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Learning from the #RealCollege Movement

Dear Dear Friend,

The latest [#RealCollege report](#) is making headlines and we have more on the way to support your work. Now is your chance to sign up for the fall survey and related technical assistance to support your students. Read on for how!

This week we are sharing a wonderful example resource on emergency housing, food and other financial resources from colleagues in California. Have you created something for your state or college that would inspire or provide guidance to others on how to get started? Let us know. The #RealCollege movement is powered by sharing ideas and resources that can help students succeed.



Ready to learn about basic needs insecurity on your campus or need help putting the right programs and policies in place?

We can help.

Complete this short questionnaire to identify how your institution can most effectively partner with the Hope Center.

[Get started now!](#)

Emergency Housing, Food and Financial Resources

Thanks to the California Homeless Youth Project for assembling this resource guide for #RealCollege students at CA public colleges and universities. Every state and system needs one!

[Read the guide](#)



State System #RealCollege Reports are prompting action!



In addition to our national #RealCollege reports, in the last few weeks we issued special reports for the entire community college systems of [Oregon](#), [New Jersey](#), and [Washington State](#). Impacts began to immediately occur. Check out the reverberations as presidents are [newly informed](#), and some [form a basic needs coalition](#). Will your state higher education system be next to take the #RealCollege survey?

#RealCollege Issues in the News



Housing and food insecurity affecting many college students, new data says

The Washington Post covered our #RealCollege national survey report, with a piece by our Sara Goldrick-Rab that includes viable solutions such as meal voucher programs, subsidized housing, greater utilization of public benefits programs like SNAP, and emergency aid.

[Read the article](#)

In College and Homeless

The NYT writes about the #RealCollege realities that many community college students face, the policies that might help and why things like safe parking are not going to be enough.



[Read the article](#)

More of What We're Reading

- [Community Colleges to Develop Innovative Solutions for Hunger Relief and Student Success](#)
- [How Can California Colleges Help Homeless and Hungry Students?](#)
- [Meet Maria, Amarillo's Most Promising Student](#)

Meet The Hope Center Staff Out in the Wild!

- March 1, 2020: Sara Goldrick-Rab and Carrie Welton attend the [Anti-Hunger Policy Conference](#) — Washington, D.C.

- **March 9-12, 2020: Sara Goldrick-Rab is speaking on a panel called Innovating for Adult Postsecondary Success, and will participate in a Q&A session after a Hungry To Learn screening at SXSW EDU 2020 — Austin, TX**

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