

emergency food for local people in crisis

Foodbank Statistics (11/9/17)

Rolling year on year monthly food parcel totals

| Month | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | |
|-------|------|------------|-----------|--|
| April | 125 | 115 | 146 (27%) | |
| May | 99 | 117 | 144 | |
| June | 109 | 117 | 141 | |
| July | 112 | 114 | 128 | |
| Aug | 109 | 152 | 226 (49%) | |
| Sept | 105 | 150 | 144 | |
| Oct | 106 | 124 | | |
| Nov | 96 | 182 | | |
| Dec | 159 | 175 | | |
| | | | | |
| Month | 2016 | 2017 | | |
| Jan | 112 | 186 | | |
| Feb | 124 | 161 | | |
| March | 110 | 195 (+77%) | | |

Total food in and out this year

Since 1st January 2017 we have received 24,355.5kg in food donations. Over 8900kg of this has come from our Tesco collections and the permanent collection points in North Berwick and Musselburgh Tesco stores.¹

Since 1st January 2017 we have distributed 25,981.52kg as food parcels, plus a further 1700kg to other charitable groups.

Demand for Food Parcels

| Time period | Total no parcels | Average no monthly parcels | Average weekly parcels | | | |
|--|------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| 12 months ending 31 st August 2016 | 1472 | 123 | 28 | | | |
| 12 months ending 31 st August 2017 | 1952 | 162 | 38 | | | |
| % increase | 33% | 31% | 36% | | | |

¹ 52% all food donated over last 2 years has come from Tesco collections

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Statistics for 12 months ending 30th September 2017

Total no. of people fed: 4152

• 37% of these were under the age of 16

Who are parcels issued to?

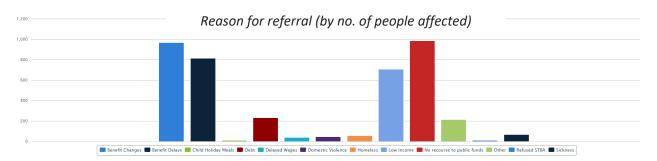
- 52% to single people
- 19% to single parents
- 16% to families
- 10% to couples
- 3% to other

% of parcels distributed by Ward

| Dunbar and East Linton | 4% |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Fa'side | 23% |
| Haddington and Lammermuir | 10% |
| Musselburgh | 35% |
| North Berwick Coastal | 6% |
| Preston, Seton and Gosford | 18% |
| Unknown | 3% |
| Other | <1% |

Top 3 reasons for referrals

Over 70% of referrals were due to refused crisis grant (30%), benefit changes (21%) and benefit delays (20%).



Top 5 referral agencies and crisis types

| Agency | % of | Crisis type | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--|----------------|------------|
| | referrals | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Scottish Welfare Fund | 29% | No recourse to public funds (refused crisis grant) | | |
| Musselburgh CAB | 8% | Benefit changes | Benefit delays | Low income |
| Children's Wellbeing | 7% | Benefit changes | Benefit delays | Low income |
| Social work | 7% | Benefit changes | Benefit delays | Low income |
| Criminal Justice | 7% | Benefit changes | Benefit delays | Low income |