



# Washington



## Fresh Fruit and Vegetable State Profile



Fresh Produce

### Economic Impact:



**\$12.8B**

Total sales



**5M**

Total acres of fresh produce



**141K**

Total employees



**32K**

Total farms

### Opportunities to Increase Fruit and Vegetable Consumption:

**87.75%**

of adults across Washington are not meeting the Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommendations for fruit and vegetable consumption

**\$156.3M**

in vouchers for participants in the Women, Infants and Children program (WIC)



**\$6.7B**

Total wages

**\$770M**

Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

**\$0.8M**

Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

**\$19.82**

State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

**25.2%**

AEWR aggregate % increase over the last 5 years



Farm Bill Investments in

### Fruits and Vegetables:

**\$4.9M**

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to schools annually

**\$1.1B**

Organic production (\$)

**\$2.9M**

Pest and Disease Grants

**\$41M**

Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

**135K**

Organic production volume (acres)

**\$4.9M**

Specialty Crop Block Grants