Nearly 1.1 million New York City residents, or 12.9 percent, are food insecure. New York City residents make up half of all food insecure people living in New York State.

Food Bank of New York City

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**DIRECT SERVICE: 60%**

The River Fund New York is always coming up with innovative ways to fight hunger, homelessness and poverty in dozens of NYC neighborhoods. Their mission is to feed and empower those they serve to move beyond the lines of poverty.

The Campaign Against Hunger helps thousands of vulnerable New Yorkers by giving them the food and resources they need to survive. They use a community approach to care for and feed hungry people in Bed-Stuy, Brooklyn and neighboring communities.

St. John's Bread and Life alleviates hunger and poverty in Brooklyn and Queens, first by addressing the basic needs of families through the provision of emergency food, and then working to stabilize them with complementary social services – seeking to lead them towards self-sufficiency.

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**LEVERAGING COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS: 20%**

Rethink Food NYC is working to recover nutritious excess food from grocery stores, restaurants, events and more to provide low or no-cost meals to New York City families in need.

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**SYSTEMS-LEVEL CHANGE: 20%**

Just Food shifts the power, health and wealth of historically marginalized communities that have been purposely divested from by developing community-driven solutions to inequities within the New York regional food system. They make racial, economic and environmental equity their north star.