Sharing Life Community Outreach

Community Partners in Northeast Dallas County

Sharing Life serves the North Texas Food Bank (NTFB) Hub, Redistribution partner, in Northeast Dallas County to distribute a broad selection of nutritious shelf-stable, refrigerated and fresh foods for the lowest possible cost at an in-house pantry and through smaller community organizations. We act as a mini-food bank, working with a growing network of Community Distribution Partners (CDPs).

Where does Sharing Life fit in the food chain?

Corporations and USDA ➔ NTFB ➔ Sharing Life ➔ Community Distribution Partners

Basic Requirements

- 501c3 status or church affiliation
- Vehicle
- Volunteers
- Facility

Advantages for Our Distribution Partners

- No industrial freezers or refrigerators needed
- No large storage space or shelving for stocking needed
- No monthly pest control services needed
- No expensive administrative system needed
- Clients receive nutritious food, including fresh produce
- Reduce duplication of services by tracking clients through a shared database system
- Address micro-pockets of poverty not currently being served
- Learn more about the needs of each individual in your community

Your Organization’s Role

- Place food orders through Sharing Life’s order management website, Lead Commerce
- Use the shared database system to track all client activity
- Provide enough food for families to prepare 12, 15, 21, or 30 healthy meals per person
- Agree to host educational workshops on a variety of topics like nutrition, meal planning, goal setting, and emotion management, which are provided by the NTFB and Sharing Life
- Pick up food at Sharing Life
- Distribute the food within 48 hours of when it was picked up from Sharing Life
- Designate one to four distribution days each month

For more information on our Community Distribution Partners or to find out how to become a CDP site, visit our website or contact Jacob Taylor at jacob@sharinglifeoutreach.org or (972) 279-6200.