



## 14.4M people positively impacted by Food for the Hungry's humanitarian work globally in 2020, according to Annual Report

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**Phoenix, Arizona (April 8, 2021)** – International humanitarian organization Food for the Hungry (FH) has released their [2020 Annual report](#), revealing more than **14.4M people** were positively impacted by their work last year. The organization served in more than **2,879 communities** in Africa, Asia and Latin America, addressing food insecurity, poverty reduction, emergency and disaster response.

Recognizing that each community faces unique challenges as well as advantages, FH is committed to an integrated, holistic approach to development including priorities such as agriculture, education, health, and gender equality. Below are some of the key figures from FH's 2020 Annual Report:

- Of the 14.4M people impacted by Food for the Hungry's development activities last year, 1.8M were directly benefited, with 12.6M indirectly benefiting from their holistic approach.
- 2.6M+ people globally received aid and support to battle effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- In terms of emergency relief and humanitarian response, 2.1M+ people were served through 19 events or crises including hurricanes, floods, refugee crises, and other unexpected disasters.
- In 2020, over 98 percent of FH's 3,000 staff members work within their country of origin. This remains year over year, as FH prioritizes job creation for local communities.

In 2020, FH's total funding was upwards of \$170M. In 2021, FH will continue its international response to the COVID-19 pandemic, along with poverty reduction and disaster relief. To learn more on how you can help, visit [fh.org/give](https://www.fh.org/give).

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### About Food for the Hungry

Food for the Hungry (FH) is a Christian humanitarian organization ending all forms of human poverty by providing life-changing development programs, disaster relief, and advocacy. For 50 years, FH has been working to respond to human suffering and graduate communities from extreme poverty into self-sustainability within a decade. By creating context-specific solutions in education, agriculture, health, livelihood, clean water, and disaster risk reduction, the nonprofit focuses on transformational development, investing in children as the key to lift entire communities out of poverty. With 98% of staff working in their country of origin, FH works side by side with local leaders, churches, and families to implement innovative solutions. The organization currently serves more than 5.3 million people in over 20 countries worldwide. For more information, follow FH on [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#), or visit [www.fh.org](https://www.fh.org)