



Food Distribution in Orange County, NC



Food Pickup:

These colors show which groups this food distribution serves:
 For Seniors
 For Kids & Families
 For Everyone



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Lunch for adults Provides hot meals for curb-side or indoor dining during the week. Must be age 60 & older: an Orange County resident. Registration is required, call (919) 245-4256.</p>						<p>2 BAGS OF FOOD Usually every 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month from 11am-12pm at Hillside Church, 201 Culbreth Road, Chapel Hill, Lower Gravel Parking Lot. Confirm the distribution Saturdays on our website or Facebook page. A joint ministry of Hillside Church and CrossTrail Church.</p>
		<p>FOOD PICKUP Heavenly Groceries every Tuesday & Thursday, 3-4:30pm at St. Joseph CME Church on 510 W. Rosemary St. Stand in line behind the church and bring a bag or box for your food. Parking available at Hargraves Community Center on 216 N. Roberson St.</p>	<p>DRIVE THROUGH DISTRIBUTION Food distribution every 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 9:30am until food runs out at Eubanks Park and Ride Lot, 2000 Eubanks Road, Chapel Hill. Directions: from MLK Jr Blvd. turn onto Eubanks Road. Go 0.6 miles, just past Carraway Village, and turn into the Park-and-Ride Lot.</p>	<p>FOOD PICKUP Heavenly Groceries every Tuesday & Thursday, 3-4:30pm at St. Joseph CME Church on 510 W. Rosemary St. Stand in line behind the church and bring a bag or box for your food. Parking available at Hargraves Community Center on 216 N. Roberson St.</p>		<p>BAG & BOX OF FOOD Every 3rd Saturday, 10am-3pm at RENA Center/Rogers Rd Community Center, 101 Edgar Street, Chapel Hill</p>
<p>Lunch: Inter-Faith Council (IFC) serves a pickup lunch daily at 110 W. Main St., Carrboro. Monday to Friday from 11:15-12:30pm, Saturday and Sunday 11:15am-12pm noon.</p>						
<p>Dinner: IFC serves a dinner dine-in or pickup, Monday to Friday, 5:15-6pm at 110 W. Main St., Carrboro.</p>						
<p>Week of groceries: IFC provides any household with a week's worth of groceries once per month. Call (919) 929-6380 and press "0" to make an appointment. Must live in Chapel Hill or Carrboro.</p>						

Food Delivery or Other Food Distribution:



- **TABLE** is doing home-based delivery of bags of healthy non-perishables and fresh food to families with children in the Chapel Hill Carrboro City School and Orange County systems. To request food visit www.tablenc.org/request-food.
- **PORCH** Chapel Hill-Carrboro has a food program for families with children in the Chapel Hill Carrboro City Schools. If you have children who currently attend school in Chapel Hill or Carrboro, contact chcporchcommunities.org to ask about enrollment options.
- **Meals on Wheels** delivers lunch to older adults Monday-Friday. Learn more and apply at MOWOCNC.org or call (919) 942-2948.
- **Commodity Supplemental Food Program** distributes a box of non-perishable groceries once a month to qualified Orange County residents who are over 60. To enroll e-mail shmcpherson@orangecountync.gov or call (919) 245-4243.
- **Orange County Farmers Markets:** For customers who use EBT, WIC FMNP or Seniors FMNP, they are offering "Double Bucks" (ex: \$20 in EBT is \$40 value at the market). If you're out of benefits on your card, they will also match cash. Orange County farmers markets are [Carrboro Farmers' Market](#), [Chapel Hill Farmers' Market](#), and [Eno River Farmers' Market](#) (Hillsborough). Visit triangledoublebucks.com to learn more.
- **Food Not Bombs:** Request food or supplies using their [online form](#). They'll contact you within 48 hours and will call or text you upon arrival and let you know where they leave the supplies.



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NC Department of Health and Human Services (NCDHHS) Food Assistance:

- The **Food and Nutrition Services Program (FNS)** is a federal program that provides eligible individuals or families a monthly amount of money for food. Money cannot be used to buy tobacco, pet food, paper products, soap products, or alcoholic beverages. FNS participants can now purchase groceries online using their Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) cards through [Instacart.com](https://www.instacart.com) or the Instacart mobile app, providing access to an additional authorized online EBT retailer, Food Lion. There are 3 ways to apply:
 - Apply online with ePass at epass.nc.gov.
 - Apply in-person at the [Orange County Department of Social Services](https://www.orangecountync.gov/1870/Application-Information) (DSS).
 - Fill out a paper application at www.orangecountync.gov/1870/Application-Information and mail in or drop off at [Orange County DSS](https://www.orangecountync.gov/1870/Application-Information).
- **WIC** provides access to food, breastfeeding support, and encouragement for eligible moms-to-be, new moms and families, and young children up to age 5.
 - All applications are being done through phone. Local numbers are:
 - UNC Site: 919-357-4704
 - Carrboro: 919-913-1698
 - Hillsborough: 919-245-2422
 - You can also complete an online form to ask the WIC clinic near you to contact you, usually within 10-20 business days. The form is at: www.ncdhhs.gov/ncwicreferral
- **North Carolina State Nutrition Action Coalition (SNAC)** is a state-level collaborative with active representation from state agencies and nonprofits that implement the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) programs.
 - Find more information and resources at: <https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/child-and-family-well-being/food-and-nutrition-services-food-stamps/north-carolina-state-nutrition-action-coalition>