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We Care.
BUCs C.A.R.E. &
Other Supports

Go Care



BUCs C.A.R.E.

COORDINATE - ADVOCATE - RESPOND - EMPOWER



- A network of support for all students through challenges they may face during their time at FSW
- We assist in proactively connecting all students with campus resources and partners for a successful academic, social, and emotional experience



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Enhance Student Success:



Case
Management



Food Pantry



Mental Health
Counseling

CARE Services Offered

BucsCARE@FSW.edu | (239) 948-3443 | www.fsw.edu/bucscare/report

CARE Counseling

- Group counseling
- Therapy assessment and referral
- Assistance finding psychiatric/psychological services in the community
- Financial assistance for those who qualify

CARE Management

- Food & housing insecurity
- Confidential victim advocacy
- Supportive services
- Connection to FSW & SWFL resources
- Support for vulnerable populations



WHAT IS STUDENT CASE MANAGEMENT



Connection to Social Services

Referral to counseling, psych, medical, housing, food



Follow Up Services and Support

Check-in sessions, skills, verification, advocacy, and navigation of campus processes



Academic Accommodations

Liaison for faculty communication, assistance with W/D or Incompletes



Follow Up After Hospitalization

Transition care, confirming new providers, notification to professors



Sexual Assault Advocacy

Crisis Intervention and advocacy



FSW Food Pantry

- Located on every campus
- Free for students in need
- Food and personal items
- M-F 9am – 4pm
- Foodpantry@fsw.edu



Why we offer a Bucs food pantry:

- Food insecurities are an increasingly common issue for college students
- Many students come to campus with limited resources
- Hunger makes it difficult to study, sleep, or engage in academic and social activities

How to use the Bucs food pantry:

- *All students need is to bring their Buc Card and sign the waiver*



ADaptive Services

The Office of ADaptive Services' (OAS) goal is to assist students achieve educational success by providing services that empower students while working within the limitations of documented disabilities. FSW proudly accepts our legal obligation with the Americans with Disability Act and are pleased to share the responsibility in providing equal access and equal opportunity to college sponsored activities and educational programs.

The mission of OAS to focus on the abilities of each individual while empowering the student with the tools necessary to become self-assured and effective learners, strong problem solvers and successful members of our academic community. **Be empowered today...self-identify!**



ADaptive Services: Overview

- Accommodations are available for students with documented disabilities
- All students, including *dual-enrolled students*, are required to [Self Identify](#)
 - IEPs/504s are not sufficient for post-secondary needs
 - Comprehensive evaluation addressing post-secondary needs (adult norms)
- [IDEA vs. ADA](#)
 - Guaranteed Success vs Guaranteed Access
- Accommodations are not retroactive

More details at: www.fsw.edu/adaptiveservices





ADaptive Services: Creating a Safe Zone to Implement New Behaviors

- Appointments for weekly or bi-monthly check-in
 - Understanding their disability
 - Brainstorming/creating plans of action
- Connecting to other campus and local resources
 - Academic Success Center
 - Bucs CARE
 - Vocational Rehabilitation & Division of Blind Services
- Organizational tips and suggestions for their College planner
- Improve self-advocacy
 - Assist with email etiquette
 - Role play uncomfortable conversations with professors
- Computer lab with assistive technology
 - Also located in the libraries college-wide
- Loan Program
 - Students borrow textbooks, calculators, FM boxes, digital recorders, etc.
- Inclusive testing environment (Testing Center)



ADaptive Services: Team Contact Information

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