

## Household Expenditures for Food at Home: 2008-2009

Area	Average annual amount spent for food at home	Percentage of total expenditures
<b>United States</b>	<b>\$3,749</b>	<b>7.5</b>
<b>Northeast</b>	<b>\$4,032</b>	<b>7.4</b>
Boston	4,905	8.3
New York	4,066	6.7
Philadelphia	3,805	6.7
<b>South</b>	<b>\$3,488</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Washington, D.C.	4,160	6.0
Miami	3,741	7.9
Houston	3,649	6.2
Dallas-Fort Worth	3,600	6.7
Baltimore	3,300	6.3
Atlanta	2,717	5.9
<b>Midwest</b>	<b>\$3,605</b>	<b>7.6</b>
Chicago	4,250	7.5
Detroit	3,944	8.0
Minneapolis-St. Paul	3,942	7.0
Cleveland	3,642	7.9
<b>West</b>	<b>\$4,081</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Los Angeles	4,260	7.5
Seattle	4,596	7.0
San Francisco	4,280	6.3
San Diego	3,644	6.8
Phoenix	3,596	6.7

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics