

WELCOME TO "BREAD FOR LIFE SENIOR PANTRY"

Our mission is to provide nutritious food to food insecure seniors in New Hanover County.

Completion of the attached Participation Form **is required** before you can receive Bread for Life Senior Pantry (BFL) services.

You must be 60 years of age or older and live in New Hanover County. Currently, BFL operates 2 Programs: (1) the Box Program and (2) the Sack & Pack Program. The Box Program is open to households at 130% of Federal Poverty Income Guidelines. The Sack & Pack Program is open to those in need, without proof of income. Hopefully one of these programs will meet your **monthly supplemental nutrition needs**.

The Sack & Pack program serves on the **First Tuesday of the month**. The Box Program serves on **2nd/3rd/4th Friday of the month**. **You will be assigned which Friday you will pick up your box after you are qualified by income through the Foodbank.**

Bread for Life Senior Pantry is a 501(c)3 organization serving only aging seniors in New Hanover County. BFL is also a partner with the Wilmington Branch of the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina.

Participant's Responsibilities:

1. Bring bags to carry any additional food items.
2. Bring an insulated hot/cold bag for your frozen food. **No bag, no meat.**
3. Please have ID available for staff volunteers.
4. Prior authorization is required if someone else is picking up your food.
5. Please return calls made to you about the Pantry service day to confirm attendance.
6. Please arrive at the Pantry site at the time told to you when called.
7. Follow directions from BFL Staff at all times.
8. Conduct yourself with appropriate behavior and demeanor while receiving pantry services.

By completing and signing this Participation form, you acknowledge that you take full personal responsibility for your food product choices. As a result, you will not hold Bread for Life Senior Pantry, the food drop site, any gleaning partner, or any of the other service and affiliated sites liable for any adverse reaction you may suffer from eating your particular food choices. You also take full personal responsibility for all of your choices related to all other products you receive through the BFL Ministry. Finally, you agree to honor all Participant's Responsibilities with the understanding that failure to do so may be grounds for dismissal from BFL Pantry programs.

This page is to take home with you. If you have any questions or concerns, please call:

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