

Student Health
Santa Barbara, CA 93106-7002

EXCELLENCE | COMPASSION | CONVENIENCE

STUDENT HEALTH LEGENDS FUND

I am a student at UCSB who has recently received an award from the Legend Fund to help assist with a medical treatment. I wouldn't know where I would be standing without this program's help.

~ Valeria Sevilla Biology major <u>Class of</u> 2019

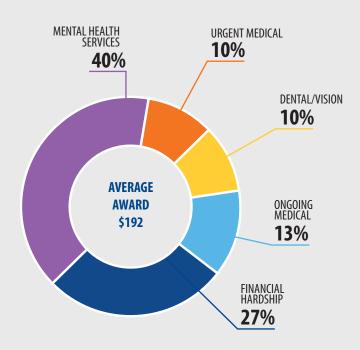




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The Student Health Legends Fund assists UC Santa Barbara students who are unable or reluctant to seek prescribed medical care due to financial obstacles. The fund awards grants of up to \$200 to students in need who are facing medical, dental, and psychological conditions. This support helps to meet the deductibles and co-pays that prevent students from seeking needed care. Student Health refers eligible students to our campus social workers for consultation and to our insurance office so that advisers can help them manage their bills.

REASONS FOR FUND ASSISTANCE 2015-16



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Catherine Boyer, Executive Director Student Affairs Grants and Development EMAIL: catherine.boyer@sa.ucsb.edu PHONE: 805.893.5037 Thank you so much for your generosity. As a result of your donation, I was able to receive the medical attention I very much needed.

~ Eric Hitchens French Major Class of 2020



BECOME A STUDENT HEALTH LEGEND SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS IN NEED:

GIVE ONLINE:

https://giving.ucsb.edu (click GI VE NOW and type LEGEND)

GIVE BY CHECK VIA MAIL:

Please make check payable to **UCSB Foundation** Write *Student Health Legends* in the memo line **MAIL TO:**

Student Affairs Grants and Develpoment Student Resource Building, Suite 2105 UC Santa Barbara Santa Barbara, CA 93106-5015

December 2016

Dear Healthcare Colleague:

I'm writing to invite you to become a legend—a Student Health legend!

Please join me and our local medical and dental providers to support UC Santa Barbara students: too many of our students are *compromising their health* because they can't afford the co-pays and deductibles required to obtain healthcare services in our community.

Financial need is a pressing concern for a growing number of students who come to us for their medical, dental and psychological conditions. Forty percent of UCSB students come from low-income families and forty-four percent of this year's incoming class are the first in their families to attend college.

Student Health refers hundreds of students each year to local healthcare providers. We have established the Student Health Legends Fund to offer small grants to needy students to cover urgent medical and dental costs, which can often make the crucial difference to enable them to access care. Last year, the average Legends award was \$192, and we assisted just 30 students in need. We hope to grow the fund to reach more students, and I am asking for your help.

I'm sure we all remember our own student days, when an emergency department co-pay of \$200 or a deductible charge of \$400 would be an unplanned financial disaster. Your gift will assist students to afford the healthcare that can determine whether they can continue in school. The good news is that, as a Student Health legend, you will become integral to the health and success of our students.

Wishing you health and happiness in this season of celebration!

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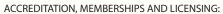


Rana Moshake, D.M.D. Dental Director

Providing comprehensive, multidisciplinary healthcare for students

EXCELLENCE

UCSB Student Health is fully accredited by the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care (AAAHC). Our Board Certified physicians and Licensed Allied Health Professionals deliver high quality, evidence-based care. Our treatment guidelines are regularly reviewed and updated to ensure that they are in line with accepted medical standards. Continuous quality improvement and accredited continuing medical education (CME) programs are also part of the high standards maintained by Student Health.



- · AAAHC, ACHA, CLIA
- Calif. Dept. of Public Health Clinical Laboratory License
- California State Board of Pharmacy

COMPASSION

At UC Santa Barbara, our campus healthcare is student focused and dedicated to professionalism and the celebration of diversity. We collaborate campus-wide to promote health and student success. Our students are treated to high quality, accessible facilities, including preventive and public health services. Respect for student health is an integral part of our successful university community.

CONVENIENCE

The Student Health facility at UC Santa Barbara is fully accredited and offers a patient-centered medical home for the 24,000 total students, 10,000 of whom live in University-owned housing. New students are assigned to a primary care provider to encourage continuity for better health and providers are organized into care teams to improve student access and coordinate care.

HEALTHCARE SERVICES
Advice Nurse
Behavioral Health
Dental Care
Eye Care
Lab / X-ray
Pharmacy
Physical Therapy
Primary Care
Urgent Care
Women's Health