

UW Aiken FY2023 Logic Model – Golden Harvest Food Bank

Input	Activity	Output	Outcome
<p>GHFB staffing required: to acquire donated and purchased food; and arrange for and facilitate delivery to Aiken Distribution Center on Capital Dr. from Augusta and from Columbia; to form collaborations with partner agencies, making them aware of grocery products available, arranging for and facilitating the selection, pickup by or delivery to them; to monitor their activities in distributing the food; to communicate and interact with the public to make them aware of services and to solicit support by donations of time, money and in-kind products & services; to acquire funding, gather data and do reporting. Other inputs include grocery products to be distributed; trucks to pick up and deliver food; warehouse equipment, racking and refrigeration to move and store products according to food handling and safety standards.</p>	<p>GHFB will work with more than 29 partner agencies and programs to distribute adequate food to Aiken County's hunger population through on-site feeding programs, food pantries, manna truck distributions, the Senior Box program and the Backpack program.</p>	<p>Feeding America, the nation's food bank network (from which Golden Harvest obtains certification through a bi-annual inspection) sets annual minimum goals of adequate service to those at risk of hunger in every county of the United States. The goal for 2023 will be greater than 65.93 meals per person in need in Aiken County.</p>	<p>Based on a reported 13,980 persons in need, Golden Harvest distributed 130.6 meals per person in need in 2023, exceeding our targeted distribution by 98%.</p>