

California Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

Estimated Percent of Eligible Population Enrolled

County	Estimated Percent Enrolled	County	Estimated Percent Enrolled
Statewide	82%		
Alameda	95%	Orange	Approx. 100%
Alpine	*	Placer	57%
Amador	*	Plumas	*
Butte	56%	Riverside	66%
Calaveras	*	Sacramento	48%
Colusa	81%	San Benito	Approx. 100%
Contra Costa	77%	San Bernardino	65%
Del Norte	64%	San Diego	89%
El Dorado	55%	San Francisco	Approx. 100%
Fresno	67%	San Joaquin	70%
Glenn	54%	San Luis Obispo	65%
Humboldt	52%	San Mateo	Approx. 100%
Imperial	69%	Santa Barbara	91%
Inyo	*	Santa Clara	90%
Kern	89%	Santa Cruz	97%
Kings	69%	Shasta	60%
Lake	56%	Sierra	*
Lassen	*	Siskiyou	49%
Los Angeles	95%	Solano	75%
Madera	64%	Sonoma	82%
Marin	63%	Stanislaus	63%
Mariposa	*	Sutter	71%
Mendocino	67%	Tehama	57%
Merced	77%	Trinity	*
Modoc	*	Tulare	73%
Mono	*	Tuolumne	*
Monterey	Approx. 100%	Ventura	83%
Napa	79%	Yolo	66%
Nevada	76%	Yuba	70%

Methodology

- Estimates developed in January 2005 using data for April 2003.
- Numerator - Certified WIC participants enrolled.
- Denominator - WIC eligible population based on 2000 Census income data at 185 percent poverty level, updated with 2002 California Department of Finance personal income estimates.
- 2002 annual income compared to 2003 poverty level using average county family size.
- Participants assigned to county based on WIC center location where they receive services.
- Estimated pregnant mothers counted as two persons.

* In 12 counties, population is so sparse that data are not meaningful.