



# FEEDING

*Champlain Valley*

## *FOOD DRIVE TOOLKIT*

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Best Practices and  
Recommended items  
for Food Drives



# The Basics

1. Set a start and end date for your drive, notify Anthony (ahuynh@cvoeo.org), and coordinate a time for a drop-off at one of our food hubs or food shelves, depending on your location.
2. Set out collection bins and spread the word to promote your food drive.
3. After dropping off your donation, please share the total weight and/or monetary value with Anthony - and any pictures, if you would like us to promote across our social media platforms!



## Promote your Food Drive

- Print one of the flyers including in this packet, post on social media, and tell your neighbors and friends about your food drive!
- Email friends, family, and colleagues, contact local newspapers, radio and television stations to encourage them to promote your drive.





# Ideal Items for your Food Drive!



**Canned proteins - Chicken, Beef, etc.**

**Peanut Butter**

**Cereals and Oatmeal**

**Canned Fruits**

**Pasta & Pasta Sauce**

**Rice**

**Shelf-stable Juice**

**Toiletries Items (Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Shampoo,  
Body Wash, etc.)**

**Diapers**

**Baby Food & Formula**

**Feminine Hygiene Products**

**Cooking Oils & Spices**



# HELP FEED THE CHAMPLAIN VALLEY

## MOST NEEDED ITEMS



### Canned Proteins

like beef, tuna, and other meats



### Canned Fruits & Vegetables

like mixed fruits, peaches, mixed vegetables, peas, and carrots



### Cooking Oil & Spices

like olive oil, vegetable oil, cooking spices, and salt & pepper



### Toiletries

like feminine products, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, diapers and body wash



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