For Atlanta Community Food Bank, the report shows that **1 in 7 people**, or an estimated **755,400 people**, in 250,000 households in metro Atlanta and north Georgia turn to food pantries and meal service programs to feed themselves and their families each year (80,600 a week). This includes **more than 164,000 children** and **more than 64,000 seniors**. Clients are visiting ACFB partner agencies an average of 8 times during the year.

**HUNGER IN AMERICA FACTS 2014**

**TOUGH CHOICES**
Atlanta Community Food Bank client households frequently face tough choices in an effort to ensure they have sufficient food. 76% had to choose between paying for food and utilities, 82% percent had to choose between food and transportation, 73% had to choose between food and medical care, 62% had to choose between food and housing, 39% had to choose between food and education.

**FOOD**
- 40% (43% EACH MONTH)

**UTILITIES**
- 76% (46% EACH MONTH)

**TRANSPORTATION**
- 82% (46% EACH MONTH)

**MEDICAL CARE**
- 73% (36% EACH MONTH)

**HOUSING**
- 62% (35% EACH MONTH)

**EDUCATION**
- 39% (22% EACH MONTH)

**ACFB CLIENT HOUSEHOLDS**
83% of Atlanta Community Food Bank client households live at or below the poverty line.

**56%**
**HAVE MONTHLY INCOMES BELOW $1000**

In 2014, the poverty guideline for a family of 4 is $23,850.

**CHILDREN AND SENIORS SERVED**

**52%**
**OF HOUSEHOLDS HAVE A MEMBER WITH DIABETES.**

**40%**
**OF HOUSEHOLDS HAVE A MEMBER WITH DIABETES.**

**66%**
**HAVE HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE**

**28%**
**OF RESPONDANTS HAVE FACED FORECLOSURE OR EVICTION IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS**

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