



Pandemic-EBT (P-EBT) To Help Families Buy Healthy Food

Pandemic-EBT (P-EBT) is now available to help families afford healthy food for their children. P-EBT is additional money for families to buy food due to COVID-19 related school closures.



Who is eligible for (P-EBT)?

Families with children who receive free or reduced-price school meals.

Families with children who attend schools where all students get free meals under the National School Lunch Program.



How much money is available?

Children eligible for free and reduced-price meals as of March will receive a total of \$302.10.

Children that became eligible for free and reduced-price meals in April will receive \$239.40.

Use P-EBT in addition to grab-and-go meal sites to meet your children's food needs.



How will funds be made available?

If you are on SNAP (food stamps) funds will be added to your Ohio Direction Card

If you are not on SNAP, you will get a P-EBT card for EACH eligible child.



When will cards be issued?

Cards should be issued by June 30, 2020.



How are the cards activated?

Call the phone number on the back of the card and follow the prompts

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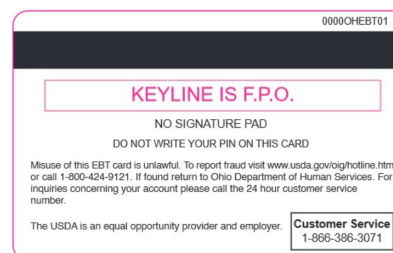
When asked to enter the last 4 digits
of the child's social security number

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enter the child's birth year.



What do the cards look like?



Where can I find additional information?

Additional information is available at OhioPEBT.org or by calling 1-866-244-0071.

The Legal Aid Society of Columbus and Southeastern Ohio Legal Services
provide free legal services for low-income Ohioans and seniors. Help is available by calling:

614.241.2001 (Central Ohio) Monday-Friday 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

740.383.2161 and 888.301.2411 (Delaware, Marion, Morrow & Union counties)
Monday-Friday 8:30-noon and 1-4:30 p.m.

800.686.3669 (Southeastern Ohio) Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. –12:30 p.m. or 1-5 p.m.

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