HUNGER IN OKLAHOMA

OKLAHOMA STATISTICS

15.8%  
OVERALL STATE FOOD INSECURITY RATE

22.2%  
STATE CHILD FOOD INSECURITY RATE

OKLAHOMA CONSISTENTLY RANKS AS ONE OF ELEVEN STATES WHERE FOOD INSECURITY IS ABOVE THE NATIONAL AVERAGE

$3.01  
AVERAGE COST PER MEAL IN EASTERN OKLAHOMA

“I can draw a bath. I can read a bedtime story. But I can’t create food out of thin air.”  
- Tulsa Public Schools paraprofessional and unexpected custodian of three grandchildren.

621,370  
TOTAL FOOD INSECURE PEOPLE

3,943,079  
2017 OKLAHOMA POPULATION

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For a map of Partner Agencies in your county with contact information and hours of operation, go to okfoodbank.org/get-help

“There are many people in our community who hit a rough patch at times. One box of food at the end of a month won’t solve a financial crisis, but it may help someone and their family eat more securely while they work through that crisis.” - Sue Catron