CENTRAL TEXAS FOOD BANK

MPACT REPORT 2023 - 2024

FOOD DISTRIBUTED

This year, we distributed over 74 million pounds of food, including a remarkable 26.6 million pounds of fresh produce, nourishing communities across Central Texas.



26.6M pounds of produce

74M pounds of nutritious

food

Our network of more than **250 partner** agencies and distribution programs serves a 21-county service area.



Our work wouldn't be possible without our volunteers. Last year, more than **26,000 volunteers** donated more than 130,000 hours of their time in our warehouse, kitchen, garden, office and out at Mobile Food Pantries.

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FEEDING HOPE

- 85.7% of our food was rescued or donated, supporting sustainable access to meals.
- We distributed over 74 million pounds of food – equivalent to 61.7 million meals.
- 26.6 million pounds of fresh produce reached Central Texans in need.
- 14.3% of our food was purchased, made possible by donor support.
- Community food drives supplied 13.9% of our food, showing the power of community action.
- 22.1% of our food came from the USDA, a critical source of support.
- 1.24% of our food came from partner food banks, reinforcing our shared mission.

FEEDING

Central Texas Food Bank is proud to be part of the Feeding Texas and Feeding America networks, connecting us to a nationwide effort to end hunger.



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SERVING NEIGHBORS

Every day, thousands of Central Texans turn to the CTFB for support in times of need. With your help, we're closing the meal gap and creating a stronger, more food-secure community.

With your support, CTFB served an average of **415,776 people each mont**h — about **93,000 each week** — in 2023.

Feeding America estimates that more than **537,000 people** in our service area face food insecurity. Together, we've closed 75% of the meal gap, bringing us closer to a hunger-free Central Texas

INVESTING IN HOPE

100% of donations fuel our programs, earning CTFB a 4-star rating from Charity Navigator.

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FEEDING FUTURES TOGETHER

This year, CTFB launched the Feeding Futures School Pantry program, expanding partnerships with school districts to establish food pantries on K-12 campuses. These pantries provide children and families with fresh, nutritious food in a familiar, accessible location their child's school – removing the transportation barriers many families face when seeking food assistance. With a market-style setup, families can select foods that best meet their unique needs. Since the first pantry opened in January 2024, the program has distributed over 75,000 meals through eight school pantries, supporting students and their families where they are.

OUR PROGRAMS

Partner Agencies: 251 agencies distributed over 59.5M lbs of food to 415,776 people monthly

Mobile Food Pantry: 4.3M lbs of food distributed via 848 distributions

Home Delivery: 949K lbs of food delivered directly to homes

Senior Programs (HOPE & CSFP): 1.96M lbs of food distributed to seniors

K-12 School Pantries: 75K lbs of food served to students at 8 schools

College Pantries: 350K lbs of food distributed at 8 college sites

After-School Meals: 92K meals provided to children after school at 32 sites

Summer Food Service Program (SFSP): 117K summer meals served to 2,755 children at 92 sites

Backpack Program: 6,447 packs distributed at 13 sites

Social Services: 2,448 SNAP applications submitted, supporting 2M+ meals

Onsite Pantry: 19,363 people served with 225K lbs of food

Nutrition Education: 678 classes taught, reaching 11.6K people

Garden Education: 4 classes taught, reaching 76 people. 23K lbs of fresh produce grown

Military Communities: 436K lbs of food distributed to military families

Mobile FARMacy: 297K lbs of food distributed via 230 events

Marshalling Yard Partnership: 52K meals provided through City of Austin emergency shelter

Culinary Training Program: 18 graduates with a 89% job placement rate

Disaster Response: 29K lbs of food provided at 9 distributions for emergency relief