FEEDING SAN DIEGO

Vision

A hunger-free and healthy San Diego

Mission

Connect every person facing hunger with nutritious meals by maximizing food rescue

Why It Matters

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Before COVID-19, 1 in 8 people in San Diego County faced hunger, including 1 in 6 children. Now, the need has surged by 50%.

People We Serve

Children



Seniors

The consequences of hunger

on individuals, families, and the

community are devastating.





40% of all food produced is wasted,

and food waste is responsible for 8% of

global greenhouse gas emissions.

What We Do & Our Impact



Feeding San Diego provides more than 31.2 million meals to people facing hunger through a decentralized rescue and distribution network.

We distribute meals in partnership with more than 320 local charities, schools, faith communities, meal sites, and food pantries.



RESCUE

Feeding San Diego rescues high-quality food before it goes to waste from over 600 locations in San Diego County and over 225 farms and packing sheds throughout California. By diverting more than 27.6 million pounds of food from the landfill we saved 24,578 metric tons of CO₂ equivalent from being emitted into the atmosphere.



Our impact is achieved through the success of our diverse food rescue and distribution network and by uniting and mobilizing 10,000 volunteers, 19,300 donors, more than 55 staff, and the community. Together, we are Feeding San Diego.

Our Initiatives

FEEDING KIDS

We serve children and youth through School Pantry, After School and Summer Meals, and Agency Partner programs.

FEEDING FAMILIES

We serve families through Mobile Pantry, College Partnership, and Agency Partner programs.

FEEDING SENIORS

We serve seniors through Mobile Pantry and Agency Partner programs.

FEEDING HEROES

We serve military families and veterans through School Pantry, Mobile Pantry, and Agency Partner programs.

FEEDING EXCELLENCE

We further support the community through CalFresh Outreach, Agency Capacity Building, Healthcare Partnerships, and Advocacy.



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GIVE FUNDS

GIVE TIME

GIVE VOICE

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