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## Purpose/Overview

- The purpose of this study is to learn about new ways to help families provide food for their children. Mathematica Policy Research is conducting the study for the U.S. Department of Agriculture.
- We are testing five projects located in three states and two tribal nations.
- We will use study data to:
  - See if these projects help households feed their children.
  - Better understand how to help families feed their children.

## How It Works

Households with children eligible for these projects can also take part in the study. If you agree to be in the study, you will be asked to take a phone survey. The survey will ask about your household's food-related experiences. This includes shopping for food and



taking part in nutrition programs. We will also collect data about you from the project. The data will include information such as the benefits you may receive.

You will receive a letter when the study starts. You will receive \$30 if you complete the phone survey. You will also be asked to do up to two more phone surveys. You will receive the thank-you payment for each survey that your household completes.

You can choose not to be in the study. It will not affect the nutrition assistance or other services that you or your household receives.

## Timeline

- The first survey will start in early Fall 2015. It will include about 26,500 parents/guardians across the five projects.
- The second survey will start about one year later.
- Some parents/guardians will be asked to take part in a third survey. The third survey will start about six months after the second survey.

## Confidentiality

- Mathematica has strict rules to protect the security of all study data.
- We will keep private your responses to the survey questions.

