

Hunger in New Mexico

- 324,000 New Mexicans are food insecure
- 1 in 4 – 118,030 children – experience hunger in New Mexico

New Mexico Association of Food Banks

- Five food banks make up the New Mexico Association of Food Banks
- NM Food banks collect and distribute food through 500 nonprofit food programs such as food pantries, youth programs, shelters, senior sites, group homes, rehab programs and schools programs...cover all 33 counties
- Last year, New Mexico food banks distributed 38 million pounds of food, providing 31 million meals to hungry New Mexicans
- Food sources: National and local donations; USDA commodities; local food drives; purchased product

