



# RELIEF EFFORTS

The Roberto Clemente Foundation serves communities (with an emphasis on Puerto Rico) through disaster relief and food insecurity initiatives.

## FAST FACTS



### Disaster Relief

- Mobilized resources in the wake of natural disasters
- Delivered essential groceries to families in rural and urban areas
- Collaborated with the Major League Baseball Players Association, Major League Baseball Players Alumni Association, UPI, local veterans' organizations to execute efficient aid distribution



### Food Security

- In partnership with El Comedor de la Kennedy
- Packed and delivered thousands of bags of groceries to families in need
- Delivered hundreds of hot meals to needy individuals
- Packed and delivered 150 "Blessings in a Backpack/Mochilas Alegre" with fresh groceries at **El Comedor de la Kennedy** for children at **Roberto Clemente Elementary School** in San Juan
- Prepared meals and assisted at Banco de Alimentos's **Centro de Ayuda Social/Luz del Mundo's** food pantry
- Supported and assisted
  - packing more than 10,000 meals at Citi Field in New York on 2022 Roberto Clemente Day with **Rise Against Hunger** and current and former MLB players, MLB and NY Mets employees
  - packing more than 7,000 meals at the Louisville Slugger Museum with **Love the Hungry** for families in Puerto Rico
  - the Pirates 2024 Clemente Day of Service by packing and distributing meals at the Veterans Leadership Program to support to 150 veterans and their families
  - funding of **Blessings in Backpack**, providing weekend meals for Pittsburgh children served by the Boys & Girls Clubs of Western Pennsylvania



### Community Impact and Shelter Support

The Foundation provided financial assistance, food, clothing, and holiday gifts to dozens of shelters, elderly care homes, orphanages, and underserved communities in Puerto Rico including:

- **Centro Educativo Fray Pedro (School for deaf children-Ponce):** \$500 donation, holiday gifts, Home Depot gift cards
- **Hogar Albergue para Niños Jesús de Nazaret (Shelter for abused children-Mayagüez):** Children's clothing, holiday gifts, food
- **Centro de Envejecientes Ciudad de Retiro (Senior Citizen Center and Retirement Homes - Mayagüez)**
- **Hogar Portal de Amor, Hogar Cristo Pobre, Centro Santa Teresita, Hogar Amor que Sana, Villa Machuel, Casa de Restauración Eliabid**
- **Plenitud PR:** Support for orphaned children
- **Barrios in Arecibo & Manatí,** and underserved communities in **San Germán, Ponce, Hormigueros, Guánica, Mayagüez, Arecibo, Manatí, Guayama, Salinas, and Arroyo**

## Achievements

- ✓ 10,000 individuals and families served across 14 Puerto Rico municipalities
- ✓ Dozens of community organizations and shelters assisted
- ✓ Thousands of meals, gift packages delivered
- ✓ Established a reliable partner network for rapid, compassionate response