Feed Your Friends and Neighbors Safely



Do you want to help feed people in need?

Here's how you can safely help in the community.

Food you can share without registering as a food bank or pantry:



Whole, uncut produce.



Dry goods.



Canned goods.



Commercially packaged food—no refrigeration needed.

You need to be a registered food bank or pantry if you:



Cut or prepare produce.



Unpackage ready-to-eat food.



Need to keep food hot or cold.



Cook or heat food.

Work with existing organizations:



- · Volunteer at a food bank or pantry.
- Ask your local food bank or pantry what they need and what kind of food you can donate.
- Organize a food drive for a local food bank or pantry.
- Reach out to schools and ask to donate food or volunteer your time.

Or you can create your own food bank or pantry.

Registration is free, but you need to apply to become a nonprofit organization.

Learn more at tpchd.org/food.

