



**ONE IN EVERY
FOUR PEOPLE**
IN VENTURA COUNTY
STRUGGLES WITH
**FOOD
INSECURITY.**

Hunger in Ventura County 2024 IMPACT REPORT



SERVED

Over **250,000 people** at
203 locations throughout
Ventura County



DISTRIBUTED

19,927,922 lbs of food,
with a retail value of
\$59,783,763



VOLUNTEERED

Over **4,440 volunteers**
generously donated over
44,000 hours of their time.

 **92
CENTS**

OF EVERY DOLLAR DONATED
GOES TOWARDS **HUNGER-
RELIEF PROGRAMS AND
SERVICES.**

Food Share's work is critical to providing a healthy future for hundreds of thousands of neighbors in Ventura County. **Food Share feeds 250,000 people annually and distributes nearly 20 million pounds of food.** In the last 5 years, that number has more than tripled. Nearly **200 partner food pantries** rely on Food Share to feed their communities by sourcing fresh, shelf-stable, and culturally appropriate food, at no cost, to meet a diverse array of needs.

State of Hunger in OJAI

	# of agency partners	9
	Pounds of food distributed	255,811
	Equivalent # of meals provided	213,176
	# of people served through pantries	3,894
	Total population (2020 Census)	13,805
	% of city population served	28.21%
	# of retail grocery partners	1
	Retail value of food distributed	\$809,898
	% of total lbs distributed in Ventura County	1.22%

All data is for calendar year 2024



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FOOD SHARE
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