

ERS Peer Review Plan

Preliminary Title:	Household Food Security in the United States in 2024		
Type of Report (ERR, EIB, EB)	ERR		
Agency:	Economic Research Service USDA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Influential Scientific Information <input type="checkbox"/> Highly Influential Scientific Assessment	
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Subject of Review:	This report updates national statistics on food security in calendar year 2024, household food spending, and the use of Federal food and nutrition assistance by food-insecure households. It uses data collected in the December 2024 Current Population Survey Food Security Supplement (CPS-FSS), the 30th annual survey in the Nation's food security monitoring system. Additional statistics (including the prevalence of food insecurity during the 30 days before the food security survey by household characteristics, the frequency of food-insecure conditions, and the use of Federal and community nutrition assistance) are available in the Statistical Supplement to this report (Rabbitt et al., 2025).		
Purpose of Review:	The purpose of the review is to ensure the high-quality of the economic analysis, transparent explanation of methods, objective interpretation of results, and effective communication to the intended audience.		
Type of Review:	<input type="checkbox"/> Panel Review <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual Reviewers <input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Process (Briefly Explain):		
Timing of Review (Est.):	Start: 6/27/2025	Completed:	
Number of Reviewers:	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 or fewer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4 to 10	<input type="checkbox"/> More than 10
Primary Disciplines/Types of Expertise Needed for Review:	Economists		
Reviewers selected by:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Designated Outside Organization	
Opportunities for Public Comment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
If yes, briefly state how and when these opportunities will be provided:			
How:			
When:			
Peer Reviewers Provided with Public Comments?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Public Nominations Requested for Review Panel?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	