

DCFS Approves 17,533 Households at DSNAP Sites Friday

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**id="OBJ_PREFIX_DWT147">Friday's total was highest in the three days since program
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**<p>BATON ROUGE -- More than 17,500 households were approved for
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**Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (DSNAP) benefits on Friday, totaling more than \$7.1
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**million. Friday's one-day total
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was an increase from <span class="Object"

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**one-day total by more than 3,000 households and \$1.1 million in DSNAP
 benefits.</p>
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**<p>Department of Children and Family Services
 Secretary Suzy Sonnier said that in three days, more than 44,638 households have
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**been approved, totaling \$18,551,952 in DSNAP benefits. </p>
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**<p>DSNAP totals by parish for the three days
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