

FAQs – ekkewe chon COFAra tongeni fich faniten SNAP
A ekkesiwil pwe epwe pachelong poraus mi fo 7/24/24

Porausen an a wattelo tufichin an ekkewe chon COFA repwe fich faniten SNAP.

Lon March 9, 2024, President Joseph R. Biden a sainei ewe Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024 (CAA) (P.L. 118-42) pwe epwe wiliti eu alluk. Division G, Title II, Section 209(f) an ewe CAA a ekkesiwil Section 402 an ewe Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA) (P.L. 104-193) o a fori pwe ekkewe chon Compacts of Free Association (COFA) seni ewe Federated States of Micronesia, ewe Republic of the Marshall Islands, me ewe Republic of Palau mi wiliposelo lon ewe United States lon ewe sokkun lapalap mi pwung fan alluk ra fich ngeni ar repwe etiwa ekkoch Federal programs mi awora alilis ngeni aramas ese lililifil, pwal pachelong SNAP.

Chon ekkewe Compacts of Free Association (COFA) seni ewe Federated States of Micronesia, ewe Republic of the Marshall Islands, me ewe Republic of Palau mi wiliposelo lon ewe United States lon ewe sokkun lapalap mi pwung fan alluk ra apply lon ika mwirin March 9, 2024, nge resap fich ngeni ar repwe etiwa SNAP ra tongeni apply sefal faniten SNAP pwe epwe affat ika ir mi kettiw iei fan met mi kaworoto ren ewe CAA. Ekkana aramas mi apply nge resap kettiw ra tongeni tungor pwe epwe fis eu arongorong mi pwung me mwen an epwe lulo 90 ran seni pwinin maramen ar we resap kettiw alongolong won 7 CFR 273.15. Ika esap tufichin fis eu arongorong mi pwung faniten chon lon eu imw pokiten a fen lulo 90 ran, iwe, mi auchea pwe repwe apply sefal faniten SNAP.

[Aramas ra tongeni angei echo application faniten ar repwe aani ekkewe mettoch mi mwirino seni SNAP](#) seni eu [DHS Processing Center](#) are won ewe DHS websait. Ekkewe chon lon eu imw ra pwal tongeni apply faniten SNAP online (ika won computer) won <https://pais-benefits.dhs.hawaii.gov/>.

Ekkewe Kapas Ais Aramas Ra Soun Ais (FAQs) faniten ion chon COFA mi fich faniten SNAP.

1. Io mi tongeni fich faniten SNAP pokiten an ewe e sain ewe Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024 me met mi ekkesiwil lon ewe Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity for Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA)?

Ekkewe Chon COFA seni ewe Federated States of Micronesia, ewe Republic of the Marshall Islands, me ewe Republic of Palau mi wiliposelo lon ewe United States lon ewe sokkun lapalap mi pwung fan alluk, ra pwal fich faniten SNAP alongolong won ukukun nour mooni tolong me pwal ekkoch mettoch mi auchea ir ra niit ren ar epwe kettiw.

2. Met ika ngang emon chon COFA mi kettiw nge ua apply faniten SNAP mwirin March 9, 2024 o ir ra popponi nei application?

Ka tongeni apply sefal pwe kopwe angei SNAP pwe epwe affat ika en mi tufichin kettiw pokiten met mi kaworoto lon ewe CAA, are ka tongeni [tungor om fansoun arongorong](#) ika esap mwo lulo 90 ran seni ewe pwinin maramen ar we ra popponi om application. Ka pwal tongeni apply sefal nge lon ewe chok otun ka pwal submittini eu tungor pwe epwe fis om fansoun arongorong mi pwung.

3. Ifa usun ai upwe tungor faniten eu fansoun arongorong mi pwung pwe upwe tongeni poluwani ar we re popponi nei application faniten SNAP?

Men auchea pwe kopwe amasouwa [Form DHS 1461 \(Request for a Hearing\)](#), kokkori 1-855-643-1643 pwe kopwe tungor faniten eu fansoun arongorong, are feilo ngeni eu DHS Processing Center mi nom arap ngonuk o tungur an epwe fis om arongorong.

4. Ifa usun ai upwe apply faniten ai upwe angei ekkewe mettoch mi mwirino me ren SNAP?

Ekkewe aramasen eu imw ra tongeni angei echo application faniten SNAP seni eu [DHS Processing](#)

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[Center](https://paid-benefits.dhs.hawaii.gov), are ra tongeni apply online (won computer) won <https://paid-benefits.dhs.hawaii.gov>.
 Mi [wor eu liisen meinisin ekkewe Processing Centerlon unusen ewe state](#) a makketiw won ewe DHS websait.

5. Nge met ika ngang ua osupwangen alilis fansoun ai ua apply faniten SNAP?

Ika ka osupwangen alilis ren noum application, kose mochen kapas ngeni emon DHS SNAP Outreach provider. Ekkewe chon DHS ra fen fori nour contract ren ekkoch mwichen aramas mi akkangangfengen lon sopw lon unusen ewe state pwe repwe alisuk ren angangen noum application, repwe pwal alisuk le amasouwa ewe application o ionifengeni noum kewe taropwe mi auchea. Eu liisen ekkewe chon SNAP Outreach providers a makketiw won ewe DHS websait.

6. Meeta emon aramas a niit ren an epwe fich faniten SNAP?

Kose mochen nengeni ekkewe ukukun mooni tolong ika gross income mi mwumwuta me ekkewe ekkoch mettoch ka niit ren om kopwe kettiw mi makketiw fan

**ALLUKEN SNAP FANITEN EWE UKUKUN MOONI TOLONG IKA GROSS INCOME MI MWUMWUTA
 (Poputa seni 10/1/2023)**

ALLUKEN SNAP FANITEN EWE UKUKUN MOONI TOLONG IKA GROSS INCOME MI MWUMWUTA (Poputa seni 10/1/2023) Chóchón Ewe Imw	200% Meinisin Mooni Tolong Ika Gross Income Lon Eu Maram (BBCE) (BBCE alongolong won 100% FPL)	130% Meinisin Mooni Tolong ika Gross Income Lon Eu Maram	100% Ukukun Noum Net Mooni Tolong Iteiten Maram (Noum Mooni Tolong Mwirin An A Fen Angangelo Ika Aimwuulo Liwinin Ekkewe Mettoch Mi Fich Ika Deductions)
1	2796	1817	1398
2	3780	2457	1890
3	4766	3098	2383
4	5750	3738	2875
5	6736	4378	3368
6	7720	5018	3860
7	8706	5659	4353
8	9690	6299	4845
9	10676	6940	5339
10	11662	7581	5832

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11	12648	8222	6325
12	13634	8863	6818
13	14620	9504	7311
14	15606	10145	7804
15	16592	10786	8297
+15	+986	+641	+493
Esilesil: 200% BBCE MGI a alongolong won 100% SNAP/FPL			

Pwal ekkoch mettoch emon aramas a niit ren an epwe kettiw: Broad-Based Categorical Eligibility (BBCE) a fori pwe ekkewe famili mi kisikis nour mooni tolong nge mi watte möön ekkewe mettoch ir mi osupwangan ra pwal tufichin angei ekkewe mettoch mi mwirino me ren SNAP, pwal ekkewe famili mi wor nour mooni tolong a ekis watte seni ewe 130% FPL alongolong won ewe testin meinisin mooni tolong ika normal gross income test ra pwal tongeni fich faniten SNAP. Fan BBCE, ukukun ewe mooni tolong ika gross income mi mwumwuta a tori 200% FPL o esap wor köökun liwinin ekkewe mettoch mi auchea ewe aramas a tongeni aani ika pisekini. Lape ngeni meinisin ra tongeni fich faniten BBCE. Nge, ika emon chon eu imw esap kettiw faniten SNAP, a tufich pwe ekkewe chon lon ewe imw resap pwal kettiw faniten BBCE.

- Lon ekkewe imw ikewe chóchón ewe imw meinisin ra etiwa, are ir mi tufichin etiwa TANF are SSI alilisin mooni ika cash assistance, ra i tufichin angei SNAP. Esap lifilifil ifa me watten nour gross mooni tolong, esap pwal lifilifil ifa me watten nour net mooni tolong, esap pwal lifilifil ifa me watten auchean ekkewe mettoch ra pisekini.
- Ukukun noum net mooni tolong epwe fokkun tori 100 percent are kisitiw fan 100 percentin met ewe Federal kofemen a kan ura pwe iei wewen woungaw ika poverty guidelines. Ka tongeni silei om net mooni tolong ren om apachafengeni meinisin noumi mooni tolong lon imwemi, mwirin, ka aimwuulo liwinin ekkewe mettoch mi kettiw faniten tumwunun semirit, faniten imwemi me faniten pwal ekkoch mettoch faniten angang are pisness. Ekkewe famili mi wor aramaser mi chinlap are aramas mi ter ra niit ar repwe chok passini ewe test faniten net mooni tolong.
- Lape ngeni meinisin chon apply mi tufichin angang repwe fokkun apwonueta ekkoch mettoch lon peekin angang pwe repwe tongeni kettiw.

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- Meinin chon lon ewe imw repwe fokkun fang ngeniir nour nampan Social Security are apply faniten ar repwe angei eu nampa.

7. Nge met ika a chuen wor ai kapas ais faniten SNAP are ifa usun ai upwe apply?

Ika a pwal wor om kapas ais, kose mochen kokkori ewe Public Assistance Information System line won1-855-643-1643, are tinato ngenikem om kapas ais won ewe 'Kapas Ngenikem' form (ika taropwe) won <https://pais-benefits.dhs.hawaii.gov/>.