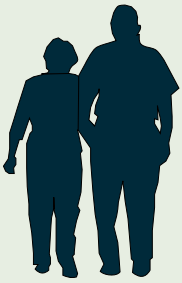


Celebrating 50 Years of the Older Americans Act Nutrition Program



SOUTH CAROLINA BENEFITS

For 50 years, the Older Americans Act (OAA) Nutrition Program has ensured older adults have affordable and nutritious meals. The program promotes socialization and reduces food insecurity.



In South Carolina:

- Nearly 25,200 older adults receive meals.¹
- An estimated 2.9 million meals are served each year.²



The OAA Nutrition Program is available to more than 1.2 million people ages 60+ in South Carolina.³

An estimated 9.3 percent of older adults in South Carolina are food insecure.⁴



South Carolina receives nearly \$9 million⁵ to provide services through 101 local programs.⁶

Nationally, the vast majority of participants say the program improves their health and independence.⁷



Need Support?

To find nutrition services for older adults in South Carolina, go to www.aging.sc.gov/nutrition or call 1-800-868-9095.

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