

Community Service Reflection

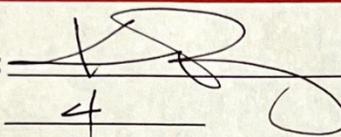
South Plains Food Bank is a location in Lubbock that serves many ways to 20 different counties. It started in 1983, that is 40 years. They do multiple different services for the low-income homes such as food boxes, mobile pantries that travel to 19 of the 20 counties they serve, they provide classes such as: cooking, budgeting, and diabetic management. They have a farm located in Lubbock that is designed to teach teens life skills and give them an opportunity to work. They provide nutritious meals to children after school and during school breaks and vacations. They also provide monthly food boxes for the elderly that meet poverty guidelines. The South Plains Food Bank gets their funding from grants and donations. These donations are from civilians as well as Stores, banks, and other local businesses. Today I volunteered for the first time here and I will for sure return. I enjoyed everything about today, this is kind of funny but as a child I always wanted to restock a grocery store. We filled boxes today with dry food, every box was the exact same and we stacked them onto a pallet. I helped fill 283 boxes and it made me feel proud. I just helped feed 283 families, not just any family but families in need. That feels amazing. If there is one thing, I do in this world I hope I put a smile on someone's face. I want to give back, as a child I was blessed to receive a food box and I remember getting home and being so excited about having food. I hope there is someone out there that feels the same way. We have such a great community that helps provide this food and blesses the people who need it most. I learned that I take a lot for granted and it opened my eyes, hearing the bell ring every time a family was there to pick up a box was heart breaking, I can't even count how many times I heard the bell ring. I realize they are blessed that there is a place like this that can help them with food. South Plains Food Bank helps 100,000 people a year. I have learned so much about this experience, GOD is good.

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LVN-RN Community/Ancillary Service Experience Covenant School of Nursing

(Student to fill out this section PRIOR to clinical experience)

Date: 2/1/24 Student's Name: Brittany Escobar
Organization: Covenant School of Nursing
Site address: 6005 MILK BLV JR.
Volunteer duties: Fill Food boxes.

Signature of Staff:  Phone #: 806.642.6120

Hours completed: 4

Thank you for allowing a nursing student from **Covenant School of Nursing** LVN-RN Track to participate in your community/ancillary service site today.

Please call one of the Instructor's, **Ester McWilliams (806) 317-9680** (cell) or **Dondi Kilpatrick (806) 239-6263** (cell) for additional comments regarding student performance and/or participation in your area today.

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