The need for food assistance has increased drastically as the COVID-19 situation has continued and Houston Food Bank’s response in the month of August demonstrates that. We will remain operational, while utilizing the best available safety precautions. We are adjusting daily to meet the needs of the community and adapting our logistics and operations to help people in the safest and most effective ways possible.

14,505,135 pounds of food and product distributed in August ‘21

25% increase in output of food and product in August ‘21 vs. August ‘19

133,678 people in our service area applied for unemployment benefits in July 2021

4,706 individuals volunteered their time to help Houston Food Bank sort, pack, and distribute food and product

557,890 pounds distributed on average for each distribution day in August

68,454 meals delivered to homes safely and with no contact with help of volunteers, staff, and partners such as CrowdSource Rescue and TaskRabbit

4,066,277 pounds of produce distributed to the community through our partner sites, deliveries, and programs

87,566 ready to eat meals distributed to kids in the Kids Cafe program

24 food sacks distributed to kids through Backpack Buddy

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Our Mission: Food for better lives
Our Vision: A world that doesn’t need food banks
A gift of $10 provides access to 30 meals for someone in the community.