



St. Johns County Emergency Management

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Florida Department of Children and Families to Open On-Site D-SNAP Location in St. Johns County

ELKTON, Florida, October 25, 2022 – The Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) is opening an on-site Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP) location in St. Johns County to allow applicants to complete in-person interviews as part of the State's response to Hurricane Ian.

WHAT: D-SNAP provides food assistance for individuals and families impacted by Hurricane Ian and who are not receiving food assistance benefits through the regular Supplemental Nutrition Program (SNAP).

WHEN: Oct. 27 – 29
7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

WHERE: St. Johns County Fairgrounds
5840 State Road 207
Elkton, FL 32033

Residents of St. Johns County who pre-registered online, but did not have a chance to complete their D-SNAP phone interview can visit the D-SNAP location in St. Johns County for an on-site interview. On-site interviews are not required if a phone interview was completed.

DCF has reopened pre-registration for individuals who reside in St. Johns County and did not previously pre-register online before October 23. DCF encourages individuals to pre-register online before coming on-site to complete their interviews. Online pre-registration will be available at www.myflfamilies.com/dsnap from Friday, Oct. 27, through Sunday, Oct. 29.

The program is open to all St. Johns County residents who meet the following eligibility criteria, to be determined by DCF:

- Not currently receiving regular SNAP benefits
- Be living or working in a disaster-declared County at the time of Hurricane Ian
- Must meet financial eligibility requirements
- Must have suffered a disaster-related loss such as:
 - Damage to their home or self-employment property
 - Loss of food
 - Reduction or loss of income
 - Other disaster-related expenses

Please note:

- Current SNAP recipients are not eligible for D-SNAP and should not attend the on-site D-SNAP location.
- Applicants who were approved during a telephone interview for D-SNAP will receive their EBT card by mail and should not attend the on-site D-SNAP location.
- Households that do not live or work in St. Johns County will not be served at this on-site D-SNAP location.

To view the D-SNAP schedule by county and details on how to apply, visit MyFLFamilies.com/DSNAP.

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