

Chapter Ten: Restaurant Meals Program

If an individual is 60 years of age or older, or has a disability or is homeless, and is receiving CalFresh, he or she may be eligible to use CalFresh benefits to purchase prepared meals at certified restaurants in some counties through the CalFresh Restaurant Meals Program (RMP). The RMP provides access to prepared meals for older adults, disabled, or homeless CalFresh recipients who may not have the ability or the means to store or cook food for themselves. Older adults can use their EBT card at authorized restaurants that must offer low-cost meal options. The RMP currently operates in several counties. For details about the RMP, visit www.snaprmp.org/docs/RestaurantMealsProgram.pdf



Restaurants cannot charge sales or meal taxes on foods purchased with CalFresh benefits.