



FDPIR: FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

For Your Application to be “Certified” for the USDA Food Program:

Bring or Send **“COPIES”** of All the Following Information:

- ✦ 1 month of weekly, biweekly, part time check stubs for **“All” persons in household. (20% deduction)**
- ✦ **Unemployment** statement for **“ALL” persons in household.**
- ✦ Statement of Monthly income you get in mail in December if you get **SSI/SS/Retirement** benefits etc.
- ✦ **MI Drivers License - MI ID- Tribal ID** (for proof of residency).
- ✦ Bank Statement **only** if you have **Direct Deposit** for your SSI.
- ✦ Any other income in the household not listed.
- ✦ **Cancellation** or **Denial** from the **SNAP Program** if it applies to household.
- ✦ **Current Rent Receipt** or **Current Utilities Bill** for a \$450 shelter and utility deduction off total monthly income.

We conduct a SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) check with the State of Michigan and verify Enrollment with your tribe; before your application can be certified. To complete the application process **“All Required paper work”** must be with application. You have seven days from date of application to return all necessary documentation or you must start the application process from the beginning.

Food Distribution Program is Federally Funded. The USDA sets the rules and guidelines for the program.

NO households may participate in **“BOTH”** the USDA Food Distribution Program and Snap Program in the same month. But eligible households can switch from one program to the other at the end of each month.

October 1, 2020 – September 31, 2021

<u>Household Size</u>	<u>Income Limits</u>	<u>Household Size</u>	<u>Income Limits</u>
1	\$1,231.00	6	\$3,173.00
2	\$1,604.00	7	\$3,547.00
3	\$1,977.00	8	\$3,920.00
4	\$2,365.00	For each additional member add \$374.00	
5	\$2,769.00		

PLEASE NOTE: Failure to adhere to the policies set forth by the USDA Food and Nutrition Service could result in termination of this service to the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians. Documentation must be in place before the distribution of benefits. The complete certification process can take up to seven business days.

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