

Food Security Response Corps Associate

All Candidates are Encouraged to Apply by October 2nd for an Anticipated Start Date of October 16th

Applications must be submitted using the link here: <https://tinyurl.com/y2r238uw>

Title: Food Security Response Corps Associate

Description:

The Food Security Response Corps Associate will assist management in operations of the food bank, including obtaining donations, sorting food, packing customer boxes, and giving food boxes to the customers. They will provide courteous and respectful service to all customers, volunteers, and donors. They will also assist management in volunteer recruitment and coordination.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Repackage bulk food to individual portions.
- Box/bag food for pick up or delivery.
- Stock food pantry
- Set up before, and clean up after food pantry operations
- Manage crowds while showing respect and dignity to all people
- Drive van/box truck to pick up food donations
- Perform Outreach to identify potential volunteers
- Welcome, train, and support new volunteers
- Perform outreach to community partners such as schools, grocers, and farms to build and maintain a sustainable network food sourcing relationships
- Arrange and lead gleaning efforts at area farms & gardens

Qualifications:

- Ability to lift and carry up to 40 pounds
- Working level computer literacy
- Working level written and verbal communication skills
- Valid Driver License
- High school diploma/GED

About Nourish:

Incorporated in 1982 as FISH Food Banks of Pierce County, Nourish Pierce County is an ecumenical organization that provides food and emergency service referrals to people in need. Our mission is to provide food for people in need with compassion, dignity and respect. With seven food bank locations

and an award winning mobile food bank that serves ten additional sites, Nourish serves over 40,000 individuals each month. With the assistance of 700 volunteers, our goal is to provide each person or family with enough food to make three nutritious meals a day for three days. All Nourish Food Banks operate on a self-serve model, allowing clients to select the foods that best meet their family's needs. Clients are asked to limit their visits to once a week, but no one in need is turned away.