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Termination is rare at Feed My People. Feed My People is focused on meeting the basic survival needs of our clients, but we also try to assist clients in eventually being able to support themselves. Before considering termination, one of the first things we look at is what has changed in the client's life. For example, if client gets a job, we want to check in with the client to see if what they are making is going to be enough to where they will not need regular food bank support. Another factor we take into consideration is making sure the client is doing well mentally and emotionally. If we feel they are still struggling, we aim to provide whatever resources are available and necessary for them to use when moving forward. In addition, according to the Code of Ethics, once a client begins using Feed My People's services we ensure that we take the proper steps to avoid abandoning the client and make sure that they are getting the all the services that they are eligible for. If Feed My People decides to deny services, we always make sure that staff advises clients of their right to appeal the decision and to help the client with the appeal process. It is also important to provide clients with names, addresses, and telephone numbers of at least three appropriate referrals if they need it in the future. It is also essential to document all the decisions and actions concerning their termination. Feed My People also will provide the necessary clear instructions as to who to contact in an emergency as well as a list of telephone numbers that clients can contact. Feed My People also provide written instructions as to what the former client needs to do. It is also important to form an appropriate discharge plan and to notify third parties if there is risk involved. If there is a social worker involved, another key step is to provide the other options available to clients that can be used

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when if they need additional services. In addition, the agency needs to inform the client of the benefits and risks that are involved if their social worker may not be available in the future.

Lastly, even with an agency that provides basic needs like Feed My People, social workers should be able to modify the client's intervention approach if they feel the client is not making significant improvement while using their services. Agencies like Feed My People have limited resources and cannot continue to support clients who are not making progress towards self-sufficiency. The difference between Human Services organizations and charities is whether services are based on an expectation to eventually become self sufficient.