

Fighting Childhood Hunger in Ohio's Communities

Purpose

In Ohio, 680,000 children do not know where their next meal is coming from. That is nearly 1 in 4 children right in our backyard. Children's Hunger Alliance is a statewide nonprofit organization dedicated to ensuring that children without access receive healthy food, nutrition education and physical activity.

Children's Hunger Alliance does this by working with child care providers, and breakfast, afterschool and summer meal programs.

Impact

We provide access to healthy food by helping nearly 1,000 childcare providers and 215 afterschool programs serve nutritious meals and snacks to children and promote healthy eating habits and activities.

We work with school districts to begin or expand school breakfast programs. In 2015 we helped increase participation in the federal School Breakfast Program by 14,714 children statewide.

In 2015, we provided physical activity and nutrition education program for nearly 2,500 elementary and middle school aged children in an after-school or summer setting.



Ohio State Colleges/Units Involved

Office of the President
Alumni Association
College of Education and Human Ecology
College of Pharmacy
Fisher College of Business
Department of Athletics
Office of Academic Affairs
Office of Diversity and Inclusion
Office of Student Life
Office of Undergraduate Education
The James
Wexner Medical Center

Community Partners Involved

AEP
Alliance Data
Battelle
Cardinal Health
CareSource
Columbus Business First
Crane Group
City of Columbus
Columbia Gas of Ohio
The Columbus Partnership
Discover
DSW
Honda
Huntington National Bank
Kokosing
Kroger
LBrands
Nationwide
UnitedHealthcare
Resource International



How you can get involved:

- Volunteer at one of our special events or a nutrition education program
- Host a Children's Hunger Alliance speaker at your organization or club
- Hold a fundraiser
- Participate in one of five regional advisory boards
- Advocate for child nutrition programs and initiatives in Ohio

To get involved, contact:

Rhonda Davis-Comoretto
Senior Director of Regional Development

rdavis-comoretto@childrenshungeralliance.org
www.childrenshungeralliance.org

