

**The questions and income chart below can help you learn if you might be eligible for CalFresh (formerly known as food stamps). Only your local county can tell you for sure if you are eligible.**

- 1) Does anyone in your household have a Social Security number? . . . . . Yes/No
- 2) Is your household's gross income at or below the guidelines below? . . . . . Yes/No
- 3) Is there anyone in your household, who is age 60 or older, or who has a disability? . . . . . Yes/No

If you answered **yes** to any two of the above, you may be eligible.  
 If you answered **no**, you may still be eligible.

**Gross Monthly Income Limit for CalFresh**  
 October 1, 2012 - September 30, 2013

If you have this many persons in your household:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	+1*
Your gross monthly income is no more than:	\$1,211	\$1,640	\$2,069	\$2,498	\$2,927	\$3,356	\$3,785	\$4,214	\$429

\* Add for each additional household member

**Next Steps:**

**If you are having a hard time affording food, you should apply for CalFresh today at:**

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

**You can also call the CalFresh Information Line at 1-877-847-3663 or 1-888-9-COMIDA (1-888-926-6432), or go online at [www.calfresh.ca.gov](http://www.calfresh.ca.gov).**

**Rules Regarding Special Populations**

**SSI / SSP Recipients:** In California, people who receive SSI / SSP are not eligible for CalFresh because the benefit amount already includes money for food. However, other people living in the household who do not receive SSI / SSP may be eligible to receive CalFresh. If the SSP award is \$0, you may be eligible.

**Seniors and People with Documented Disabilities:** People age 60 or older and people with disabilities are not restricted to the gross income limits (above). They also may deduct certain expenses such as out-of-pocket medical costs and a higher amount of rent or mortgage costs.

**Immigrants:** Children of immigrants may be eligible for benefits, even if their parents do not qualify. *Using CalFresh will not affect your immigration status or the immigration status of your family.*