OIGP Social Justice Seminar Series

Food Insecurity: Describing the Situation and Becoming Part of the Solution

Food insecurity is a reality for 14% of all US households and approximately 20% of households with children. The inability to obtain acceptable food in socially acceptable ways that defines food insecurity is similarly prevalent in Indiana at 14% of all households. Food insecurity has been linked with negative dietary and health outcomes. These outcomes along with food insecurity are targeted to be improved by national and local food assistance programs. New interventions, links with the local foods movement, and Extension programs have potential for reaching food insecure families and communities with a high prevalence of food insecurity. This seminar offers a conversation about hunger and food insecurity basics in the US, as well as how you can make a difference in your local community to address these issues.

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