

HOW TO APPLY FOR SNAP

1. COMPLETE THE APPLICATION

You can either:

- Complete and submit the application online at <https://apps.state.or.us/onlineApplication/> OR
- Print it or pick-up a paper application, fill it out and turn it in or mail it to your local DHS SNAP office

If you need additional assistance, have questions about SNAP or want to grab an application, find support on your campus:

place sticker with
campus-specific info here



2. INTERVIEW WITH OREGON DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Once you have submitted your application, DHS will call to set up an interview with you.

- SNAP interviews can be conducted over the phone or in-person at the DHS office.
- If you think you missed the call from DHS please call your local office and schedule an interview appointment.

At your interview with DHS, you should be prepared to talk about the following items:

- How your education relates to your intended job after graduation.
- How many meals your meal plan pays for a week.

You have the right to advocate for yourself and your situation.

Keep in mind, you have 30 days from when you submit your application to DHS to finish your interview and turn-in all of your paperwork. If eligibility isn't determined after 30 days you will need to re-apply.



3. DETERMINE IF YOU ARE APPROVED!

If you've submitted all of the required paperwork you should find out if you are approved at the end of your interview

If you're approved, make sure to either pick-up your card from your local DHS office or request to have it mailed to you.

You can set the card pin-number (just like a debit card) at the office, over the phone or online.

SNAP benefits are disbursed once a month directly to your card. You can check your account balance by calling 1-888-997-4447 or at ebtEDGE.com.

Call 1-800-328-6715 if your card is lost.



QUESTIONS?

Reach out to us at Partners for a Hunger-Free Oregon.

Visit <https://oregonhunger.org/snap-for-students/>

Call 503-595-5501 or email snap@oregonhunger.org

