## Why do we collect data?

**What**: We will collect basic information from each household attending our food distribution. (For our purposes, "household" means people who live together and share food.) All information is **ANONYMOUS** and **CONFIDENTIAL**. Your answers will not affect your ability to receive food here now or in the future. Questions you will be asked include:

- 1. Is this your household's first-time accessing food here?
- 2. How many people live in your household?
- 3. How many children (0-5, 6-11, 12-17) live in your household?
- 4. How many older adults (60+) live in your household?
- 5. How many veterans live in your household?
- 6. Is your household receiving SNAP/ EBT/Nutrition Assistance? \*You can still receive food even if you do/ do not receive SNAP

**Who**: You will either be asked to fill out the questions on your own, or someone from our team will ask you the questions.

**Where**: This information will be collected at our site when you pick up food here.

**When**: We will ask you these questions at each distribution you attend.

**Why**: To ensure we can provide the right types and amount of food to meet everyone's needs.