



PORCH[®] for Pantries

Fight hunger through neighbors helping neighbors

PORCH is a grassroots group of 1,500 volunteers, in 550 neighborhoods across 10 states, fighting hunger and food insecurity through neighbors helping neighbors. Since 2010 we've been filling the gaps in traditional hunger relief at the local level.

PORCH Communities empowers volunteers to:

- Mobilize neighbors using a monthly food collection program
- Benefit local food pantries by filling their shelves with items the local community needs most
- Over time, expand into additional programs based on local needs such as school snacks, fresh food and grocery gift certificates

GET STARTED FAST

Ask a friend

Select a pantry

Host a food drive

How PORCH for Pantries works:

STEP 1



Once a month, neighbors place the non-perishables on their porches

STEP 2



Volunteer neighborhood coordinators pick up the food from the porches

STEP 3



Donations are brought to a local food pantry

Ready to make a difference where you live?

We have volunteers of all ages, backgrounds and professions making a tangible impact all year long.

As a PORCH volunteer you can:

- Connect with neighbors and organizations to become more involved in your community
- Ensure local food pantries are stocked with the items most needed each month
- Be part of a team providing nutritious food for over 30,000 people a year



Why PORCH works:

PORCH is easy.

Donors place food on their porches for volunteers to pick up

PORCH is consistent.

Monthly food drives provide a predictable supply of food to pantries and participants

PORCH is inclusive.

Anyone can help in as little as a few hours a month

PORCH is flexible.

Communities customize donations to meet the practical, cultural and dietary needs of local clients

Sign up
to get started today



PORCH Communities provides all the support you need

KNOW-HOW

- Start-up Guide
- Online resource center
- Marketing & social media
- Operations

COMMUNITY

- PORCH Brand
- Peer-to-peer forums
- Group events
- 1:1 support