

## About Us

Established in 2004, New Hope Community Food Pantry is an emergency food pantry serving zip codes 60630, 60631, 60646, 60706, and 60656 on the Northwest Side of Chicago. We provide a 5-7 day supply of food to families in need once per month. We seek to provide all that is needed for a well-balanced diet, although we recognize that the food we are able to distribute is only meant to supplement--not provide--all the household's needs. New Hope Community Food Pantry prides itself on being a "client choice" pantry in which individuals are able to self-select items in a grocery store like set up. Additionally, New Hope Community Food Pantry sources from a variety of providers, local fruits, vegetables, meats and other items throughout the year.

**"Seeking to feed the hungry and sharing resources to improve the quality of life of those in need"**

### Follow Us

**On Facebook @** New Hope Community Food Pantry Chicago

<https://www.facebook.com/New-Hope-Community-Food-Pantry-Chicago-1496278730625335/>

## Ways to Support

**Volunteers** are the backbone of our organization. Opportunities include Monday morning prep, Tuesday morning distribution, Saturday morning at Greater Chicago Food Depository packaging/prep (1x per month), holiday food/toy distribution, delivering groceries, special projects and so on. There is an opportunity for everyone. Register to volunteer or give us a call at 773-775-1215.

<https://www.newhopefoodpantry.com/volunteer>



### Donate

**Food donations** can be brought to the pantry on Mondays or Tuesdays from 8:30-11:00am. Unfortunately, donations during off hours cannot be accepted.

**Monetary donations** can be made by check or online through the below link:

<https://www.newhopefoodpantry.com/donate>

## New Hope Community Food Pantry



**7115 W Hood Ave,  
Chicago, IL 60631  
773-775-1215**

<https://www.newhopefoodpantry.com/>

**Hours of Distribution  
Tuesdays 9:30-11:30 a.m.**

# More Than a Food Pantry....

## Community Garden at AMITA Health Resurrection Medical Center

In 2018, the hospital provided a piece of land so that a community garden could be planted. Members of the Community Leadership Board of AMITA Health worked with Boy Scout Troop 626. Crops include tomatoes, onions, squash, green beans, eggplant, carrots, beets, radishes, zucchini, cucumbers, etc. Additionally, the pantry is supported by community gardens at Edgebrook Lutheran Church and Union Ridge School.



## Backpack & School Supply Program

Backpacks filled with school supplies are given out during the month of August to children to prepare them for the new academic year. Food pantry volunteers work to make sure the backpacks are filled with items the students will need.



## Kids Summer Feeding Program

Many children did not have access to food over the summer. With this in mind, we partnered with The Greater Chicago Food Depository (GCFD), AMITA Health Resurrection Medical Center and Union Ridge School to provide children with healthy lunches during the months of June-August. The program is located at Union Ridge School and is OPEN to anyone 18 and under.



## Special Holiday Distributions

During the months of November and December, the pantry provides additional food distributions—one for Thanksgiving, and one for Christmas. For Christmas, parents may select toys for their children through the Toyland program. Additionally, in the spring, volunteers work hard to assemble spring

baskets for families. We see many smiling faces as a result of the efforts of our volunteers!



## Delivery Program

During the 2020, COVID-19 Pandemic, the pantry developed a delivery program in which clients could apply to have groceries brought out to them. This has been especially helpful for those who may be ill or unable to come to the pantry in person. Sign up can be found through our website at:

<https://www.newhopefoodpantry.com/deliveries>

## Other Programs

New Hope Community Food Pantry is proud to offer clients access to its “Chic Boutique”. This program provides individuals with gently-used clothing, shoes and essential items as available. Additionally, New Hope Community Food Pantry, with its partnership with AMITA Health Resurrection Medical Center provides clients with nutritional counseling, blood pressure checks and health guidance. New Hope Community Food Pantry is also proud to offer Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) application assistance.