

## BASIC NEEDS ECOSYSTEM OF SUPPORT

<b>What?</b>	<b><i>Program Name?</i></b>	<b>How to Access?</b>	<b>Contact</b>
<b>College Network Intersecting Support for Basic Needs</b>	<b><i>Care and Prevention Team (CPT)</i></b>	A proactive approach to helping students in distress in non-emergency situations	Click on "Share a Concern" <a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/care-prevention-team/">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/care-prevention-team/</a>
<b>College Network Intersecting Support for Basic Needs</b>	<b><i>Direct Connect (DC)</i></b>	Direct Connect is a student navigation portal that centralizes essential SMC information for students	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/direct-connect/">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/direct-connect/</a>
<b>College Network Intersecting Support for Basic Needs</b>	<b><i>Gateway to Persistence &amp; Success (GPS)</i></b>	SMC's GPS (Gateway to Persistence and Success) is an online platform to support student success and retention. Faculty can proactively reach out to students to get them involved and supported in their academic success	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/academic-support/counseling/gps/">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/academic-support/counseling/gps/</a>
<b>Emergency Financial Support</b>	<b><i>TBA</i></b>	Emergency support is available for qualified students with an urgent need - one where a financial situation will impede the student's ability to continue their upward trajectory, has the potential to cause major disruption, or where there are no safety nets in place	TBA
<b>Food Support</b>	<b><i>Bodega</i></b>	See hours of operations	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/basicneeds">smc.edu/basicneeds</a>
<b>Food Support</b>	<b><i>Bodega Bites</i></b>	Visit one of the 15 locations across the main and satellite	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/basicneeds">smc.edu/basicneeds</a>
<b>Food Support</b>	<b><i>Meal Project</i></b>	Schedule meeting with Basic Needs Counselor	<a href="mailto:foodsecurity@smc.edu">foodsecurity@smc.edu</a>
<b>Food Support</b>	<b><i>CalFresh</i></b>	Schedule meeting with Basic Needs Counselor or apply directly using link	<a href="https://www.getcalfresh.org/?source=santa-monica-college">https://www.getcalfresh.org/?source=santa-monica-college</a>
<b>Free Prescription Glasses</b>	<b><i>Glasses-4-Classes</i></b>	Students must personally complete this application and submit it to: healthcenter@smc.edu	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/health-services/documents/glasses-for-classes.pdf">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/health-services/documents/glasses-for-classes.pdf</a>

<b>Health &amp; Wellbeing</b>	<i>The Center for Wellness and Wellbeing</i>	Provides a range of psychological services to help enhance the overall personal wellbeing of students	For more mental health services, visit: smc.edu/wellness  For more health center info, visit: smc.edu/healthcenter
<b>Housing Support</b> Serves Ages 18-24	<i>Safe Place for Youth (SPY)</i>	Students experiencing an immediate need for shelter can call 2-1-1 for local availability	Safe Place for Youth 310-902-2283
<b>Housing Support</b> Serves ages 25+	<i>The People Concern</i>	Students experiencing an immediate need for shelter can call 2-1-1 for local availability	The People Concern 323-334-9000
<b>Housing Support</b> Serves Ages 25+	<i>St. Joseph Center</i>	Students experiencing an immediate need for shelter can call 2-1-1 for local availability	St. Joseph Center 310-396-6468
<b>Housing Support</b> Serves ages 18-27 Serves F/T students only	<i>Los Angeles Room &amp; Board's Opportunity House</i>	Students experiencing an immediate need for shelter can call 2-1-1 for local availability	For more info, contact: locke_debra@smc.edu
<b>Personal Hygiene</b>	<i>Access to Showers</i>	SMC provides students who are homeless with access to showers located on the 2nd floor of Core Performance Center (CPC).	Fall 2022 Hours* M-Th: 7-10 PM Fri: 7 AM-6 PM
<b>Personal Hygiene</b>	<i>Bodega Rack - Access to Free Clothes</i>	The Bodega Rack is open during Bodega hours and offers free gently used clothing for students. Quantities vary. Student should inform instructor or counselor	See Bodega Hours <a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/basic-needs/food-security-programs.php">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/health-wellbeing/basic-needs/food-security-programs.php</a>
<b>Student Parents Needing Child Care Services</b>	<i>Child Care Access Means Parents in School program (CCAMPIS) Grant</i>	Full-time SMC student parents may be eligible to receive free child care for infants, toddlers, and preschool-age children while attending Santa Monica College. Students must be in good academic standing, maintaining a 2.0 GPA +. Students must be Pell Grant eligible based on FAFSA application	Visit: <a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/child-care/">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/child-care/</a>

<b>Student Parents Needing Child Care Services</b>		Undocumented, single-parent students, with at least 6 units and requiring financial need may qualify for alternative grant funding offered by the SMC	Visit: <a href="https://www.smc.edu/student-support/child-care/">https://www.smc.edu/student-support/child-care/</a>
<b>Technology</b>	<i>Promise Chromebook Project</i>	Free Chrome Books	<a href="https://www.smc.edu/admission-aid/promise-program/promise-chromebook-project.php">https://www.smc.edu/admission-aid/promise-program/promise-chromebook-project.php</a>
<b>Transportation</b>		Students who pay their Student Benefits fee* of \$22.50 per semester have free access to the following transportation options: Big Blue Bus Metro Culver City Bus LADOT Dash Norwalk Transit Montebello Bus City of Commerce Bike Share	*Fee waivers are issued by Basic Needs Counselors following student assessment  For more info, visit: <a href="https://www.smc.edu/about/campuses/parking-transportation/">https://www.smc.edu/about/campuses/parking-transportation/</a>