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Project Description							
GCICA operating as Our Neighbor's Pantry provided food boxes that were nutritionally complete following the guideline of the Tucson Community Food Bank. We also had available baby food and formula. Because we know that most church food banks do not have these items on hand, we made them available to those groups that regularly see families with babies coming for assistance. In the few months that we have been in operation, we have seen a significant increase in the requests for food boxes. Since we have received a refrigerated container from the state, we hope in the future to offer more produce and dairy products. Currently we have only a limited supply of these food items. As part of grants, we have be able to offer diapers and non food items such as toilet paper and personal products.							
Amount Received							
\$1000.00							
How did this project make a difference in reducing childhood hunger in Arizona							
We were able to offer a nutritious box of food that could supply meals for three days. Unfortunately childhood hunger is a reality that cannot be corrected with one box of food a month. However, it has made the public more aware of the need. We have also been blessed with people regularly donating food items so perhaps we will be able to continue to serve those in need in our county							
Number of children served							
389 to date. I will provide the data for the remaining days that we are open in September							
Number of meals served							
1 box equals 3 to 4 meals							
Number of snacks served							
0							
Description of meals/snack served							
Description of most popular meal/snack served							
What improvement/impact was made							
We have been able to provide a food box that would feed a family for three days. The community knows about us now and is coming for food. People are volunteering and donating food that can be used by our clients. These boxes include cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, canned vegetables, peanut butter, refried beans, tomato sauce, canned fruit, and such foods as supplied by the Tucson Community Food Bank.							
How did you measure the success of the project							
People are grateful to be able to obtain a food box once a month to supplement their food stamps. We measured the success of the project by how quickly the residents of the county learned that we had food available and came for assistance							
Will the program continue							
We plan to continue as long as there is a need.							
Additional Information							