



United States Department of Agriculture

SNAP Supports Work

Most participants who can work, do work



22%

of SNAP participants work full time, are caretakers, or participate in a training program

64%

of SNAP participants are **children, elderly** or **disabled**

14%

of SNAP participants are working less than 30 hours/week, are unemployed or are registered for work

ALSO:

About

43%

of all SNAP participants **live in households with earnings**



More than

75%

of households that include a person who is able to work **had a job in the year before or after receiving SNAP**



SOURCE:

FY14 SNAP Quality Control Data.

Carlson, Steven, Dorothy Rosenbaum, and Brynne Keith-Jennings. "Who Are the Low-Income Childless Adults Facing the Loss of SNAP in 2016?" Center on Budget and Policy Priorities. February 2016.