

50 YEARS SNAP

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM



Mrs. Mabel McFiggan is the first person to stand in line to make a food stamp purchase.



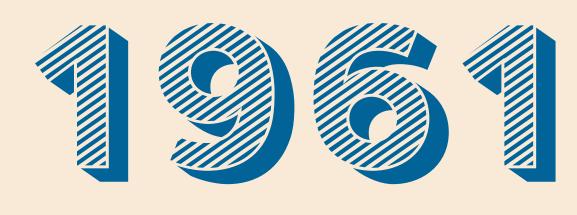
President Johnson makes the Food Stamp Program permanent by signing the Food Stamp Act.



President Carter signed the Food Stamp Act establishing national standards of eligibility and eliminating the purchase requirements.



EBT use is adopted nationwide.



President Kennedy signs his first Executive Order which initiates the food stamp pilot programs.



The Food Stamp Program expands to all 50 states and territories.



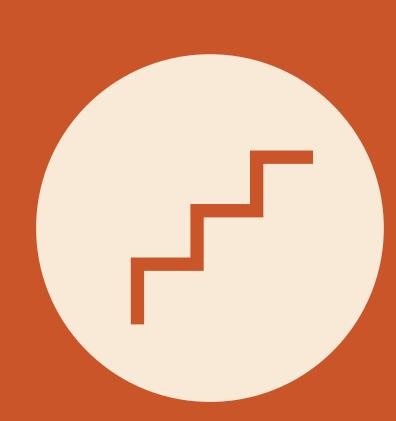
Payment using Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) begins with the first EBT transaction purchase in Reading, PA.



The Food Stamp Program is renamed the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).



KEY RESULTS



5 MILLION

According to the Census Bureau, SNAP lifted 5 million Americans, including 2.2 million children out of poverty in 2012.



96.8%

In 2013, SNAP payment accuracy was 96.8%, a historic high.



\$1=\$1.80

SNAP generates \$1.80 in economic activity for every \$1 in new SNAP benefits.



UP TO 10%

Participating in SNAP for 6 months decreased food insecurity up to 10%, including households with children.