Stage description
This stage is focused on the production of food. Some of the initiatives that are part of this stage are urban agriculture (urban farms and resident owned food gardens), community gardens, and forest harvesting.

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SOME IDEAS
- Expanding raised beds program in Boston Public Schools and neighborhoods
- Outpatient space for community garden in neighborhoods
- Locally grown food aggregation and distribution
- Budget
- Create programs that will later require City Budget

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BRAINSTORMING RECOMMENDATIONS

TOP 3
- COOP
- Resources for residents
- Partnerships

FOOD ACCESS
ARP Community Meeting

Processing and Adding Value - Idea Mapping

Stage description
This stage is focused on creating/cooking food products with value added. Some of the initiatives that are part of this stage are community kitchens.

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BRAINSTORMING

Community kitchens
- Cooking classes
- Community kitchen
- Canning
- Shared kitchen
- Supplies and equipment
- Raw ingredients
- Canning
- Food preservation
- Recipes
- Fresh Truck
- Meal kits
- Cooking classes + Cookbook
- Meal kits, cultural appropriate
- Youth & Family Cooking Classes
- Permits for Home Chefs
- SNAP Ed + cooking classes
- Community Kitchen
- Youth-led kitchens that are their own business
- Youth-led kitchens
- SNAP
- Hubs

Residential Kitchens

Top 3

Cultural Community Hub Kitchens
Meals Kitchens
Cooking Classes - Cultural, Rescue, Preserving
Stage description
This stage is focused on getting the food products to communities and people. We can distinguish two different distribution models: for profit and free. In the for profit model some of the initiatives are farmers markets, corner stores, bodegas, etc. Free/affordable distribution models include: food pantries, food distribution sites, community fridges, etc.

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TOP 3
FOOD HUB
DELIVERY + COORDINATION + DELIVERY TEAM PAID
FM COUPONS + AFFORDABLE STORES

BRAINSTORMING RECOMMENDATIONS

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Stage description

This stage is focused on marketing and getting the word out about the different locations that can connect residents to food or help them during times of distress to access free or affordable food. Some of the initiatives that are part of this stage are SNAP, WIC, Double Up Food Bucks, OFA Chatbot, SNAP outreach partners, etc.

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BRAINSTORMING RECOMMENDATIONS

Coordinated outreach for SNAP Outreach Partners

Recipe cards

Targeted outreach to neighborhoods and students

Culturally relevant food guide

Community food and resources hub

Public health nutrition education

Community food workers

Snack food + nutrition education + SNAP outreach campaign

Mass Media

Door to door outreach

SNAP and Nutrition Education + Schools

Reach out to local SNAP and SNAP School

SNAP and Nutrition + Education + Schools

SNAP Outreach + Nutrition + Education + Schools

Billboards

Food access + SNAP Outreach + Education + Schools

Put another ad on the hub. Have a program to feed homeless and more

Teach about food aid programs in schools

Nutrition education and coordination of SNAP program

Schools and SNAP

Teach about food aid programs in schools

SNAP outreach + Nutrition + Education + Schools

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Community-led outreach + targeted campaign

Neighborhood info hubs

Schools HUBS

Food Access Data

"See" Community Food Workers

Language Access

Information about SNAP/food aid needs

Support with the food bank

Run food aid hubs

Include language about how to do in various languages

Find out who is running the program are

Spanish outreach needs to be translated

Incentive for SNAP

 ALSO need transparency of data

Materials in schools, community centers, etc

It's also full transparency in community

Do TV and radio and newspaper ads

Recruitment

More outreach for SNAP

Reach out to those people. Not existing networks to connect with

Find ways to get across the need

Use existing social networks to reach those in need

Use social media to reach those in need

Do TV and radio and newspaper ads

Communicate

We can communicate through social media, ads

Contact information for each food aid

Sanitize food is healthy, clean, some form of alert

Community + SNAP outreach partners

Some of the initiatives that are part of this stage
times of distress to access free or affordable food.

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OUTREACH AND FOOD SAFETY PROGRAMS - IDEA MAPPING

SOME IDEAS

Universal food insecurity screen at community health centers + other partners

Culturally relevant food guide

Community food and resources hub

Nutrition education

Community food workers

Summer and after-school meal program in collaboration with restaurants

TOP 3

Community led outreach

School as hubs, teaching+material information

Language access, translation and classes. Food workers train