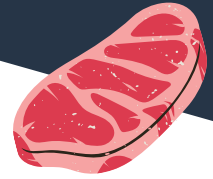


BHP

MIGHTY MEAT PACKERS



Every year, up to four million people in Australia - 18% of the population - regularly experience food insecurities. All year round, Foodbank works hard to change this and alleviate hunger throughout Australia. Working in partnership with BHP, the not-for-profit organisation provides more than 70% of the food for relief organisations nation-wide: a massive and very important contribution which actively ensures people and families don't go hungry.

On Thursday 20 January a joyful team of five from the IPL Cohort team volunteered on their time to assist Foodbank within their warehouse. On the sizzling 40 degree day, the team moved into the refreshing cool room after the welcome tour and were tasked with packing together meat packs. Each pack valued at \$15 and consisted of various cuts and types of meat. The team worked together to form a production line to achieve maximum efficiency. Midway through the morning, a well deserved coffee break was in order to energize the team so they could get back to work. In the afternoon, the team had the opportunity to swap jobs along the production line and continued packing. After multiple filled metal crates and plenty of hard work, the team had successfully packaged 415 meat packs which would then be sold within Foodbank agency space or distributed throughout the various Foodbank hubs in WA. It was a productive day, with music playing and great conversations had throughout the day. The team did an amazing job for Foodbank and we hope they enjoyed their volunteer experience.



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