

# Background

## Historical SNAP Timeliness

2004 - 2006	Applications % Timely	Recertifications % Timely
Jan-04	97.3%	97.6%
Feb-04	97.5%	97.7%
Mar-04	97.7%	97.7%
Apr-04	97.5%	98.0%
May-04	97.3%	98.1%
Jun-04	97.1%	97.5%
Jul-04	96.8%	98.4%
Aug-04	97.0%	98.2%
Sep-04	97.0%	98.3%
Oct-04	96.3%	98.3%
Nov-04	96.8%	97.6%
Dec-04	96.4%	97.5%
Jan-05	96.0%	98.1%
Feb-05	97.0%	98.2%
Mar-05	97.2%	98.2%
Apr-05	97.2%	98.5%
May-05	96.7%	98.2%
Jun-05	96.6%	98.1%
Jul-05	95.6%	98.2%
Aug-05	95.0%	97.4%
Sep-05	95.7%	96.3%
Oct-05	93.5%	97.3%
Nov-05	93.1%	97.5%
Dec-05	94.6%	94.6%
Jan-06	93.8%	94.7%
Feb-06	94.2%	96.5%
Mar-06	92.4%	95.3%
Apr-06	92.1%	95.3%
May-06	90.1%	92.2%
Jun-06	86.7%	91.2%
Jul-06	82.4%	90.3%
Aug-06	83.1%	90.1%
Sep-06	80.4%	91.4%
Oct-06	81.1%	91.1%
Nov-06	83.8%	93.2%
Dec-06	83.9%	91.7%

2007 - 2009	Applications % Timely	Recertifications % Timely
Jan-07	84.6%	91.7%
Feb-07	86.5%	92.6%
Mar-07	89.6%	93.4%
Apr-07	91.8%	95.2%
May-07	93.1%	96.0%
Jun-07	92.5%	96.2%
Jul-07	92.4%	95.7%
Aug-07	91.1%	95.7%
Sep-07	87.9%	96.1%
Oct-07	85.9%	94.8%
Nov-07	85.6%	95.6%
Dec-07	84.4%	94.7%
Jan-08	83.1%	93.9%
Feb-08	82.4%	94.2%
Mar-08	82.9%	93.4%
Apr-08	84.6%	94.3%
May-08	86.2%	92.9%
Jun-08	87.8%	93.1%
Jul-08	89.3%	94.3%
Aug-08	89.3%	95.6%
Sep-08	90.4%	95.3%
Oct-08	60.8%	93.2%
Nov-08	55.1%	92.5%
Dec-08	80.8%	88.4%
Jan-09	80.8%	89.6%
Feb-09	77.9%	83.6%
Mar-09	76.4%	80.1%
Apr-09	78.7%	85.0%
May-09	73.4%	78.5%
Jun-09	66.6%	65.6%
Jul-09	62.8%	65.3%
Aug-09	61.3%	64.6%
Sep-09	58.6%	68.9%
Oct-09	58.8%	70.1%