

Statewide hotlines and resources

- **Project Bread's FoodSource Hotline:** Call or text 1-800-645-8333 to speak with a counselor who can help you find food resources and other assistance in your area. The hotline operates Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–7 p.m., and Saturday, 10 a.m.–2 p.m..
- **United Response Fund:** The 13 United Ways across Massachusetts, in partnership with Governor Maura Healey's administration, established this fund to address the gap left by federal food aid disruptions.
- **211 Information and Referral:** Dialing 2-1-1 can connect you with local food pantries and other community services.
- **WIC and school meals:** These programs would continue to be available even if federal SNAP benefits cease.

Local and regional food banks

These large, regional food banks can connect you to hundreds of local food pantries and meal programs across the state:

- **The Greater Boston Food Bank:** This organization partners with more than 500 hunger-relief agencies throughout eastern Massachusetts. Call 617-598-5022 or email snap@gbfb.org for assistance.
- **The Food Bank of Western Massachusetts:** Serves communities throughout the western part of the state.
- **Merrimack Valley Food Bank:** Assists communities in the Merrimack Valley region.
- **Worcester County Food Bank:** Serves Worcester County by distributing food to a network of pantries and meal programs.