Cherokee County, SC at a glance

- Cherokee County has a population of 55,753.
- There are 12,292 individuals living at or below the poverty level. This represents 22% of the population.
- There are 995 individuals 65 years and older living at or below the poverty level. This represents 11.4% of the older adult population.
- There are 4,179 children living at or below the poverty level. This represents 31.7% of the child population.

Cherokee County Distribution

In 2019-2020, the Food Bank distributed over 70 million pounds of food and household items throughout our 24 county service region.

In 2019-2020, the Food Bank distributed over 2 million pounds to agencies in Cherokee County.

Cherokee County Partners

The Food Bank supports 9 programs in Cherokee County including Iron City Ministries, the Salvation Army, Peach Center Ministries, Voice of Triumph and Cherokee County Council on Aging.

Spartanburg Branch

Cherokee County agencies are in close proximity to the Spartanburg Branch. This greatly reduces time and transportation expenses for Cherokee agencies to acquire food.