

Magellan's Bethlehem and Newtown Care Management Centers host food drives and a pet drive for local organizations

Magellan employees from the Bethlehem and Newtown Care Management Centers (CMCs) continued their holiday tradition of supporting local food drives and a pet drive.

At the Bethlehem CMC, Magellan organized a food drive to support the Second Harvest Food Bank of Lehigh Valley & Northeast Pennsylvania in Nazareth (a program of the Community Action Committee of the Lehigh Valley) and a pet drive to support Animals in Distress in Coopersburg. The food drive collected non-perishable food items and the pet drive collected animal shelter donations. Magellan also contributed \$140 to each organization, in addition to the donations collected in its office.

At the Newtown (CMC), Magellan employees coordinated office contests and other fun activities in support of the 17th annual Delaware County Thanksgiving Food Drive. Magellan's efforts were led by Julie Brown, senior account executive, Desiree Humbert, senior care worker and Elaine Bailiff, administrative assistant II. Magellan successfully collected more than 1,873 pounds of non-perishable food items between October and early-December. This community inspired initiative is truly a team effort of community-focused leaders coming together to help those that are less fortunate. This county-wide effort to address food insecurity for those relying on food centers for their survival is organized by Delaware County Council, Delaware County Department of Human Services, Delaware County Department of Intercommunity Health and Magellan. All proceeds benefit the Delco Inter-Faith Food Assistance Network (DIFAN) of Family and Community Service.