

**FOOD STAMP PROGRAM : PAYMENT ERROR RATES**

**FY 2005**

(Data as of June 30, 2008)

State/Territory	Over Payments		Under Payments		Payment Error Rate	1/
Alabama	3.25		0.43		3.68	
Alaska	5.64		0.87		6.51	
Arizona	6.02		1.59		7.61	
Arkansas	4.72		0.71		5.43	
California	4.27		2.12		6.38	
Colorado	5.02		2.40		7.42	
Connecticut	5.01		1.61		6.61	
Delaware	4.30		2.16		6.46	
Dist.of Columbia	8.21		1.69		9.89	
Florida	5.88		1.32		7.19	
Georgia	4.31		0.58		4.89	
Guam	4.08		2.12		6.20	
Hawaii	3.95		1.68		5.63	
Idaho	6.03		2.31		8.34	
Illinois	4.76		1.00		5.75	
Indiana	5.47		1.11		6.58	
Iowa	5.22		0.80		6.03	
Kansas	3.47		0.91		4.37	
Kentucky	3.57		0.99		4.56	
Louisiana	4.95	2/	0.88	2/	5.83	
Maine	6.17		1.43		7.59	
Maryland	4.03		1.45		5.49	
Massachusetts	2.91		0.97		3.88	
Michigan	5.94		1.41		7.34	
Minnesota	5.52		2.08		7.60	
Mississippi	2.02	2/	0.98	2/	3.00	
Missouri	4.00		1.09		5.10	
Montana	3.38		0.67		4.05	
Nebraska	3.65		0.80		4.45	
Nevada	2.12		0.74		2.86	
New Hampshire	4.68		1.22		5.91	
New Jersey	3.58		1.21		4.79	
New Mexico	4.98		1.01		5.99	
New York	4.90		2.33		7.23	
North Carolina	2.31		0.66		2.97	
North Dakota	2.26		1.33		3.59	
Ohio	6.96		1.69		8.65	
Oklahoma	6.62		0.81		7.42	
Oregon	4.73		0.97		5.71	
Pennsylvania	3.64		0.87		4.51	
Rhode Island	7.12		2.71		9.84	
South Carolina	4.73		0.71		5.44	
South Dakota	1.01		0.18		1.19	
Tennessee	5.28		0.73		6.01	
Texas	3.58		1.46		5.03	
Utah	3.12		1.29		4.41	
Vermont	4.61		1.03		5.64	
Virgin Islands	1.98		0.13		2.11	
Virginia	4.75		1.03		5.79	
Washington	1.67		1.05		2.72	
West Virginia	4.89		1.05		5.94	
Wisconsin	3.45		2.16		5.61	
Wyoming	5.87		1.16		7.03	
TOTAL	4.53		1.31		5.84	

1/ Due to rounding the payment error rate may not always equal the sum of the overpayment and underpayment error rate.

2/ Error rates were assigned as a result of Hurricane Katrina.