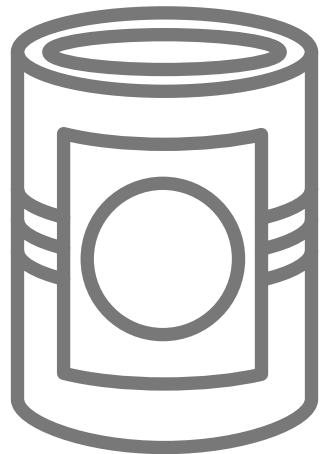


# FOOD INSECURITY

in Louisiana, the U.S. and around the globe

## LOCAL HUNGER

### Campus Cupboard



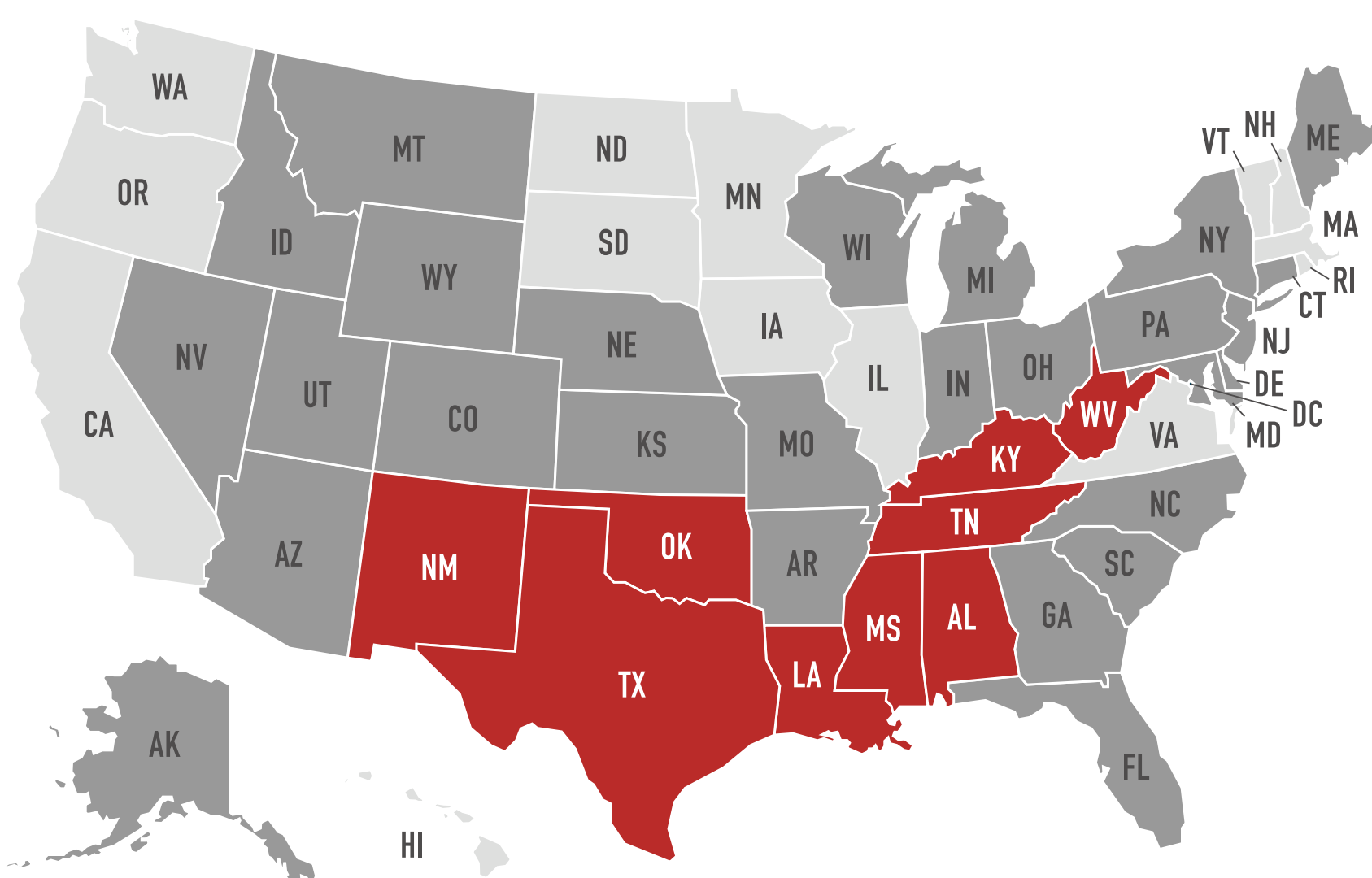
Campus Cupboard is a resource that provides free nonperishable items to students, faculty, and staff who require short-term assistance meeting their food needs.

### Louisiana Food Banks

- Food Bank of Northeast Louisiana  
Monroe
- Food Bank of Central Louisiana  
Alexandria
- Food Bank of Northeast Louisiana  
Shreveport
- Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank  
Baton Rouge
- Second Harvest Food Bank  
New Orleans & Lafayette

## NATIONAL HUNGER

- below national average
- near national average
- above national average



Source: USDA, Economic Research Service data from December 2018, 2019, and 2020

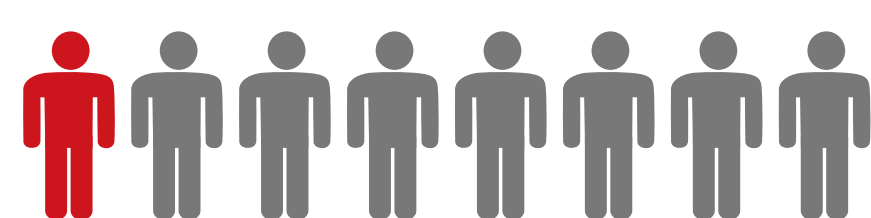
## GLOBAL HUNGER

Hunger is the world's #1 health risk. It kills more than malaria, tuberculosis and AIDS combined.

Source: Food for the Hungry, World Hunger Day

**870 million**  
face hunger globally

That's 1 in 8 people!



**640,540**

people are fighting hunger in Louisiana.

### Louisiana Food Facts

**1 in 7** people

face hunger in Louisiana



**1 in 5** households

face hunger in Louisiana



Food insecurity rate

**13.7%**



Average meal cost

**\$3.03**



Estimate of state funding needed to meet food needs

**\$312,595,000**



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