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Polk County Community Food Resource Directory Fall 2023



connects you to critical health and human services in your community 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year at no cost to you.

Receive 211 support by

 **Calling** 211 or (877) 947-2211

 **Texting** your zip code to 898211

 **Visiting** 211wisconsin.communityos.org



Commodity Supplemental Food Program

For low-income qualifying seniors over 60. Call **West Central WI Community Action Agency** at 715-977-1167 to learn more.



Eligible seniors aged 60+ have access to food resources including:

- * **Farmers Market Nutrition Program** to purchase produce at certified vendors from June to October.
- * Hot, nutritious meals at **Senior Dining Sites** in Amery and Milltown.
- * **Meal delivery** if unable to visit dining sites, cook for themselves or have someone else prepare meals for them.

ADRC of Northwest Wisconsin Polk County: (877) 485-2372



- * Wholesome foods for pregnant women, new moms, infants & children under 5
- * Breastfeeding support
- * Nutrition & feeding tips for families
- * Farmers Market Program vouchers for produce at certified vendors from June to October.

Polk County WIC: 715-485-8520
wicmomstrong.com



Eligible students can sign up to receive a backpack full of foods each week. Available at Head Start and Amery, Clayton, Clear Lake, Frederic, Luck, Turtle Lake & Unity School districts. Contact St Croix Falls and Osceola school directly.

For emergency food needs, call 715-606-4150.



Free or Reduced School Meals

Free or reduced price school breakfast and lunch are available to low income families. WIC families and children in households receiving FoodShare benefits can get free meals that meet nutrition requirements set by the federal government..

Contact your school's office for information.

Learn about additional statewide food, nutrition & health programs at

www.access.wisconsin.gov.

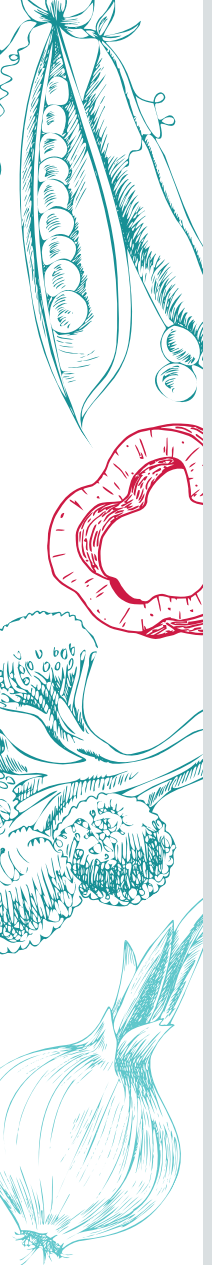
Contact FoodShare Outreach Specialist Michelle Dudar-Sehr at 715-629-5405 for screening and application assistance.

To update information in this community food resource directory, call 715-485-8600. Email Katie.Bartko@wisc.edu or Kerry.Hill2@wisc.edu.

Visit [Polk County food resources](#).

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| Food Pantry Address | Contact Information | Days & hours open | | | | | |
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| | | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri. | Sat. |
| Amery Area Food Pantry 230 Deronda St, Amery | Call 715-268-5999 before 12pm on Wednesday. Leave your name and number for appointment. | 9a-12p | | | 3-6p | | |
| Family Pathways Food Shelf 1100 Wisconsin Ave S, Frederic | Serving Frederic School District. Call 715-327-4425 to make an appointment | | 12-5p | 9a-5p | 9a-5p | | 9a-12p |
| Family Pathways Food Shelf 2000 US Hwy 8, St. Croix Falls | Serving Dresser, St. Croix Falls, Centuria, Balsam Lake, Cushing & Milltown. Call ahead 715-483-2920. | 9a-5p | 10:30a-5p | 9a-5p | 9a-5p | | |
| Feed My Neighbor Community Food Pantry 101 WI Hwy 35, Centuria | Serving all of Polk County 715-405-2253 | 2-5p | 5-7p | | 10a-2p | | 9-11a |
| Lifeline Food Pantry 560 5th St, Clear Lake | Contact pantry at 715-263-3846. In an emergency, call Gordon at 715-948-2776 | | | 1-5p | 10a-2p | | |
| Loaves & Fishes 300 W. 3rd Ave, Luck | Serving Luck & Unity School Districts | | 11a-1p | | 11a-1p | | |
| The Open Cupboard 406 2nd Ave, Osceola | Osceola & Dresser School Districts. If unable to make walk-in times, call 715-294-4357 for appointment | 9a-12p | | 9a-12p | 11a-6pm | | |
| People Loving People 103 E. Main St, Dresser | Open to ALL. Contact 715-755-2300 | | | 2-5p | | | 11a-1p |
| St. Croix Falls Food Shelf 809 Pine St, St. Croix Falls | Serving St. Croix Falls & Dresser Elementary School Districts, Centuria, Cushing & portions of Balsam Lake areas. 715-557-1653 or scffoodshelf@gmail.com | 9-11a | | 3-6p | | 9-10am | |
| Turtle Lake Food Pantry 111 Elm St S, Turtle Lake | Local food shelf & humanities service organization. 715-986-4158 | | 12:30-3:30p | | | | |

Ruby's Pantry Amery

Open the 2nd Saturday each month, 7:30 - 9am
SMC Ltd Shipping Area
9000 Griffin Street E, Amery
\$25 suggested donation for large share of grocery items. **All are welcome. No requirements to participate.** Sponsored by Congregational Church

Community Meals

Alliance Church of the Valley (1259 State Rd 35, St. Croix Falls) Hosts free meals from 5:00-6:30pm on the 4th Thursday of the month

United Methodist Church (306 River Street, Osceola) hosts free meals from 5:30-6:30pm the last Wednesday of the month, January through October.

Call 715-755-2275 for more information.