

# CONCORDIA PARISH

IMPACT REPORT FY22: July 1, 2021—June 30, 2022

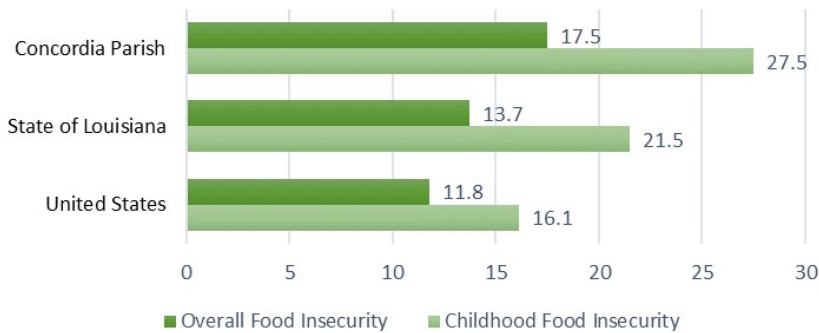
FOOD BANK  
OF CENTRAL  
LOUISIANA



## 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. Concordia Parish exceeds Louisiana state averages.

Estimated Food Insecurity Rates  
(% of Population)



## Food Bank Partner Agencies

These local programs provide groceries and meals to those in need in their communities.

### Delta Storefront Mission

301 Louisiana Avenue, Ferriday  
318-757-3267

### The Soul Food Pantry

The River Assembly  
4810 US-84 W, Vidalia  
318-336-4808

**352,100**

Meals Provided

## Feeding Families

**Partner Agency Programs** provided **129,328 pounds** of food to neighbors through food pantries, meal programs, shelters, and community services.



**Mobile Food Pantries** in **Monterey and Ferriday** served families with food and grocery distributions each month.



**SNAP Assistance** helped **17 families** complete & submit applications for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps).



**18%**

More than  
one in six  
Concordia Parish  
residents is  
food-insecure

**422,520**

Pounds Distributed

## Strengthening Children

**A School Garden** at **Upper Ferriday Elementary School** taught kids how to grow their own produce and enabled them to taste many foods new to them.



## Nourishing Seniors

**36 fifty-pound Grocery Boxes** were provided to neighbors aged 65 or older participating in the Senior Program.



## Food Bank Board

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