



# Basic Needs

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## Welcome!

SBVC understands that Basic Needs are the foundation for mental, emotional, and physical health which allows students to focus more time on their academics and pursuing their goals. Our goal is to connect students to on-and off-campus resources and provide educational opportunities for students to take personal responsibility for their wellness. Additionally, we aim for these connections to support students even after leaving San Bernardino Valley College.

If you are in need of Basic Need support and currently registered for classes, please complete Request Basic Need Service form.

For immediate assistance contact 2-I-I Inland Empire by dialing 211 or go to <https://inlandsocaluw.org/211> for housing assistance, shelter referrals, and access to county resource directory.

## Contact

[LaCretia Smith — Basic Needs Coordinator](#)  
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|  | <b><a href="#">Basic Needs Services Request</a></b> | → |
|  | <b><a href="#">One-time Support Request</a></b>     | → |
|  | <b><a href="#">Utility Assistance Request</a></b>   | → |
|  | <b><a href="#">Housing Options</a></b>              | → |

## Basic Needs Resources

**[CalFresh](#)**

[CalFresh Food \(SNAP\)](#) is a program that helps people buy food at their local farmer's market, grocery store, or online via an EBT card which is used like a debit card.

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**[Where Can I Use SNAP EBT?](#)**

The SNAP Retailer Locator allows anyone to locate nearby SNAP-authorized retailers by entering a street address, city and state or zip code. Enter your starting location and select a retailer or map point to get details and directions.

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**[Diaper Program](#)**

**[Homeless & Housing Insecurity Program](#)**

This program provides connection to short/long term housing, resources, case management, and financial literacy in an effort to support housing stability in order for students to continue their pursuit of academic goals.

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**[Valley 360° Resource Center \(Pantry\)](#)**

The Valley 360° Resource Center (Pantry) provides food, hygiene, and other items that become available for current San Bernardino Valley College students.

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**[CalEITC \(Earned Income Tax Credit\)](#)**



The Diaper Bank Program is sponsored by [Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County \(CAPSBC\)](#). →

TimelyCare



[San Bernardino Valley College students have FREE, 24/7 access to virtual care services with TimelyCare — a virtual health and well-being platform designed for college students. Students do not need insurance to access TimelyCare services.](#) →

Inland Empire Health Plan (IEHP)



[Get no or low-cost health care today! Inland Empire Health Plan \(IEHP\), the California Community College system and the San Bernardino Community College District \(SBCCD\) are partnering to connect college students to low-cost, high-quality health care and CalFresh programs.](#) →



The California Earned Income Tax Credit (CalEITC) and the Young Child Tax Credit are state tax credits for working Californians. If you qualify, you may see a reduced tax bill or a bigger refund. →

California Competes-Public Benefits Finder



[Public benefits can help make college affordable. Use the Public Benefit Finder for California Students to identify key supports and resources that can make college costs manageable.](#) →

FREE Metrolink Arrow Service



[In partnership with SBCTA and select colleges along the Arrow corridor, Metrolink is providing free rides on the Arrow service for students currently enrolled at Cal State San Bernardino, San Bernardino Valley College, and the University of Redlands.](#) →

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| <b>Health &amp; Wellness</b><br>Resources that support your health and well-being.           | ▼ |
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