Note: We have verified that for all University of California (UCs), California State Universities (CSUs), and Community Colleges dorms remain open for foster youth and the youth have NOT been asked to leave; we are working on contacting the out of state colleges and universities.

**Together We Rise’s Emergency Response to COVID-19 and its Impact on Foster Youth.**

With the ongoing issues regarding the COVID-19/Coronavirus outbreak, universities across the country are closing their physical campuses. This includes the dorms which are the primary housing for many former and current foster youth. With campus closures lasting through the end of the spring semester, these students risk becoming homeless.

Together We Rise is helping displaced college foster youth with supplement support to ensure they have groceries, utilities, housing, and access to medical assistance. Please go to https://www.togetherwerise.org/help-displaced-students/ to donate or apply for emergency assistance.