

DAUGHTERS *of* CHARITY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, USA



Corporate Stance on Hunger

Believing that hunger is preventable and food security is basic to quality of life, the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of the United States and Canada adopt a unified plan toward eradicating hunger for the most vulnerable in society today: children and the elderly.

We will do this through:

1. **Supporting** food assistance programs with a focus on providing healthy food for children and the elderly
2. **Advocating** with policy makers to promote and sustain food assistance and healthy eating education programs
3. **Leveraging** resources in the communities we serve through networking and partnering
4. **Communicating** available resources and “nutrition hints” through our direct and indirect network of ministries
5. **Educating** care givers and family members on healthy and financially responsible food preparation
6. **Praying** for those who live with chronic hunger, those who care for them and those who create policies and legislation which have a direct impact on the quality of life for those living in poverty.

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