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The DSNAP deadline in Ascension, Jefferson, Lafourche, Livingston, Orleans and St. John the Baptist parishes is September 11. The deadline for Plaquemines, St. Bernard and St. Tammany parishes is September 12.</p><p>DSNAP sites in each parish will serve applicants on a staggered alphabetic schedule. To minimize wait times, applicants and anyone who pre-applied for benefits should go to a DSNAP location only on the day indicated by the first letter of their last name.</p><p>For times and locations of DSNAP sites in each parish, visit <a href="http://lra.louisiana.gov/action.cfm?md=emaillist&task=addMessageClickThru& encoded=1&redirect=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.dcfs.la.gov">www.dcfs.la.gov</a>.</p>