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Throughout this write up I will be referring to the End Campus Hunger organization as ECH. At ECH the stakeholders are the volunteers that put forth countless hours to committed to ending food insecurity and chronic hunger among ODU students. They seek students to volunteer their time to help administer the program, usually requesting that participants volunteer two hours a week to assist. The program seeks to improve the sense of community experienced by all students involved. Local food banks and/or organizations that donate to the agency stand out. This could be time, food, money, etc. The stakeholders will serve as a resource for information on schedules, availability, general logistics of how things should operate.

I will be evaluating ECR using Improvement-focused model. There may have been room for using Objective-based model to complement, but I am going forward using the Improvement-focused model. I will be evaluating ECR as it relates to improving the sense of community on campus and in the immediate surrounding areas. The stakeholders will play a vital part in the evaluation by offering data that will be used in creating the evaluation criteria

There will be 2 questions that will be posed. The first being my qualitative question that asks, “What are the trends in people helped (in weight of food) over the past 5 years?” By asking this question to the volunteers we can look at what has gone on in the past years as it relates to the goal of the organization. The remaining question, “How are the volunteers forging a sense of community and togetherness on campus and its immediate surroundings”? Not only is this being a goal of the organization, but this could also help in finding ways to support community involvement more effectively in the program. As a reminder, our qualitative question is one that is descriptive in nature and is expressed in various ways of language versus numeric.

The data collection methods that will be used will be by doing surveys (written) for researching/measuring trends in people helped. The question of how the volunteers are forging a sense of community on campus and its immediate surrounding area, will be done by reviewing the organizations records and any other viable documentation. This method will be used for measuring quantitative data. Again, quantitative data is data that can be quantified, or given numerical value. Reviewing archived data will assist in many different areas of the program. enough nutrition from the food given to them as per the daily nutritional requirements as set fourth by the FDA (Food and Drug Administration). The answer to these questions will further help ECH provide the environment needed to continue to progress towards the organizational goal.



Changes made for clarity.

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