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Assistance for students and staff affected by San Bruno's Glenview Fire

Thanks to everyone who is passing the word about students and staff directly affected by the fire. Across the district we are working to make contact with everyone who lives in the affected area.

In an effort to keep everyone well posted on what we know and what resources are available, here is some additional information.

- **Emergency housing:** Barbara Christensen has notified me that there are several apartments in the Canada Vista faculty and staff housing available for immediate move in. Please let me know if you know of someone among our employees who may need that.
- **Crisis counseling:** There will be crisis counseling on campus next Monday and Tuesday for anyone who may need it, between 9 am and 1 pm. The first point of contact will be with the counselors at a table in the Cafeteria and then the counseling will take place in Building 2.
- **EAP:** The EAP (Employee Assistance Program) is available for employees who may need assistance. I have attached the summary of the benefits available there.
- **CSEA's Emergency Relief Fund:** CSEA has an emergency relief fund that a member of CSEA can apply for assistance if needed. I have attached the information on that.
- **City of San Bruno emergency information:** Here is the link to the City of San Bruno's website which has emergency information for local residents on its front page: <http://sanbruno.ca.gov/>.
- **Blood donations:** We contacted the American Red Cross to arrange for a blood donation van to be on campus next week to facilitate donations but they are already booked solid. They will be back as usual in the future. They are well supplied with people right now, but next week would be good. Check either of these websites to make an appointment: <http://bloodcenters.ehclients.com/> or <http://www.redcrossblood.org/>.