

2007 average family living expenses for farms enrolled in the North Dakota Farm Business Management Education Program

Family Living Expenses		Percent of Total Expense
Food	\$ 7,159	14
Shelter, supplies, furnishings	7,339	14
Clothing	1,939	4
Medical care and health insurance	9,131	18
Vehicle operation and purchase	6,541	13
Utilities	2,310	5
Education	1,642	3
Contributions and gifts	3,097	6
Personal purchase and recreation	7,838	15
Life and other personal insurance	1,674	3
Non-farm interest expense	1,112	2
Other	1,385	3
Total	\$ 51,167	100