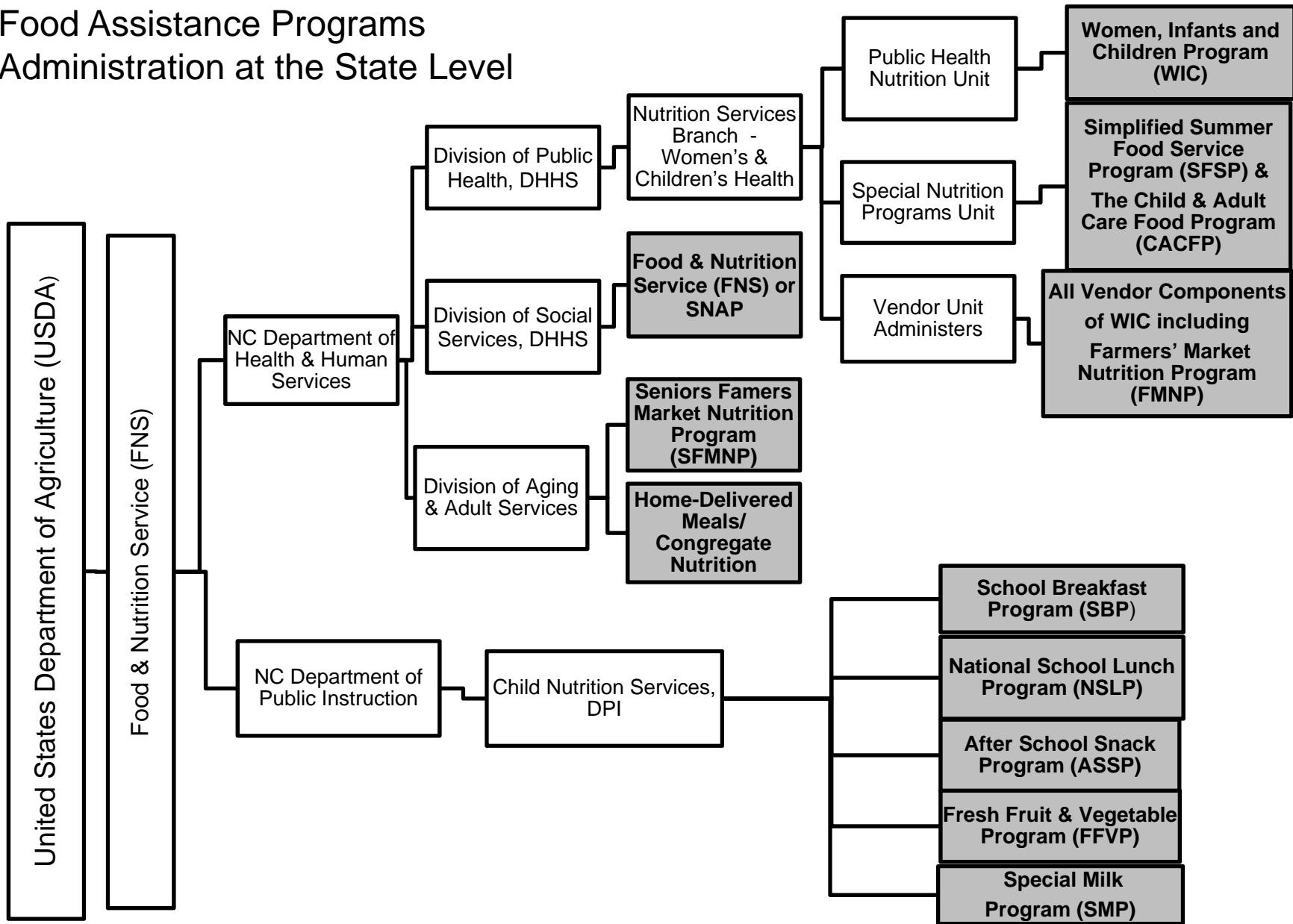


Food Assistance Programs Administration at the State Level



Program	Description	Benefit
Food & Nutrition Service (FNS) Formerly SNAP	Households with gross income at or below 130% of the FPL (can vary by state) and net income at or below 100% of the FPL with limited assets.	Electronic benefit cards to purchase groceries; monthly benefit size varies according to household size and income.
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC)	Pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women and their infants and children up to age 5 with household income below 185% of the FPL.	Checks, vouchers, or electronic benefit transfer cards to purchase specific items in food packages that vary by age of children and status of mother.
Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (FMNP)	Coupons available for WIC-eligible pregnant and postpartum women, breastfeeding women and children 3 to 4 years old to obtain fresh fruits and vegetables at local farmers' markets.	
The Child & Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)	Ensures that eligible children and adults (children age 12 or under, children of migrant workers age 15 or under, children 12 - 18 years of age if enrolled in an "At-Risk" program, mentally/physically disabled persons if the majority of enrollees are 18 or under, chronically impaired disabled adults 18 years of age or older, adults 60 years of age receiving non-residential care) who attend qualifying non-residential care facilities receive nutritious meals.	CACFP reimburses meal costs of provider.
Simplified Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)	Provides meals and snacks to low-income children during summer break and when schools are closed for vacation. Designed to encourage more school food authorities (SFAs) to provide meals during vacation periods. Reduces paperwork and administrative burden making it easier for SFAs to feed children in low-income areas during the traditional summer vacation periods and, for year-round schools, school vacation periods longer than 10 school days.	SFSP reimburses meal costs of provider.
Seniors Farmers Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP)	Coupons available for low-income older adults to obtain fresh fruits and vegetables at local farmers' markets.	
Home-Delivered Meals/ Congregate Nutrition Programs	Provides nutritious meals, typically lunch, to older adults. Home-delivered meal participants must be homebound.	Program reimburses meal costs of provider.
National School Lunch Program (NSLP) / School Breakfast Program (SBP)	Lunch is available in nearly all public and many private schools; breakfast is available in some schools. Meals are free if family income is below 130% of the FPL; reduced price if income is below 185%.	NSLP reimburses schools for meal costs.
After School Snack Program (ASSP)	Helps schools serve snacks to children in afterschool activities aimed at promoting the health and well-being of children and youth in our communities.	NSLP reimburses schools for costs.
Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program (FFVP)	Provides all children in participating schools with a variety of free fresh fruits and vegetables throughout the school day.	FFVP encourages schools to develop partnerships at the State and local level for support in implementing and operating the program.
Special Milk Program (SMP)	Provides milk to children in schools and childcare institutions that do not participate in other Federal child nutrition meal service programs.	SMP reimburses schools for the milk they serve.