# FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS (FDPIR)
# FY 2015 NET MONTHLY INCOME STANDARDS
## (Effective October 1, 2014 to September 30, 2015)

The net monthly income standard for each household size is the sum of the applicable Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) net monthly income standard and the applicable SNAP standard deduction.

**48 Contiguous United States:** **Use this Amount**

| Household Size | SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard | | SNAP Standard Deduction | | FDPIR Net Monthly Income Standard |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | $973 | + | $155 | = | **$1,128** |
| 2 | $1,311 | + | $155 | = | **$1,466** |
| 3 | $1,650 | + | $155 | = | **$1,805** |
| 4 | $1,988 | + | $165 | = | **$2,153** |
| 5 | $2,326 | + | $193 | = | **$2,519** |
| 6 | $2,665 | + | $221 | = | **$2,886** |
| 7 | $3,003 | + | $221 | = | **$3,224** |
| 8 | $3,341 | + | $221 | = | **$3,562** |
| each additional member | | | | | + $339 |

**Alaska:** **Use this Amount**

| Household Size | SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard | | SNAP Standard Deduction | | FDPIR Net Monthly Income Standard |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | $1,215 | + | $266 | = | **$1,481** |
| 2 | $1,639 | + | $266 | = | **$1,905** |
| 3 | $2,062 | + | $266 | = | **$2,328** |
| 4 | $2,485 | + | $266 | = | **$2,751** |
| 5 | $2,909 | + | $266 | = | **$3,175** |
| 6 | $3,332 | + | $277 | = | **$3,609** |
| 7 | $3,755 | + | $277 | = | **$4,032** |
| 8 | $4,179 | + | $277 | = | **$4,456** |
| each additional member | | | | | + $424 |

**FY 2015 FDPIR Income Deductions (see 7 CFR 253.6(e))**
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| **Earned Income Deduction** | Households with earned income are allowed a deduction of 20 percent of their earned income. |
| **Dependent Care Deduction** | Households that qualify for the dependent care deduction are allowed a deduction of actual dependent care costs paid monthly to a non-household member. |
| **Child Support Deduction** | Households that incur the cost of legally required child support to or for a non-household member are allowed a deduction for the amount of monthly child support paid. |
| **Medical Expense Deduction** | Households that incur monthly medical expenses by any household member who is elderly or disabled are allowed a deduction in the amount of out-of-pocket medical expenses paid in excess of $35 per month. Allowable medical expenses are provided at 7 CFR 273.9(d)(3). |
| **Home Care Meal-Related Deduction** | Households who furnish the majority of meals for a home care attendant are allowed an income deduction equal to the maximum SNAP benefit for a one-person household. The home care meal-related deduction amounts are as follows:<br>48 Contiguous U.S. States = $194<br><br>Alaska by Area Designations<br>• Urban = $227<br>• Rural 1= $290<br>• Rural 2 = $353<br><br>See 7 CFR 272.7(b) for area designations in Alaska. |
| **Standard Shelter/Utility Expense Deduction** | Households that incur at least one monthly shelter or utility expense are allowed a standard income deduction (see chart below). Allowable shelter/utility expenses are provided at 7 CFR 273.9(d)(6)(ii). |

**FY 2015 FDPIR Standard Shelter/Utility Expense Deductions**
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**Baseline by Region***

| Region | States Currently with FDPIR Programs | Shelter/Utility Deduction |
|---|---|---|
| **Northeast/Midwest** | Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Wisconsin | $400 |
| **Southeast/Southwest** | Mississippi, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Texas | $300 |
| **Mountain Plains** | Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming | $400 |
| **West** | Alaska, Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Washington | $350 |

*If the geographic boundaries of an Indian reservation extend to more than one region per the identified regional groupings above, then a qualifying household has the option to receive the appropriate shelter/utility expense deduction amount for the State in which the household resides or the State in which the State agency's central administrative office is located.