



Year in Review

Fiscal Year 2018-2019

Dear friends,

Your support during fiscal year 2019 allowed Dare to Care to provide more food to our hungry neighbors than ever before. Through our programs and partnerships, we were able to reach children at risk of hunger, adults struggling to make ends meet, and seniors forced to make tough choices about how to spend their limited budgets.

During the past year, we also made a commitment to reach our community in new ways. Through community conversations, research, and planning, we began laying the foundation for new and innovative programs to address hunger in Kentuckiana.

As you read through this annual report, please know that these accomplishments were possible because of you. Your generosity inspires all of us at Dare to Care and makes a tremendous difference for our community. Thank you!

With gratitude,



Brian Riendeau
Executive Director

Mission: To lead our community to feed the hungry and conquer the cycle of need



Dare to Care
Food Bank

5803 Fern Valley Road
Louisville, KY 40228

Together, we made an impact.

Because of your generosity, we were able to provide more food than ever before and launch new programming to help our community in innovative ways.



19.9 million
meals distributed
throughout Kentuckiana



7.9 million
pounds of fresh produce
provided to local families



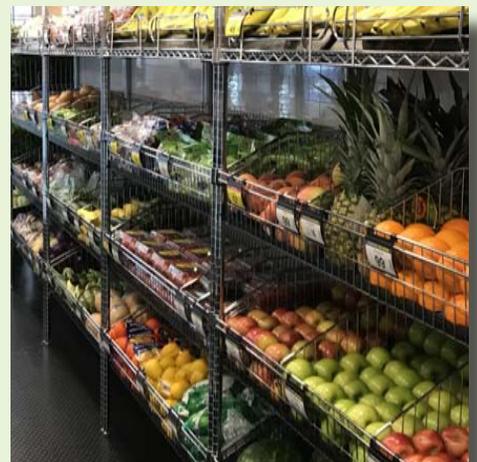
134,000
children, adults, and
seniors served

- Distributed food to families through nearly 300 partner food pantries, shelters, and kitchens.
- Operated 55 mobile pantries each month to reach families living in isolated pockets of need.
- Prepared 239,990 hot, nutritious meals at our Community Kitchen and delivered them to 37 Kids Cafe sites.
- Partnered with 50 schools through Backpack Buddy and School Pantry programs to reach 8,862 students from low-income families.
- Provided nutritionally-balanced food boxes through senior initiatives, mobile pantries for seniors, and the Commodities Supplemental Food Program.
- Partnered with 10 health clinics to offer on-site, Prescriptive Pantries for food-insecure patients.
- Taught nutrition education and culinary skills to children, adults, and seniors through 37 Cooking Matters classes.

Planning for the future

Your support helped Dare to Care prepare to reach our community in new and innovative ways.

- Conducted research to launch the Zero Hunger Mobile Market in partnership with Kroger, providing a grocery store on wheels for neighborhoods that lack access to fresh and healthy food.
- Identified the new home of Dare to Care's Community Kitchen in partnership with the Novak Family Foundation. The new kitchen in the Parkland neighborhood (opening in spring 2020) will transform Dare to Care's ability to help kids, adults, and seniors at risk of hunger.



Financial Summary

July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

Revenues, gains (losses), and other support

Contributions and grants	9,169,511
Donations of food and commodities	37,319,348
In-kind donations for fundraising	101,327
Special events	187,232
Other revenues	117,181
Investments	251,511
Total	\$ 47,146,110

Revenue, gains (losses), and other support

Donations of food and commodities	Contributions and grants	All other support
79%	19%	2%

Expenses

Program services	40,677,931
Administration	777,156
Fundraising	1,703,789
Total	\$ 43,158,876

Expenses

Program services	Fundraising	Administration
94%	4%	2%

Change in net assets	\$ 3,987,234
Net assets, beginning of year	\$ 14,563,256
Net assets, end of year	\$ 18,550,490

**The financial summary includes a combination of funds and the value of food distributed.*



Words of gratitude

"My family and I have been receiving food for about a year now, and it has helped us survive. I am a single mother of three, and I have worked diligently to provide for our family. I have been working two jobs while going to school. When things began to become too stressful and I could not make ends meet is about the time the Dare to Care program began at the school my kids attend. I know we are not completely out of the woods yet, but partly because of your gift, I am about to graduate college with a teaching certificate in a few weeks!"

Your support changes lives.

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Dare to Care is a 4-star charity! For the seventh year in a row, Dare to Care received the highest, 4-star rating from Charity Navigator for demonstrating strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency. **Thank you for trusting us with your generous donations of funds, food, and time.**

