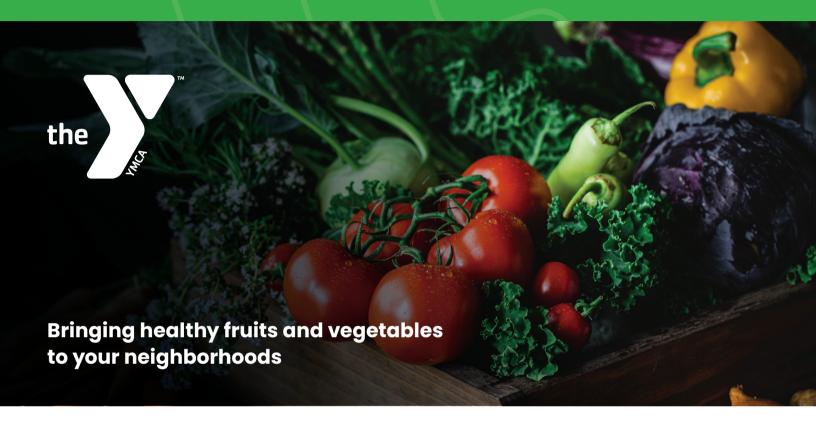
VEGGIE VAN

A Mobile Marketplace





The 3 Principles

Though the world may be unpredictable, one thing remains certain - the Y. The Tampa YMCA is, and always will be, dedicated to building healthy, confident, connected and secure children, adults, families and communities. To that end, the Tampa YMCA offers the Veggie Van, focused on three principles:

DISTRIBUTION of fresh fruits and vegetables to individuals and families in need throughout food deserts and food swamps across Hillsborough and East Pasco Counties

EDUCATION through healthy living and eating tips along with demonstration

Serving Annually:



25,000+Kids and families



20,000+
Bags of fresh produce



200,000~

Pounds of produce, equivalent to 150,000 meals

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY opportunities



Veggie Van Information

The Veggie Van serves all individuals and families, and was created to assist populations who are working but due to factors such as child care expenses, transportation challenges, and the high cost of living are existing paycheck-to-paycheck and are unable to prioritize healthier food options.

The Veggie Van is available every other Wednesday at the TGH Specialty Center at Healthpark at 1:00 p.m.

January 17, 2024 February 7, 2024 February 21, 2024 March 6, 2024 March 20, 2024 April 3, 2024 April 17, 2024 May 1, 2024 June 5, 2024 July 3, 2024 August 7, 2024 August 21, 2024 September 4, 2024 September 18, 2024

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