

December 2025 Monthly Newsletter

FMNP/SFMNP State Plan

TEFAP ordering for Q2 PY26 catalogs is open and closes on December 10, 2026. CSFP ordering has started, with deliveries scheduled for Q2 2026.

For more information, click here.

New Resources on SquareMeals

The CSFP list of participating organizations and state plan are now posted under the Resources for CSFP tab here.

TDA recently submitted the updated CSFP state plan to USDA to report on program operations and to request an increase in caseload. Once approved, the new state plan will be posted in the same location to replace the previous year's plan.

The TEFAP list of participating organizations and state plan are now posted under the Resources for TEFAP tab here.

The TEFAP state plan is only updated when there is a significant change to program operations.

USDA Foods Ordering Updates

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Click here to view the full article.

Annual Civil Rights Training Update

The Texas Department of Agriculture's (TDA) Food and Nutrition Division now has an online Civil Rights Training course available on SquareMeals. Participants will receive a certificate upon successful completion of the course.

To access the Civil Rights Training Information, visit the Annual Civil Rights Training page.

Join us for the December TANS Talk!

Mark your calendar for Thursday, December 11 from 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. (CST)!

TANS Talk is an office hours session that will allow Organizations (formally known as Contracting Entities) to review TANS related updates. We are excited to share all of the new updates about this platform and answer any questions.

How to Participate in TANS Talk:

Use this TANS Talk Feedback Form to submit any TANS questions you would like to see reviewed during the call. We will cover guestions received at least 48 hours prior to the call, allowing our team time to prepare for the meeting. Visit the **TANS** homepage and **Resources** page for access to past TANS Talks, updates, trainings, and more.





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