



Food Resource Guide

Visit helplinecenter.org or call 211 for a listing of all local and statewide resources.

Feeding Brookings

605-692-6565 | 2030 3rd St

Ascension Lutheran (drive thru)

Food Box: Every Thursday 3pm - 5pm drive thru distribution (except major holidays). Some food items income guidelines, but not all. Food eligibility of certain foods will be determined at time of distribution.

Harvest Table

605-692-4345 | 625 5th St.

Community Life Center

Free Meal: Every Monday 5:30pm (except major holidays) available until food runs out.

Food & Non-Food Essentials: Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 4:30am & Friday 8:30am - 12pm; nonperishable foods, hygiene items, baby diapers and wipes. No income or eligibility requirements.

Brookings County Emergency Food Pantry

605-692-5007 | 908 Hope Drive

Food Pantry: Weekly Monday, Wednesday, Friday 1pm - 4:30pm (except major holidays). Households can access once every 4 months (3 times a year). No income guideline requirements. Valid ID and 1 piece of mail verifying address are required.

Brookings Salvation Army

605-219-8970 | 619 5th Ave.

Grocery Voucher & Personal Care Essentials:

Monday - Thursday 1pm - 5pm or call for an appointment (except major holidays); temporary grocery vouchers available on a case by case basis. Hygiene & laundry kits, personal care items available.

Senior Specific Food Programs

60's Plus Dinning - ICAP: 605-692-1407 | 320 5th Ave. (Activity Center)

Congregate meals Monday - Friday 11:30am - 12:30pm for individuals 60+ years of age; no health or income requirements to participate. If needed, hot home delivered meals can be arranged or frozen meals are made available Monday - Friday for pick up or delivery. Call for availability.

Senior Box - Brookings Area United Way: 605-692-4979 | 908 Hope Drive

Monthly 3rd Tuesday from 1pm - 3pm at Brookings Area United Way site. Applications are still being accepted; For those 60+ years & at or below 130% of federal poverty line eligible. Call or stop in to verify eligibility Monday - Thursday 9am - 4pm & Friday 9am - 12pm. Valid ID is required at time of application submission.

Youth & Student Food Programs

Brookings Backpack Project: 605-696-9331 | 908 Hope Drive

Weekly food bags distributed in partnership with Brookings School District, Sioux Valley, Elkton School & Head Start. No income or eligibility requirements. Contact school counselor, teacher, or call site to sign up for program. If in need of food during holidays when school is out of session, please call site directly for assistance.

Jack's Cupboard: 605-696-9331 | 1351 8th St. (SE side of Ben Riefel Hall)

Open Tuesday and Wednesday 3pm - 6pm for South Dakota State University enrolled students when needed.

visit <https://brookingsunitedway.org/basic-needs-task-force/>

If you'd like to donate food or personal care items, the Basic Needs Task Force has a centralized drop-off site at the Brookings Area United Way office (908 Hope Drive). Donations can be brought in Monday through Thursday, 9am - 4pm and Friday 9am - 12pm, or call 605-692-4979 to schedule a drop-off time.