In 2021, Nebraska Extension (NE) completed a follow-up to their 2017 and 2019 NebNEMS* survey of Lincoln food stores. This point-in-time survey recorded the availability of healthy food options (fruits with no added sugar, vegetables with no added sauce, lean protein, low-fat dairy, and whole grains) in 214 stores. This map shows (in red) the neighborhoods where fewer options exist to access healthy food. In recent years, this information has been used for targeted geographic interventions, such as Lincoln Fresh mobile distributions, school markets, and NE programming, to address healthy food access disparities.

* Nebraska Nutrition Environment Measures Survey

Data Source: Nebraska Extension
Map: Urban Development Department, City of Lincoln