

FAIRFIELD COUNTY

2010 "Because No One Should Go Hungry" Report



Mid-Ohio Foodbank

In 2010, Mid-Ohio Foodbank agencies responded to more requests for food than ever before

HUNGER.

IT'S INCREASING, IT'S EVIDENT, & IT'S EVERYWHERE. ESPECIALLY WITH TODAY'S STRUGGLING ECONOMY, IT'S A COMMUNITY ISSUE BELONGING TO ALL OF US.

"We can't wave a magic wand and eliminate hunger, but we can help hungry people in their time of need. By standing with our partner agencies and friends, we are making a difference in individual lives and investing in the potential and long-term viability of our own communities."

Matt Habash, CEO
Mid-Ohio Foodbank

Referring Agency

- ◆ United Way

Fairfield County Commissioners

Steve Davis - Mike Kiger - Judith Shupe

FAIRFIELD COUNTY County Seat – Lancaster

- ◆ Population – **143,712**
- ◆ Total Persons Living Below Poverty Level – **18,827 (13%)**
 - Children 0 – 17 / **20.9%**
 - Seniors 65 + / **6.6%**

Source: U.S. Census Bureau,
American Community Survey, 2009

- ◆ Requests at Food Pantries – **101,278**
 - Children 0 – 17 / **34%**
 - Seniors 60 + / **14%**
- ◆ Food Served at Meal Sites – **199,299 meals**
- ◆ Food Supplied by Mid-Ohio Foodbank to Fairfield County Partner Agencies – **2,173,535 pounds**
- ◆ Fresh Produce Supplied by Mid-Ohio Foodbank to Fairfield County Partner Agencies – **694,406 pounds**

Source: Mid-Ohio Foodbank, 2010

Mid-Ohio Foodbank and Fairfield County Partner Agencies:

Working Together to Feed Our Neighbors

Mid-Ohio Foodbank

Supplies food to more than 500 food pantries, soup kitchens, shelters, after school programs and senior housing sites in 20 counties in central and eastern Ohio.

Fairfield County Agencies

Amanda Presbyterian Church Food Pantry
Anlee Residential Services
CIA-Compassion in Action/Eagle Rock
Fairfield County Meals on Wheels
Fairhaven-Fairfield Mission Shelter
Foundation Dinners
Lancaster Fairfield CAP
Lancaster Vineyard Church Pantry
Lighthouse, Inc.
Luthern Social Services/Lancaster
Maywood Mission
New Hope A/G Food Pantry
New Life Christian Center Food Pantry
Outreach Mission Pantry
PCMA Food Pantry of Pickerington
Salvation Army Lancaster
St. Vincent DePaul Society Lancaster
Victory Center Lancaster Pantry

Hungry People

- Children
- Families
- Seniors
- Veterans
- Disabled

Mid-Ohio Foodbank is dedicated to feeding hungry people by collecting and distributing food and grocery products, educating the community about hunger, advocating for hunger-relief programs, and collaborating with others who address basic human needs.

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