

SABINE PARISH

IMPACT REPORT: FY21 July 1, 2020—June 30, 2021

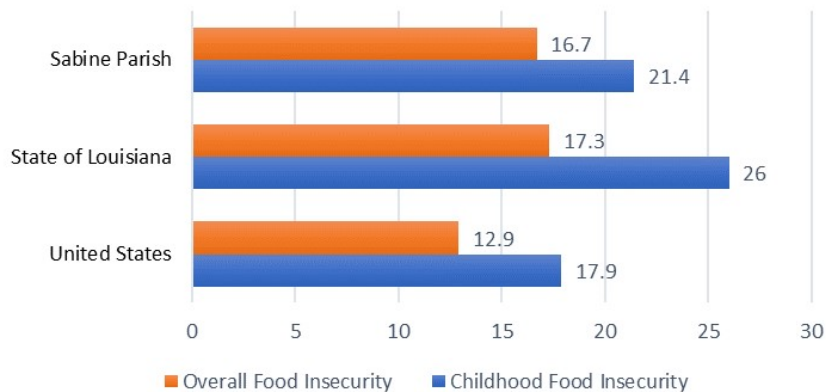
FOOD BANK
OF CENTRAL
LOUISIANA



Food Insecurity

Food insecurity is defined as not having access to enough food for an active, healthy life. Louisiana ranks fourth in the nation for overall food insecurity, and first for food insecurity among children. Sabine Parish is in line with Louisiana state averages.

Food Insecurity Rates (% of Population)



Food Bank Partner Agency

This local program provides groceries and meals to those in need in their communities.

Pine Belt Multipurpose Agency

850 Highland Drive, Many
318-256-6942

Hours of operation

Monday-Thursday 7:30-3:30

Friday 7:00-3:00

Pine Belt Multipurpose Agency serves low-income Sabine Parish residents with food and utility assistance.

545,806

Meals Provided

17%

One in six Sabine Parish residents is food-insecure

654,967

Pounds Distributed

Feeding Families



The Partner Agency Program at Pine Belt provided **162,312 pounds** of food to neighbors through their food pantry and community services.

The Community Garden at Sabine Community Connection provided neighbors training and space to grow their own food.



Mobile Food Pantries in Many, Pleasant Hill and Zwolle served families with food and grocery distributions each month.

Food Bank Board

Joe Gardner,
Board Chair

Lottie Bash

Gary Brown

Ronny Briley

Brian Couvillon

Christina Hathorne

Tim Holloway

Kent Lachney

David Melancon

Cornelia Pickens
Sutton

Marie Simpson

Todd St. Romain

Kelli West

Robert Willett

Strengthening Children

BackPack Programs at Florien High, Many Elementary and Many Jr. High schools provided meals and snacks for **36 children** to take home on weekends during the school year.



SNAP Assistance



SNAP Assistance helped **45 families** complete & submit applications for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps).

www.fbcenla.org

3223 Baldwin Ave., Alexandria | 318-445-2773