



## H.O.P.E. of Winston-Salem Volunteer Guidelines for COVID-19 Crisis

As we continue to navigate through these challenging circumstances due to the current COVID-19 outbreak, we realize that many of you have questions and concerns. H.O.P.E. of Winston-Salem is proud to communicate that we have sustained our weekend operations and have successfully executed weekday meal distributions to children since the beginning of the outbreak. It is with a huge outpouring of support, robust safety measures and countless volunteer hours that we have been able to come together and ensure children are fed in Winston-Salem.

We intend to continue to act upon our mission in the following ways:

- HOPE of WS is determined to keep the weekend meal & produce distribution program in place, as it has become even more vital for children in need
- HOPE of WS has instituted weekday meal distributions (providing over 17,000 meals since mid-March) that will end on Friday, August 14th
- HOPE of WS will continue to seek ways to enhance our meal and produce distribution to meet increasing needs in the communities we serve

We do ask for your help in continuing to foster a healthy environment at the HOPE facility. You can volunteer if you:

- Are in good overall health and have not had a temperature of 100.4 or greater
- Have no recent or prolonged exposure to COVID and/or infected persons
- Agree to wear a mask inside our facility
- We are happy to welcome back families with children but are not able to host groups of children at this time.

You should not volunteer if you:

- Are currently diagnosed with COVID-19
- Have been exposed to someone with COVID
- Have a fever, cough or shortness of breath
- Are over the age of 65 years
- Have a health condition or diagnoses that have weakened your immune system

For opportunities to volunteer with us, please click here - <https://hopews.org/ways-to-help/donate-time/>.

For weekday-specific opportunities through August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020, please click here: <https://hopews.org/covid-19/>. Also follow us on Facebook and Instagram for immediate needs.

Any questions/inquiries should be emailed to: [info@hopews.org](mailto:info@hopews.org)

**THANK YOU HOPE HEROES!!**