Administrative Procedure 5220 Shower Facilities for Homeless Students

The district maintains shower facilities for student use at the College of Alameda, Laney College, and Merritt College that may be used by any homeless student who is enrolled in a minimum of 3 units of coursework, has paid enrollment fees, and is in good academic and disciplinary standing with the colleges in the district.

A homeless student is defined as a student who does not have a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. This includes, but is not limited to, students who: are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, vehicles or camping grounds due to lack of alternative accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designated for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings; or are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings.

Shower facilities are located at the College of Alameda in building G, first floor for men, G-124 and the second floor for women G-222 and are open to use by homeless students Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. In the event that these hours conflict with the hours of an intercollegiate athletic program or activity, the college will post alternative hours to use the facilities.

Shower facilities are located at Laney College in the Gymnasium Building and are open to use by homeless students Monday through Friday from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. In the event that these hours conflict with the hours of an intercollegiate athletic program or activity, the college will post alternative hours to use the facilities.

Shower facilities are located at Merritt College campus, in Building F, first floor for men and second floor for women and are open to use by homeless students Monday through Friday 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm. In the event that these hours conflict with the hours of an intercollegiate athletic program or activity, the college will post alternative hours to use the facilities.

Please note that there are no athletic shower facilities at Berkeley City College; therefore, BCC is exempt from this requirement.

References:
   Education Code Section 76011

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