



Hunger In Hawaii

The Hawaii Foodbank provides food through member agencies to **183,500** different individuals each year.

... **55,050** are children.

... **11,010** are age 65 or older.

- **14%** of Hawaii's population **receive emergency food assistance** from the Hawaii Foodbank each year.
- **79%** of client households do not always know where they will get their next meal.
- **32%** have had to choose between **food** and **transportation**.
- **28%** have had to choose between **food** and **rent/mortgage**.
- **21%** have had to choose between **food** and **utilities**.

Source: [Hunger In America 2010](#)
Feeding America's Fifth National Hunger Study

- **1 of 5 island keiki lives in a food insecure household.**

Source: Map The Meal Gap, 2009 on Child Food Insecurity