



D-SNAP

Helping Texans Recover During a Disaster

Proper Use of Disaster Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (D-SNAP) Benefits

D-SNAP is a short-term solution for families recovering from disaster that helps them purchase food. The Office of Inspector General (OIG) fights fraud, waste and abuse in Texas health and human services programs. The OIG aggressively investigates incidents of D-SNAP fraud.

Misusing the benefit can lead to a 10-year disqualification from the SNAP program, financial penalties and/or being charged with a felony.

HOW TO PROPERLY APPLY FOR D-SNAP:

- Apply at only one location.
- Must be a Texas resident.
- Use your own identity.
- Provide accurate information on your application:
 - * Correctly report income.
 - * Honestly describe the makeup of your household.
 - * Accurately state your resources.

EXAMPLES OF D-SNAP MISUSE:

- Using or trading D-SNAP to purchase items like gasoline, tobacco or alcohol.
- Buying or selling D-SNAP:
 - * Posting it for sale on social media.
 - * Providing D-SNAP to a cashier in exchange for items in a store.
 - * Selling D-SNAP in exchange for money.



Contact the Office of Inspector General to report D-SNAP fraud:

1-800-436-6184

211 Texas: Dial 2-1-1, select your language, then choose Option 3.

Website: oig.hhsc.texas.gov/report-fraud