

When people are hungry,
nothing else matters...
Everything starts with food

Hamilton

Agency Satisfaction & Impact



Food for Life regularly collects survey responses from our Agency Partners on their satisfaction with our service & impacts of receiving rescued food

At Food for Life, we *Rescue Food* and *Impact Lives*. We believe that everyone deserves access to fresh, nutritious food and that quality surplus food should be shared—not wasted. By supporting over 90 programs across Halton and Hamilton, we're committed to making this vision a reality. **In Hamilton, we provide fresh food weekly to 11 partner organizations, who distribute it through outreach programs, community fridges, seniors' home delivery, and more.** Our 2024 Agency Satisfaction survey highlights the meaningful impact of these partnerships. Beyond addressing food access, our partnerships help agencies expand their community impact and reduce program costs. Agencies report that our support improves access to fresh foods, health outcomes, and financial stability for their clients. Together, we help Hamilton neighbours build resilience and enhance their quality of life.

Agency Partner Satisfaction Highlights

*Percent of Surveyed Hamilton Agency Partners who responded as either 'Very satisfied' or 'Satisfied' to the below prompts in October 2024



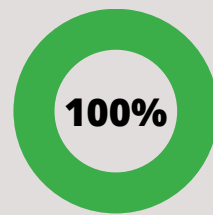
QUANTITY OF
FOOD
RECEIVED



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HOW FOOD IS
PACKAGED



SAFETY MEASURES
PRESENT -
RECEIVING FOOD



OVERALL
EXPERIENCE -
RECEIVING FOOD

“Being a partner of Food for Life provides a regular consistent source of key nutritional food for our clients.” – Neighbour to Neighbour, Hamilton

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Food for Life Agency
Partnerships in Hamilton

985

Average Households
Supported Weekly in
Hamilton in 2024

*Based on lbs of food received

597,836 lbs

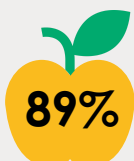
Rescued Food Shared
in Hamilton
in 2024

\$2,110,361

Value of Rescued Food
Shared in Hamilton in
2024

Partnership Impact: Building Stronger Communities, Health, & Sustainability

*Percent of Surveyed Hamilton Agency Partners who reported the following impacts in October 2024



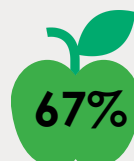
INCREASED
COMMUNITY
IMPACT



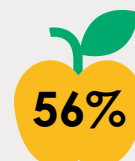
INCREASED
ACCESS TO FRESH
FOODS - CLIENTS



AGENCY COST
SAVINGS FOR
PROGRAMMING



ENHANCED
ENVIRONMENTAL
AWARENESS



IMPROVED HEALTH
OUTCOMES
- CLIENTS



IMPROVED
FINANCIAL SECURITY
- CLIENTS

“We are able to serve so many more in the community because of what we get from Food for Life.” – Parkview Church, Hamilton