Fighting hunger in Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover, and Pender counties.
THE NEED IN THE WILMINGTON BRANCH SERVICE AREA

• In the four counties served by the Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina at Wilmington, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic means 93,950 people may face hunger.
• 27,320 are children.
• 24,735 seniors live at or below the poverty level

PROGRAMS

• Children’s Programs
• Community Health & Engagement
• Federal Nutrition Programs
• Food Distribution

HOW YOU CAN HELP

• Donate money: For every $1 donated, five meals is provided.
• Donate time: Volunteer as an individual or with a group.
• Donate food: Hold a food drive or host a virtual food drive.

WILMINGTON FAST FACTS

• In fiscal year 2019-2020, the Wilmington Branch distributed 10,703,067 pounds of food and partnered with a network of 98 agencies (including food pantries, shelters, soup kitchens, and group homes).
• This equates to 8,919,223 meals for those in need.
• Volunteers donated 9,000 hours.

EFFICIENCY

• 97% of every dollar goes to food and food programs.

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