



2015 COUNTY STATISTICS

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CHEMUNG COUNTY

FOOD INSECURITY IN CHEMUNG COUNTY

- Population: 88,681
- Estimated food insecure individuals: 11,710
- Rate of food insecurity: 13.2%
- Estimated food insecure children: 4,610
- Child food insecurity rate: 23.6%

FOOD DISTRIBUTION IN CHEMUNG COUNTY

- Pounds distributed: 2,614,570 = 2,056,088 Meals
- Value of pounds distributed: \$4,444,768
- Meals per person in poverty: 188
- Requests for food: 329,155
Children: 78,739 Adults: 155,014 Seniors: 99,402
- Backpack Program™: 3 districts, 440 children served weekly, 15,921 packs distributed annually
Backpack Program™ School Districts: Elmira City School District, Elmira Heights School District and Horseheads School District
- Mobile Food Pantry: 7 sites, 53 distributions, 416,638 pounds distributed

FINANCIAL SUPPORT & RESOURCES TO CHEMUNG COUNTY

- HPNAP* food grants: \$252,528; HPNAP* operating grants: \$30,880
*HPNAP - The Hunger Prevention & Nutrition Assistance Program
- JSY*: Nutrition Education Workshops Conducted: 28; Number of Participants: 713
*JSY-Just Say Yes to Fruits and Vegetables Program
- Food Stamp Outreach: Number of Households Screened: 356; Benefits Generated: \$732,672

FOOD BANK MEMBER AGENCIES IN CHEMUNG COUNTY: 43

Chemung ARC (16 sites)

Beaver Dams

Grace Lee Wesleyan Food Pantry

Big Flats

Big Flats Community Food Pantry

Elmira

Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry

Catholic Charities Gateways

Catholic Charities

Samaritan Center

Catholic Charities

Second Place East

Elmira Free Community Kitchen

Feed Elmira-Walnut Street

Food Pantry

Frontline Ministries Youth Center

Elmira, cont.

In His Presence Ministry

Food Pantry

Meals On Wheels Chemung

New Beginnings

UMC Food Pantry

New Life Assembly of God

North Presbyterian Church

Food Pantry

Riverside Food Pantry

Salvation Army Food Pantry

Salvation Army - Our House

Salvation Army Safehouse

Southern Tier Pregnancy

Resource Center

Southside Community Cafe®

Elmira, cont.

SPCA Chemung County

Humane Society

Elmira Heights

Oakwood UMC Food Pantry

Horseheads

Harvest House

Horseheads Food Pantry

Lowman

North Chemung Food Pantry

Pine City

Pennsylvania Avenue

UMC Food Cupboard

Wellsburg

Wellsburg Ashland

Food Cupboard

