from administrative staff. These staff will be using New HEIGHTS and Edge to answer incoming calls regarding incorrect benefit amounts, benefit denials, and to provide general information.

DATE TO START ISSUING BENEFITS: October 1, 2021

