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For Your Information

Food assistance resources

Pediatricians across the country encounter families struggling to afford groceries. Practices can help them by developing a handout of local resources. Some practices also keep grocery bags containing a few days of non-perishable items for families in a pinch.

Find more information at:

- Feeding America, <http://feedingamerica.org/foodbank-results.aspx>, to locate area food banks via an online search tool.
- Summer Food Service Program, <http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Contacts/StateDirectory.htm>.
- Food and Nutrition Services information in languages other than English, <http://www.fns.usda.gov/documents-available-other-languages>.