**VOLUNTEERING DURING COVID-19**

Volunteers are an integral part of the Greater Cleveland Food Bank's mission to ensure that the people in our communities have the nutritious food that they need every day. We are following the recommendations of the CDC/Ohio Department of Health and have posted their guidelines and informational material in public areas at Food Bank.

**PRECAUTIONS WE ARE TAKING**

In an effort to be cautious and minimize food safety concerns, the Greater Cleveland Food Bank has implemented social distancing for our volunteers and staff.

We want to remind all volunteers that the following is required:

- All volunteers must wash their hands prior to handling food or materials in any of our volunteer project areas.
- For certain projects, volunteers must wear gloves, hairnets and/or aprons for the duration of their shifts.

We ask all volunteers that are displaying signs of illness to not volunteer until their symptoms have improved. If you are not feeling well, please cancel your scheduled shift.

In an effort to minimize food safety concerns, we are asking that all volunteers sign a waiver prior to their shift stating that:

- In the past 14 days you have not traveled to any areas impacted by widespread transmission of the COVID-19 Virus.
- You are not experiencing any of the following symptoms:
  - FEVER
  - COUGH
  - SHORTNESS OF BREATH

If you answer **YES** to any of the following questions, please **DO NOT** sign up to volunteer:

? Have you traveled outside of the U.S. or to a major city in the past 2 weeks?

? Do you live with or frequently visit an elderly person (60+) or someone with health concerns?

? Do you live with/frequently visit someone who is pregnant, or are you pregnant?

? Do you live with or frequently visit children (age 10 and under)?