



NEED HELP?

With uncertain economic times, many families are looking for ways to plan for the future while alleviating short-term needs. Through tremendous collaborative efforts with dozens of community nonprofit organizations, employers, state and local government, religious institutions and many others, we are finding ways to relieve families' immediate economic stress and create changes in our communities to help families become financially stable and independent.



United Way

Northern Santa Barbara County

For basic needs and crisis services including food, rent and utility assistance, emergency shelter services, and transportation assistance, DIAL 2-1-1

Need to increase your income?

If your household income is below \$42,000 per year, you may qualify for an Earned Income Tax Credit of up to \$4,800 even if you don't owe any taxes. You may also qualify to have your TAXES DONE FOR FREE. To find out more, or to make an appointment to get your taxes done for free, dial 2-1-1 or visit www.NSB UW.com

Behind on your mortgage payment or facing foreclosure?

NeighborWorks is the place to go for pre-purchase counseling, homebuyer education, early delinquency intervention, or foreclosure prevention. Visit www.cabrilloedc.org for more information about classes and assistance availability.

If you are currently facing foreclosure, call 805-659-3791 or visit www.cabrilloedc.org

Need more money in the bank?

Sign up today to be a Saver and take advantage of the free tools and services available. Get help to set savings goals and develop strategies to reach those goals.

Qualify for benefits you are not claiming?

Get more information or enroll now in food stamps, financial or medical assistance, and child care assistance

For prenatal health care and assistance, the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), Head Start early education programs, or Medicaid can help.

Need help with financial management?

There are organizations that provide financial education and classes on topics ranging from budgeting and credit to investing and saving for retirement. These organizations also offer financial counseling and budgeting assistance.