

FAQ

SHOPPING FOR GROCERIES ONLINE WITH YOUR SNAP BENEFITS

DID YOU KNOW? You can now use your Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits to shop online for fresh produce and groceries? Participating online stores now accept SNAP benefits for online orders and will deliver to you. Use your EBT card to shop securely for fresh produce and groceries at these participating stores in the Maryland area: [Amazon](#), [ShopRite](#), [Walmart](#), [Food Lion](#), [Giant of Maryland](#), [Martin's](#), [Aldi](#), [Weis](#) and [Safeway](#). Visit these online retailers to order your groceries online!

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Amazon

- For [Amazon.com](#) customer must add a SNAP EBT card to an Amazon account at [Amazon.com/snap-ebt](#).
- An active Amazon account is required to participate in SNAP online purchasing.
- Shop online at Amazon.com using your EBT card. Authorized food items labeled "SNAP EBT eligible only" can be purchased.
- Purchases are delivered at home. A minimum purchase amount is required.

Walmart

- For Walmart order groceries at [walmart.com/grocery](#) or on the Walmart Grocery mobile app
- During checkout, select EBT Card as the payment method.
- If you are ordering online for curbside pick-up:
 1. You will receive an email when your order is ready.
 2. Once you get the email, check in with the Walmart Grocery app to let the store know you're on the way.
 3. Follow the orange signs to the pickup area, and park in any designated spot.
 4. Store associates will bring your order to you!

ShopRite

- For ShopRite, order groceries online at ShopRite.com, or on the ShopRite mobile app.
- Pick up & delivery available.
- During checkout, select "Pay Online", then click the "Place Order" button.
- Select EBT SNAP Card as the payment method to complete checkout.

HOW DO SNAP PARTICIPANTS SIGN UP ?

- To use SNAP benefits on [Amazon.com](#), visit [Amazon.com/SNAP](#) and follow the instructions on the screen.
- For Walmart, order groceries at [walmart.com/groceries](#) or on the Walmart Grocery mobile app. During checkout, select EBT card as the payment method.
- To use SNAP benefits on ShopRite.com [click here](#).

WHEN CAN MARYLAND RESIDENTS PARTICIPATING IN SNAP BEGIN USING THEIR BENEFITS ONLINE?

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CAN SNAP PARTICIPANTS USE BENEFITS TO PAY FOR SHIPPING OR DELIVERY?

Only eligible food may be purchased with SNAP benefits; delivery fees and other associated charges may not be paid for with SNAP benefits.

HOW WILL I KNOW IF THESE RETAILERS CAN DELIVER TO MY HOME?

The best way to determine if grocery delivery is available for your location is to visit the retailer websites. The delivery zip codes available are those where retailers are able to provide their full line of groceries, which includes the ability to deliver perishable items to that area.

HOW WILL SNAP PARTICIPANTS KNOW WHICH ITEMS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR PURCHASE WITH SNAP BENEFITS?

Eligible food items have a special label "SNAP EBT eligible." This label appears after a SNAP participant adds their SNAP EBT card to their Amazon account. USDA requires all SNAP authorized retailers, including authorized online retailers, to ensure SNAP benefits are used to purchase eligible food items. For a list of eligible food items [click here](#).

WHERE CAN INTERESTED RETAILERS FIND MORE INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO BECOME AUTHORIZED TO ACCEPT SNAP BENEFITS ONLINE?

Retailers may visit the USDA website to learn more about participating in the SNAP Online Purchasing Program at

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/snap/retailer>

For More Information Visit [mydhrbenefits.dhr.state.md.us](#) or call

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