

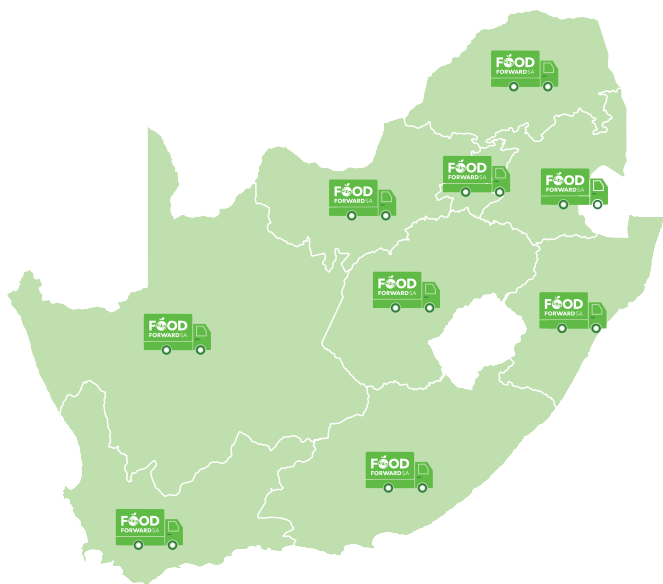
FOOD

FORWARD SA

Securing quality food. Nourishing lives.

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Connecting a world of excess to a world of need by recovering edible surplus food from the food system for redistribution to vulnerable communities.



ABOUT US

Vision

A South Africa without hunger.

Mission

To reduce hunger in South Africa by safely and cost-effectively securing quality food and making it available to those who need it.

Our Work

Millions of people across South Africa experience food insecurity and malnutrition, while one-third (10 million tons) of all the food we produce is lost or wasted.

FoodForward SA is the largest NPO in South Africa addressing food insecurity and food waste. We recover edible surplus food, which may not be sellable but is still perfectly edible, from farmers, manufacturers, retailers, and other representatives across the food system.

More than 2,500 vetted beneficiary organisations (BOs) receive nutritious food each month from FoodForward SA. These organisations offer vital community services and healthy meals to almost 1 million vulnerable people.

By recovering edible surplus food from the food system, we can:

1. Reduce food insecurity and malnutrition
2. Use surplus food as a catalyst to build resilient communities
3. Reduce the harmful impact of food loss and waste on the environment



OUR PROGRAMMES

Our programmes promote food security; reduce malnutrition; reduce the impact of food loss and waste on the environment; and advance the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).



Warehouse Foodbanking

Using our fleet, we recover edible surplus food from our food system partners. This food is brought into our warehouses, carefully sorted, stored, and redistributed.



FoodShare

Our digital platform, FoodShare, virtually connects BOs to retail stores and food outlets for the regular collection of safe, edible surplus food.



Mother and Child Nutrition

We provide nutritious food parcels to targeted households where pregnant and nursing mothers, and children up to 5 years are malnourished.



Mobile Rural Distribution

We identify vulnerable rural towns and villages across South Africa for BOs to collect bulk food groceries at central locations.



Sustainable Livelihoods

Food Gardens Connect: We teach communities to grow their own food, and provide seedlings and ongoing mentoring. We also offer a guaranteed buy-back of the produce they grow.



Youth Internship: We provide a SETA accredited internship programme for unemployed youth, focussing on warehousing, logistics, stock management etc.



School Breakfast

In partnership with various corporates, we provide nutritious food to children in selected primary and secondary schools.



Disaster Relief

We timeously and effectively respond to various disasters affecting vulnerable communities.

OUR IMPACT ACROSS SOUTH AFRICA

More than 85% of our BO network offer vital, life-saving services such as education, skills development, healthcare, and care for vulnerable women and children in under-served communities. The food we provide each month acts as a catalyst to build resilience in vulnerable communities.



2,500
BENEFICIARY
ORGANISATIONS



920,000
BENEFICIARIES
SERVED DAILY



R0,47
COST PER MEAL



21,760
TONS OF FOOD
DISTRIBUTED

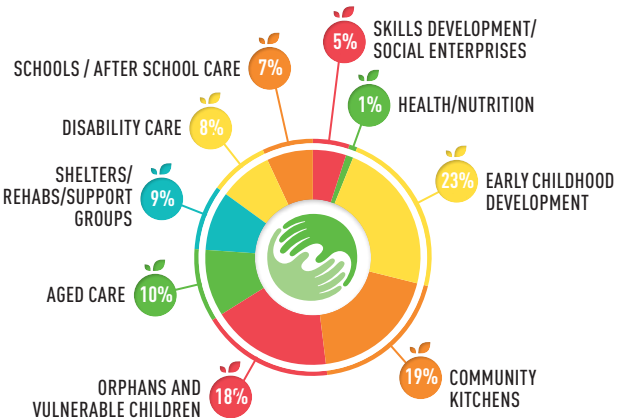


87 MIL
MEALS



113,152
GhG EMISSIONS
SAVED

OUR BO NETWORK





GET INVOLVED



Donate Funds:

foodforwardsa.org/donate/

Join our donor community to create a world free of hunger. All donations are tax-deductible.



Donate Food:

foodforwardsa.org/our-foodbanking-model/

If you are a farmer, manufacturer, retailer etc. with bulk surplus food, please reach out to us.



Volunteer / Host a Food Drive:

foodforwardsa.org/food-drive/

Join the #foodheroes at our branches. Come sort and prepare food and learn more about our foodbanking model. Organise a Food Drive at your school, place of work, or in your community.



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Our model promotes the following Sustainable Development Goals:



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