

Student Basic Needs

We struggle when our basic needs aren't being met. A large population of college students have stress about finding their next meal, a place to sleep, or keeping up with hygiene needs. If this is you, you are not alone. OSU has a wide range of partnerships, pantries, and resources to help students meet their basic needs.

FOOD ASSISTANCE

Pete's Pantry

SGA's food pantry located in 211P Student Union offers food and hygiene products for students. Also join Pete's Eats on Campus Link to receive information on free food opportunities on campus. For more food pantries available on campus go to basicneeds.okstate.edu

SNAP Benefits for OSU Students

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is the largest federal nutrition assistance program. SNAP provides benefits to eligible individuals and families via an Electronic Benefits Transfer card. This card can be used like a debit card to purchase eligible food in authorized retail food stores. For more information on requirements and how you can apply, please visit: Our Daily Bread, Oklahoma Department of Human Services, or e-mail student.support@okstate.edu

First Presbyterian Church of Stillwater

A free meal is served to anyone in the Stillwater community from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm each Saturday in Fellowship hall, at the northeast corner of 6th and Duck.

Our Daily Bread

Our Daily Bread hosts OSU Nights and Mobile Market open for OSU students, faculty and staff to get free groceries. All you need is your OSU ID. Check out basicneeds.okstate.edu for information on dates and locations.

Hours are:

Monday: 1:00 pm- 3:30 pm

Tuesday: 3:00 pm- 5:30 pm

Wednesday closed for mobile market

Thursday: 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

Every 3rd Sat. of the Month:
9:00 am - 11:00am

First United Methodist Church of Stillwater

First Church provides a free community dinner on Thursdays from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center at 400 W. 7th Avenue.

BASIC NEEDS WEBSITE



basicneeds.okstate.edu

HOUSING/UTILITIES

Stillwater Community Action Agency

(405) 624-2533

Help for low-income individuals and families to avoid crisis situations. They assist in first meeting emergency needs, and then follow-up in helping individuals and families gain self-sufficiency through supportive case management and partnerships with other social services providers in the area. Services provided include; utility assistance, rental assistance, free laundry program, and clothing and gasoline vouchers.

Mission of Hope

Mission of Hope specializes in programs to assist homeless individuals and families. By providing supportive housing, food, comprehensive case management, and life skills training, Mission of Hope works toward helping people become self-sufficient.

2-1-1 Oklahoma

2-1-1 Oklahoma is available to help with utility assistance as well as provide information and referrals for many other community services for those who need help. Please call 2-1-1.

PCYS Transitional Living Program

Dedicated to providing free quality services for the positive development and recovery of youth and families. Services include: Case Management, GLBTQ2S Services, Counseling, Transitional Housing, Independent Living Housing, Job Assistance, Incentives, Life Skills, On-Call Crisis Support (up to age 22).

TRANSPORTATION

OSU Transit offers bus routes throughout Stillwater free for OSU students, faculty, and staff.

Orange Ride

Orange Ride is a bicycle rental program being offered to promote affordable and convenient transportation to the campus and Stillwater community.

Big Orange Bus (BOB) Shuttle

The BOB operates when school is in session during the normal Spring & Fall semesters with a limited schedule during the Summer semester.