

Interfaith AIDS Ministry

Mission:

Interfaith AIDS Ministry of Greater Danbury (IAM) is a not for profit organization providing unconditional support services to assist clients in meeting the needs of mind, body and spirit while providing critical educational programs that respond to a diverse community.

A nutritionist is funded by the University of Connecticut who offers education regarding choosing healthful diets of our pantry recipients. Acting as a personal shopper, clients learn on the spot, what foods are best for them given their medical status. We are the only pantry to offer these services.



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THE LIVING PANTRY

You Choose What You Want



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The Living Pantry

The Living Pantry is a client choice, personal shopping, food and personal care pantry, providing fresh foods including meat, poultry, fruits and vegetables and dairy products, along with non-perishable food, personal care items and nutrition education, for those living with HIV/AIDS and their families and/or significant others.

The Living Pantry was started in 1995 to meet the special needs of those living with HIV disease. HIV is a debilitating virus that can interrupt the body's ability to fight off life threatening diseases. Research has shown that eating a healthy diet can lessen the impact of the disease.

Furthermore, people with HIV/AIDS are, thankfully, living longer but they are developing diseases such as hypertension, diabetes, heart disease, and kidney disease all of which are impacted by food choices.

The goal of the Living Pantry is to assist people living



What makes our pantry preferable for those living with HIV/AIDS?



- Client Choice -You choose what you want
 - The pantry is open bi- weekly
- Fresh foods including meats, vegetables, fruits, bread, dairy products
- Non-perishable food with an emphasis on protein and micronutrients
 - Personal care items
- Nutrition education through food shopping assistance
- Nutrition education through recipes, food safety tips, nutrition focused lunch and learn forums, tastings
 - HIV/AIDS prevention resources available
- Home delivery option, if necessary
- Bi-lingual assistance and material available

JOIN OUR

ADOPT A FAMILY PROGRAM

Become one of our clients who are partaking in our many services.

- Holiday Celebrations —We provide families with Thanksgiving Meals and December Holiday Meals. We also provide Holiday gifts for the entire family.



- Birthday in a Box—We provide children of our clients the makings of a birthday party including candles and cake and very cute stuffed animal.
- Back to School— We provide children with all their needs to start the school year. Backpacks are filled with the necessary school supplies.
- Emergency Funds— We all can use a helping hand. When all other resources have been exhausted we

