

NORTHEAST IOWA COMMUNITY ACTION FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

DONATIONS ACCEPTED

- ◆ Canned meats (tuna, chicken, salmon), nut butters, canned fruits and vegetables, soups, chilis, stews
- ◆ Frozen meat - USDA/State of Iowa inspected meats
- ◆ Bread & Bakery - dry goods (rice, cereal, pasta)
- ◆ Produce - garden fresh, can be slightly bruised or blemished
- ◆ Dairy - refrigerated/frozen items (with quality inspection upon arrival)
- ◆ Non-Food Items - unopened personal care items (shampoo, soap, toothpaste, toilet paper, toothbrushes) and non-food items (paper plates, napkins, plastic utensils)

DONATIONS NOT ACCEPTED

- ◆ Raw meat, raw fish, or seafood
- ◆ Alcohol
- ◆ Expired over-the-counter medications
- ◆ Expired baby formula & baby food
- ◆ Moldy, leaky, or opened products



For questions regarding food pantry donations, please contact us by email at info@neicac.org.

CAN WE DONATE?

Is the package sealed with a label?

YES

Is the food temperature safe?

YES

What is the product?

- Raw meat
- Raw fish or seafood
- Alcohol
- Expired over-the-counter medicine
- Expired baby formula/baby food
- Moldy, rusty, or leaking product

NO

WILL NOT ACCEPT

Bread & Bakery

Can be distributed up to 10 days past expiration

Dry Food/ Cans

Slightly dented & expired cans can be accepted.

Perishable

Can be distributed up to 3 days past expiration.

Meat

Please freeze prior to expiration date.

Dairy

Can be distributed up to 7 days past expiration.

Eggs

Can be distributed up to 4 weeks past expiration.

Whole Produce

Can be slightly blemished or bruised.

Frozen

Accepted past expiration or with slightly crushed packaging.

Nonfood Items

Hygiene & personal care items are always needed!



WE WILL ACCEPT!

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