

Commodity Supplemental Food Program (Stockbox)

Our Work

The Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) is designed to improve the health of low-income adults at least 60 years of age. CSPF works by supplementing people's diets with a monthly box of nutritious foods from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

CSFP's food package (Stockbox) is available to seniors with income at or below 150% federal poverty level. The Stockbox includes about \$70 worth of nutritious food and quarterly nutrition education.



19.2%

of Wisconsinites are 65 and older and more than half are living in poverty.



\$6 million

worth of food was distributed in Wisconsin by CSFP in FY24.



154,112

CSFP food boxes were distributed to Wisconsin households in FY24.

Funding

CSFP is administered by Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), an agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). The USDA distributes food and administrative funds to participating State agencies. Wisconsin CSFP operates solely under federal funds.

Priorities

Increasing access to nutritious food

CSFP works to provide nutritious food to all Wisconsinites who qualify, regardless of geographic location.

Supporting partners

CSFP funds nine local partner agencies to administer the program across Wisconsin in 56 counties.

Meeting seniors' needs

CSFP partners operate 225 food distribution sites such as senior housing developments, senior centers, and drive-thru locations.

Impact

Leveraging federal resources for Wisconsin

CSFP distributed over \$6 million worth of food to low-income Wisconsinites over age 60 from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024.

Providing nutrition and value

Stockboxes are a good source of nutrients typically lacking in the diets of adults 60 and older, helping seniors age healthfully.

Healthier Wisconsin seniors

Every month, on average, 12,843 Wisconsin seniors who qualify for assistance receive a box of nutritious foods through CSFP.

Looking ahead

CSFP and partners across the state are committed to serving older Wisconsin adults. CSFP hopes to expand statewide to make this monthly food program available in all Wisconsin counties.