

DCFS Approves 20,659 Households at DSNAP Sites Saturday

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**<p style="text-align: center">Highest daily total in four days since
 program launch </p>
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**<p>BATON ROUGE -- More than 20,650 households were approved for Disaster
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**Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (DSNAP) benefits on Saturday, totaling more than \$9
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**million. Saturday's one-day total
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**was the highest yet since the program began on Wednesday and was an increase from Friday's one-day total by more than
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**3,100 households and \$1.8 million in DSNAP benefits.</p>
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**<p style="text-align: left">Department of Children
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**and Family Services Secretary Suzy Sonnier said that in four days, more than
 65,297 households have been approved, totaling \$27,561,998 in DSNAP benefits.
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**<p style="text-align: left">DSNAP totals by parish
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