

## Causes of hunger

1. Poverty
  - a. Family dynamics
  - b. Cultural Dynamics
  - c. Education
2. Food scarcity
  - a. Loss of Agricultural Land
  - b. Regional Production areas
    - i. availability
  - c. Regulations
    - i. Water
    - ii. Air
    - iii. Licenses
3. Climate
  - a. Land
  - b. Weather
4. Economy
  - a. Price of healthy foods
  - b. Price of workers
  - c. Profitable to grow specialty crops than nutritional crops
5. Food waste
  - a. Subsidy
  - b. Education
  - c. Availability

## Solutions for Hunger

6. Education
  - a. Promotion of agriculture education and nutritional needs
7. Implement farmstead act.
  - a. to preserve agricultural lands and prevent/slow urban sprawl
8. Reduce or limit organic farming
  - a. Promote GMO's and incentivize diversified productions
  - b. Re-evaluate copyrights on living organisms
  - c. Eliminate subsidies
    - i. Do this slowly to wean the farmer off of Gov't money
9. Government incentives
  - a. Reusing empty plots of land with in cities for food gardens
  - b. Building up and not out
  - c. Food miles