



NEW MEXICO TASK FORCE TO END HUNGER

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New Mexico Task Force to End Hunger to Hold News Conference on New Mexico Hunger Awareness Day, June 9

Santa Fe, June 6, 2005—The New Mexico Task Force to End Hunger, led by the Human Services Department, the Children, Youth and Families Department and other state agencies will update reporters on the **progress** New Mexico has had over the past few years in its efforts to reduce the number of New Mexicans suffering from hunger and food insecurity.

The news conference will also provide information about the many food programs available to New Mexico families to help them put food on their table. These programs include: the Summer Food Program, the Food Stamp Program, the Women, Infants and Children Program, senior centers' meal, and student nutrition programs. The news conference will include a tour of the Meals on Wheels Program kitchen, where volunteers will be preparing meals for hundreds of New Mexico's seniors.

Reporters interested in noon live shots or further video opportunities for New Mexico Hunger Awareness Day are invited to visit one of CYFD's Summer Food Program sites, located at Montgomery Park, (San Mateo and Palo Duro, NE - Eastside of San Mateo, one block north of Comanche). Lunch is served at noon.

**The news conference will be held Thursday, June 9, 2005 at 9:30 a.m. at the Meals on Wheels site,
located at the Presbyterian Northside Building, 5901 Harper N.E. in Albuquerque.
(See attached map.)**

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New Mexico Task Force
to End Hunger-General Meeting!
At Albuquerque Meals on Wheels,
Presbyterian Northside,
Lower Level.

