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Good reasons to #getSNAP

There are many good reasons for seniors to enroll in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Eating better, financial security, family. During Hunger Action Month, share our #getSNAP images to spread the word!

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Apply to become a Benefits Enrollment Center

NCOA's Center for Benefits Access has released a new Request for Proposals inviting organizations to become Benefits Enrollment Centers (BECs). BECs help low-income people with Medicare apply for and enroll in a set of core benefits. Up to 8 grants of \$100,000 each will be awarded in 2016.

[Find out how to apply](#)

Tell Congress to "Raise the Caps" to invest in aging services

NCOA is part of a new "Raise the Caps" campaign to urge Congress to end the threat of sequester and allow investments in important programs for Americans' safety and security. Starting Sept. 10, tell Congress, the press, and your social media followers what cuts in programs for seniors will mean.

[Join the effort](#) | [Learn about pending cuts](#) | [Email Congress now](#)

Coming up...

- **Senior Center Month: Engaging with Boomers+:** Get strategies for creating and promoting baby boomer programs, making community connections, and mobilizing 50+ volunteers. *Sept. 10 @ 1:30 p.m. ET*
- **Suicide Prevention and Older Adults:** Learn the risk factors for suicide among seniors and strategies for prevention. *Sept. 17 @ 2:30 p.m. ET*

Did you miss this?

- **Falls Free® Video Contest:** Submit your positive videos of older adults engaged in falls prevention activities. Deadline is Nov. 2.
- **SNAP Best Practices Handbook:** See best practices in enrolling eligible seniors into the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).

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