

# Fix Universal Credit to Prevent More People Going Hungry



Dear Prime Minister

We share a vision of a society where everyone has access to good food, and no one has to go to bed hungry. We call on the UK Government to fix Universal Credit to prevent more people going hungry.

We all rely on the welfare safety net being there for us in times of financial stress or hardship. But Universal Credit is currently failing in this task.

In areas where Universal Credit has been rolled out, food banks and other food aid providers report a surge in the numbers of people pushed into greater debt, destitution and hunger as a result of delays, errors, a lack of flexibility, and inadequate support.

As a matter of urgency, please:

- Take action to improve the flexibility and support for people on Universal Credit.
- Make improvements to Universal Credit, to ensure it does not leave more people at risk of debt and destitution.
- Make a long-term commitment to ensure Universal Credit provides people with enough income to afford good food on a regular basis.

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I would like to receive weekly emails with updates and actions from End Hunger UK.

Please return this sheet to: End Hunger UK, 86 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9RT by 2 November. End Hunger UK will deliver the petition to the Prime Minister in early November. Thank you!

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