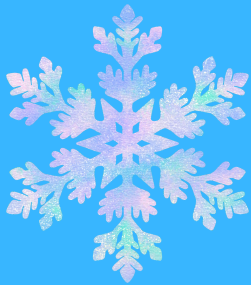




RHODE ISLAND COMMUNITY  
**FOOD BANK**

# Winter 2025

Agency Programs  
Workshop Menu



## REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Email Jennifer Hazard  
[jhazard@rifoodbank.org](mailto:jhazard@rifoodbank.org)  
or call 401.230.1709.

Registrations are taken up to  
one week in advance.  
All workshops are held at the  
Food Bank, unless otherwise  
noted.



## JANUARY

### Hybrid Handler Food Safety Course for Food Pantries

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29** from **2 PM - 3 PM (ZOOM)**

Does your food pantry need to fulfill the Food Bank's food safety training requirement? Would you like volunteers/staff to become certified backups? Training combines the ServSafe Food Handler course with Food Bank food safety info. Must first take online ServSafe Food Safety Handler exam.

## FEBRUARY

### TEFAP (The Emergency Food Assistance Program) Training & Updates!

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6** from **2 PM - 3 PM**

Is your agency currently enrolled in the TEFAP program? Join us to learn about recent TEFAP changes and/or what you need to take part in this program as a partner agency.

### How to Collect Monthly Statistics!

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13** from **2 PM - 3 PM**

Have questions about what information to collect from your guests to submit your agency's monthly statistics? We are offering an extensive interactive Statistics training! This workshop is intended for staff/volunteers who will be transitioning into a statistics role at your agency or someone in the role who would like additional training.

### SNAP 101: Back to Basics

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14** from **2 PM - 3 PM**

Learn and/or review how to complete a SNAP application

## MARCH

### Hybrid Handler Food Safety Course for Food Pantries

**TUESDAY, MARCH 4** from **11:30 AM - 12:30 PM**

See above for description.

### Get Gardening!

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26** from **2:30 PM - 3:30 PM**

Want to learn more about the benefits of gardening, where you can find gardening tools, resources, and info for your agency or your guests? Join *Healthy Habits* to learn more about community gardens, where to get free seeds, and how you can set up your own community garden - in time for Rhode Island's growing season. In addition to sampling a *Healthy Habits* recipe and getting to start your own plant, each agency represented will take home a collection of seed packets to give out at their agencies.