

2025 Food Resources

- [Bridgeway Community Church Food Pantry](#)- This cupboard is open to the community on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 9:30 am to 11:30 am, as well as Sundays after the 9:45 service.
- [Columbia Community Cares Food Pantry](#) - Provides food, hygiene items, household supplies and baby supplies to families in Howard County. Distribution sites are at the Wilde Lake Interfaith Center, The Other Barn in Oakland Mills, and the Long Reach Village Center, on Saturdays from 10 am - 12 pm. Delivery Service is available, and you may re-order food for delivery every 7 days.
- [Elkridge Food Pantry](#) - Provides free food to people in need on the second and fourth Friday of each month from 4:00pm to 8:00pm. Valid proof of residence in Elkridge, Hanover or Jessup required. See website for more details.
- [Community Action Council Food and Diaper Distribution](#) - Can shop 1x every 30 days, this link has application, hours/address in it. Laid Off Federal Employees access to shop 2 or 3X a month for families that meet eligibility requirements. Walk-ins and appointments available. Diaper distribution goes through CAC Food Bank.
- [Howard County Food Connection Map](#) - The Howard County Food Connection Map is an interactive tool to help you find low-cost, accessible food and nutrition resources in the County. Bus routes are also added on the map.
- [Mission19](#) - Fighting food insecurity. There is a form for families to fill out at the bottom of their homepage.
- [MultiService Center Food Pantry](#) - Laurel - Open on Mondays and Wednesdays, noon to 4:00 p.m. and the third Saturday of the month, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- [Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program \(SNAP\)](#) - The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), *formerly known as Food Stamps*, helps low-income households buy the food they need for good health. Everyone has the right to apply for SNAP.
- [HCPSS Summer Meal Program](#) - Ducketts Lane is a FREE Summer Lunch site and will be providing FREE LUNCH to any HCPSS students, as well as any children aged 18 and under. Meals will be served weekdays, Monday, June 23 through Friday, Aug. 1 (except July 4), from 12:30-2 p.m. in the Ducketts Lane Cafeteria.