



Cargill's Nutrition and Health Partnerships

Cargill has contributed more than \$35 million since 2008 to support programs and organizations that improve the nutrition and health of people living in communities where we have a business presence. We focus our efforts on supporting long-term solutions to hunger, increasing access to health education and basic health care in developing and emerging countries and improving youth nutrition and wellness. We also look for ways to leverage our expertise in food, agriculture and risk management to address the complex challenges of ensuring a safe, accessible food supply, particularly for vulnerable populations. Below are some examples of our local, regional and global partnerships.

World Food Programme

Cargill has partnered with the World Food Programme (WFP) for nearly 10 years to improve nutrition, health and educational opportunities for children in Central America, Africa and Asia. Over this timeframe, Cargill has contributed nearly \$10 million to WFP's school feeding, water and sanitation, childhood nutrition and emergency relief programs. Most recently, Cargill launched a new partnership with the WFP to improve food security and nutrition in the Indian state of Madhya Pradesh, which suffers from high levels of malnutrition among women and children. The project includes the training of government workers for increased efficiency in services, food fortification for better nutrition, the promotion of safe drinking water to bring down associated morbidity and the establishment of household kitchen gardens to promote a healthy diet as well as provide a means of earning income. Cargill is contributing \$3 million to the two-year fast-track project, which is expected to benefit about 1 million people, especially children under the age of six.

Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition and the Flour Fortification Initiative

Cargill works together with The Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN) and the Flour Fortification Initiative to address critical nutrition deficiencies among children and families in developing and emerging countries. Cargill has provided both financial support and a dedicated staff person to leverage Cargill's supply chain and procurement expertise for large-scale food fortification programs underway by both organizations. Cargill works with GAIN in India, where our oils business has fortified all of its vegetable oils across the country with essential vitamins. Almost a quarter of the world's malnourished people live in India, and with cooking oil consumed in 99 percent of households there, fortifying oils is an effective way to address vitamin deficiencies.

Feeding America

In the United States, Cargill has built a longtime partnership with Feeding America, a network of food banks that serve millions of hungry people each year. Cargill businesses team up with Feeding America to provide volunteer time, expertise and product donations ranging from flour products to meat. As the largest supplier of eggs to Feeding America, Cargill's egg business, Cargill Kitchen Solutions, provides much needed protein to food banks all over the United States. Since 2008, Cargill and its businesses have donated nearly \$3 million to Feeding America and its affiliates, including \$1 million to support Feeding America's National Produce Program that made 19.2 million pounds of fresh produce available to people in need. Cargill also supports Feeding America's food sourcing and distribution program to increase efficiency throughout the food bank network and supports training and education on food safety.

The Global FoodBanking Network

The Global Foodbanking Network (GFN) is an international nonprofit organization that works to alleviate world hunger by supporting food banks and food bank networks where they exist, and by working collaboratively to create them in communities where they are needed. Cargill has been working with GFN since 2006, providing support to food bank networks in Ghana and Mexico. In December 2009, as a result of the economic crisis, we announced a \$1 million grant to GFN to help scale up their efforts to alleviate hunger and malnutrition. These funds targeted four key areas of support: school feeding programs, expanding food bank capacity, developing new networks, and strengthening organizational capacity within food banking networks in Argentina, India, South Africa, Turkey, Bulgaria, Canada, Poland, Hungary, and Lithuania and Romania. Cargill also provided support to enable three delegates from Red Argentina de Bancos de Alimentos to attend the 2010 GFN Leadership Institute. In 2011, Cargill will provide more than \$200,000 to support the establishment of the India Foodbanking Network and support the GFN Leadership Institute for the second year.



Local Efforts in Cargill Communities

Around the world, Cargill businesses are supporting local community organizations, charities, schools and food pantries.

- In Honduras, Cargill worked with longtime partner **CARE**, a leading humanitarian organization that fights global poverty, to build kitchens and enhanced storage in 15 schools that will impact more than 5,000 children. In addition, Cargill provides products and volunteer support so the children have greater access to healthy food.
- A two-year \$140,000 commitment to **FareShare** in the U.K. will help establish a new food depot in Liverpool. The donation will help FareShare promote its mission to relieve food poverty and find a solution to environmental problems of surplus but still edible food, promoting the message that "no good food should be wasted".
- In Brazil, The "de grão em grão" or "**Grain by Grain**" program teaches concepts about homestead farming and food safety, from planting to food preparation through literature and school vegetable gardens. Cargill volunteers give parents information about the program as well, on topics such as growing a vegetable garden at home.
- Cargill partners with **Moisson Montreal**, one of Canada's largest food banks, which serves approximately 115,000 people each month. In addition to donating funds, Cargill employees volunteer their time with the organization, helping Moisson Montreal serve the hundreds of hunger relief organizations in its network.
- For the holiday season in 2010, Cargill's turkey business, based in Wichita, Kan., partnered with **Feeding America** to provide meals for 1.75 million people. Part of The One Turkey That Can Feed a Million People™ campaign, consumers who purchased Cargill's Honeysuckle White® and ShadeyBrook Farms® turkey products supported Cargill's \$250,000 donation to Feeding America's fight against hunger.
- Cargill is partnering with **La Federation Francais des Banques Alimentaires** to provide more than \$160,000 in funding, product donations, training support and expertise. All of Cargill's locations in France are supporting this national partnership.