



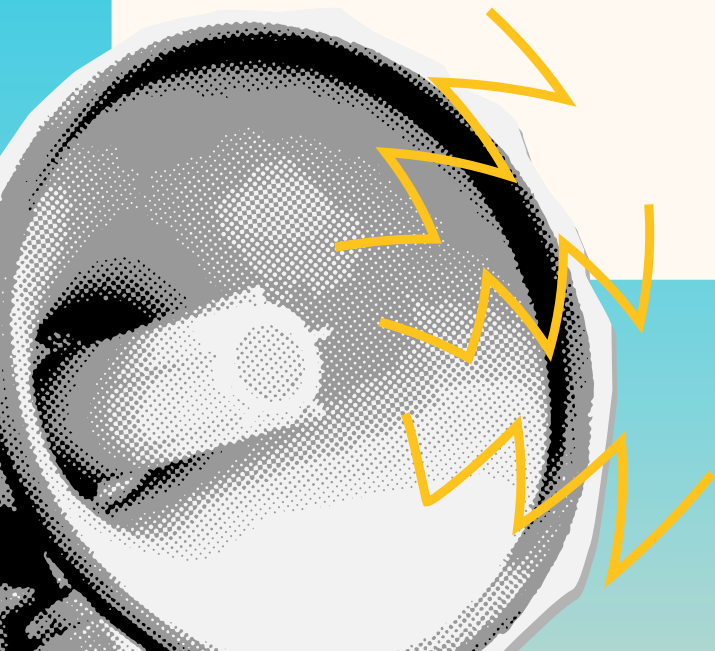
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UPDATE

More on what we know, how November 2025 CalFresh Benefits are being affected, and how to stay supported during this time.

**MORE UPDATES WILL BE SHARED AS
THE SITUATION DEVELOPS**





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WHAT WE KNOW:

Federally funded programs like CalFresh (EBT/SNAP) are not receiving funding for November 2025.

Until the federal government shutdown is resolved, benefits for November 2025 will not be deposited into your EBT card.

This delay ONLY affects the timing of your November 2025 funds disbursement. It does NOT affect eligibility or enrollment.

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WHAT YOU CAN DO:

Continue to apply for CalFresh. You may qualify for back pay.

Visit your Basic Needs Center for help with an application.



If you have active benefits, the balance in your account is still available. Keep up with your reporting (i.e., SAR-7)!

Utilize the 4 Basic Needs Centers and their respective Food Pantries. Make sure you bring your Student ID!

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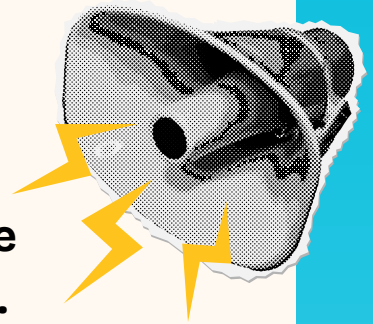


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WE ARE HERE

The Peralta Community College's Basic Needs Centers will continue to be here to support students' Basic Needs.



Food Pantry Hours across PCCD:

Alameda: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 11:30 AM—1:30 PM
@ F Building

Berkeley: Thursdays, 12 PM—3 PM
@ Basement, Atrium

Laney: Weds & Thurs, 11 AM—1 PM & 3 PM—5 PM
@ Student Center

Merritt: Thursdays, 12 PM—4 PM
@ R-28

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RESOURCES



In addition to the physical Basic Needs hubs on each campus, our teams have created numerous resource guides and lists to help you navigate community, city, and county organizations.

linktr.ee/bcc.bnc

linktr.ee/merrittbnc

linktr.ee/laney.bnc

tinyurl.com/alamedabnc



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STAY UPDATED

The California Department of Social Services (CDSS) is providing updates on their website:

cdss.ca.gov

The federal government has shut down due to the failures of the President and Congress to continue government funding.

Millions of Californians receiving benefits from State programs may be impacted. No new federal funding supporting programs such as the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program, known as CalWORKs in California, and the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), known as CalFresh in California, will be provided until the President and Congress take action. Currently, the State is expected to be able to fund CalWORKs benefits for November 2025. For CalFresh, **benefits will be delayed in November 2025**. For additional information, please see the following [Frequently Asked Questions](#).

You can visit www.hhs.gov and www.usda.gov for the latest information on impacts of the shutdown and other federal programs, although be wary of potential highly partisan messaging while visiting federal government websites.

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