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The Health Plan Donates \$360,000 to West Virginia Food Banks

WEST VIRGINIA – January 26, 2024 – The Health Plan (THP) donated a total of \$360,000 to food banks across the state of West Virginia. THP presented \$30,000 checks to 12 different food banks as part of the organization's annual "Spirit of Giving" campaign.

"We are grateful to The Health Plan for their support of our mission, and we share with them a vision of a healthier Ohio Valley," said Mark Phillips, president and CEO of Catholic Charities West Virginia. "Through their generosity, we continue to provide services to those who are most vulnerable in our community."

These donations will help each organization restock their pantries and provide warm meals to West Virginians in need, allowing each organization to continue changing lives and making an impact across the state.

"At The Health Plan, we understand the profound impact proper nutrition has on the health and wellbeing of the communities we serve," said Jeff Knight, president and CEO of The Health Plan. "We're honored to support these outstanding organizations in their mission to provide nutritious, warm meals to those in need. Together, we can create positive change and build a healthier, more resilient West Virginia for all."

The Health Plan donated more than half a million dollars to nonprofit organizations in 2023 alone.

About The Health Plan

The Health Plan is a clinically driven, technology-enhanced, and customer-focused health maintenance organization that manages and improves the health and well-being of its members. Established in 1979, the West Virginia-based company has offered a complete line of managed care products and services designed to provide health care systems and clients with innovative health care benefits and plans at a reasonable cost across the mid-Atlantic region and nationally.



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Food Banks Include:

Charleston, WV

- Campbell's Creek
 Church of the Nazarene
- Union Mission Ministries

Gassaway, WV

Mountaineer Food Bank

Huntington, WV

• Huntington City Mission

Morgantown, WV

• Christian Help

Parkersburg, WV

• Old Man River's Mission

Wheeling, WV

- Catholic Charities
- House of the Carpenter
- Soup Kitchen of Greater Wheeling
- St. James' Evangelical Lutheran Church
- St. Luke's Episcopal Church
- St. Matthew's Episcopal Church

