

Policy Innovation

God's Love We Deliver cultivates policy solutions to ensure we are reaching those who need us most. Solutions include developing and publishing informative policy briefs and toolkits, advocating for access for our vulnerable clients and working with healthcare partners to identify and refer clients for our services. You can explore our innovation programs and projects below.

Recent Awards



NYS Department of Health Award

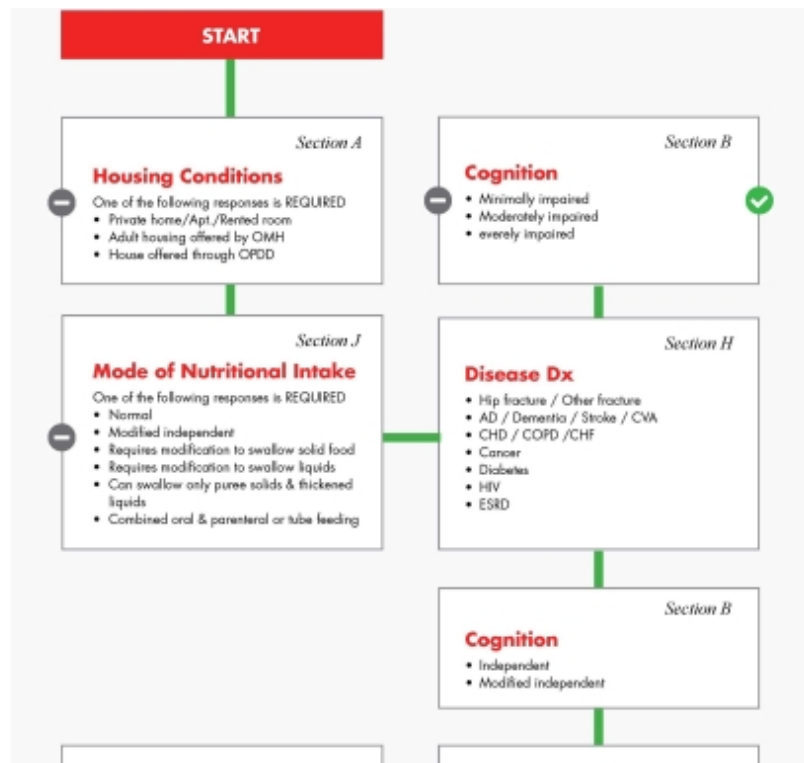
God's Love was chosen as a winner for the Social Determinants of Health Innovation Award in the Community-Based Organization category.



COMMUNITY PARTNERS PROGRAM REFERRAL TOOL

Instructions:

Referral recommendation based upon completed Uniform Assessment System Section. More instruction Copy Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Fusce vitae ornare



NYS Balancing Incentives Program Outstanding Project Award

The Balancing Incentives Program provides states with financial incentives to increase access to non-institutional long-term services and supports (LTSS) and our project received recognition by the New York State Department of Health. Through our project we were able to expand our service area to Nassau and Westchester Counties for our Community Partners Program and created a referral tool to help care managers identify those who are most at risk for malnutrition.

Publications & Policy Papers



Using Advocacy to Expand Opportunities for Food and Nutrition Services in Public and Private Healthcare Systems



The Food is Medicine Advocacy Toolkit

God's Love We Deliver partnered with the Center for Health Law and Policy Innovation at Harvard Law School to publish The Food is Medicine Advocacy Toolkit.

This toolkit is designed to support the efforts of food and nutrition services (FNS) agencies by providing practical guidance on how to identify and take advantage of existing opportunities to partner with health insurance systems to deliver medically tailored meals to patients who need them.



Health of HIV Infected People

Food, Nutrition and Lifestyle
with Antiretroviral Drugs

Health of HIV Infected People (1st Edition): Food, Nutrition and Lifestyle with Antiretroviral Drugs - Chapter 13. Food Is Medicine

This chapter focuses on The Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Food and Nutrition Services Program as a Model for Comprehensive Food and Nutrition Services for severely or chronically ill people in the United States



**GOD'S LOVE
WE DELIVER®**

FOOD IS MEDICINE

We are dedicated to cooking and delivering the specific, nutritious meals a client's severe illness and treatment so urgently require. **Serving the greater New York City metropolitan area since 1985.**

Mission in Action



1,800,000

Meals per year

7,000

Meals per day



10,000

Volunteers adding \$2M in service

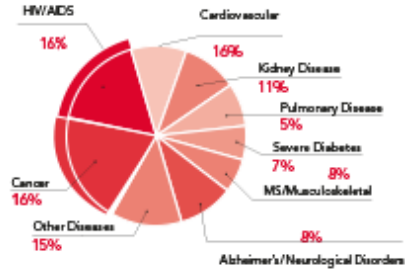


134%+

Growth in meals in 10 years

People Served

DIAGNOSIS



7,000 People

91% are clients 5% are caregivers 4% are children

God's Love We Deliver Policy Summary



Policy Priorities
FOOD IS MEDICINE™
COALITION

Food is Medicine Coalition (FIMC)

We are an association of nonprofit medically tailored food and nutrition service providers across the country that serve thousands of severely and chronically ill individuals.

Our Priorities

To provide

a complete, evidence-based, medical food and nutrition intervention to critically and chronically ill people in their communities

To advance public policy

that supports access to medically tailored food and nutrition services for people with severe and/or chronic illnesses

To promote research

on the efficacy of food and nutrition services on health outcomes and cost of care

To share best practices

in the provision of medically tailored meals and of nutrition education and counseling

FIMC Service



56,000

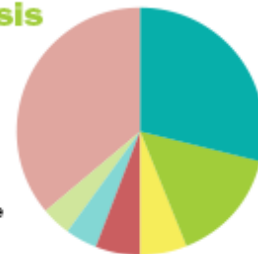
clients served in FY18



Over 12 million

meals served in FY18

Primary Diagnosis



Food is Medicine Coalition Policy Priorities