

# **Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program** **(SNAP)**

Age Requirements

18 and over

Available 24/7

No

Other Eligibility Criteria

Must be a resident of Chesterfield County or Colonial Heights.

Must meet eligibility requirements.

Intake Contact Email

local041@chesterfield.gov

Intake Process

Call or visit the office for more information. You can also apply at CommonHelp

Self Refer

Yes

Chesterfield Department of Social Services

<https://www.chesterfield.gov/569/Social-Services>

<https://www.chesterfield.gov/686/Supplemental-Nutrition-Assistance-Progra>

Main

(804) 748-1100

Toll-Free

(888) 832-3858

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Fee Structure

No Fee

Languages Spoken

English

Chesterfield-Colonial Heights Department of Social Services participates in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), formerly known as Food

Stamps. SNAP benefits are electronic benefits that can be used like cash to buy food at any store that has a sign displaying the Quest logo or a picture of the Virginia Electronic Transfer Benefit card. The program is designed to help prevent hunger and malnutrition by ensuring a better diet for a low-income household. It is not designed to supply all food needs, only to supplement them.

Each eligible household will receive a card that may be used like a bank debit card to purchase eligible food items from your account. Plants and seeds to grow a garden can also be purchased.

The Food Stamp Program is administered by the US Department of Agriculture and is operated on local levels in Virginia. With food stamps, you can also purchase seeds to grow a garden.

Residents can now apply for Social Services benefits online: [Click here](#) to apply online at the Virginia CommonHelp website.

Service Area(s)

Chesterfield County

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