

# Northampton Community College

## Basic Needs Report

In the spring 2025 semester, in partnership with the The Hope Center for Student Basic Needs at Temple University, NCC conducted a Student Needs Survey to assess our students' basic needs. The overall findings are below.



**1,598**  
student respondents  
20% response rate



**36%**  
parenting student respondents



**36%**  
reported having non-parental caregiving responsibilities at least once per week



**50%**  
of survey respondents experienced at least one of the following: food insecurity, housing insecurity, or homelessness.

### Demographic Disparity

Students of color, female students, LGBTQIA+ students, Pell Grant eligible students, and parenting students face higher rates of basic needs insecurities than their counterparts.

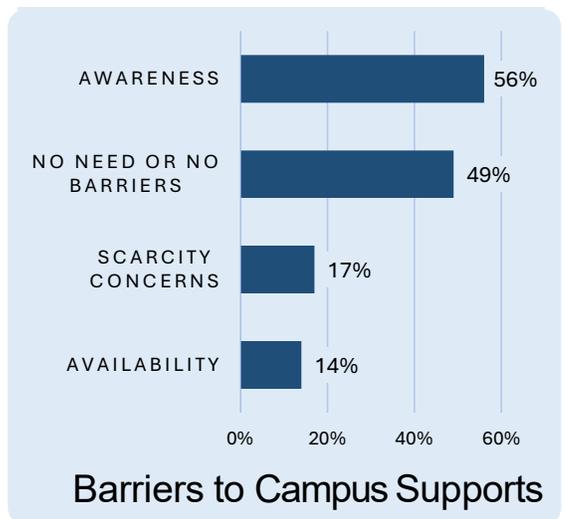
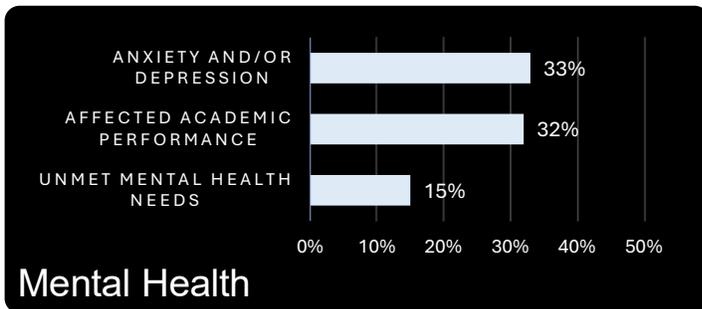


**9%** reported homelessness

**41%** reported housing insecurity

**33%** reported food insecurity



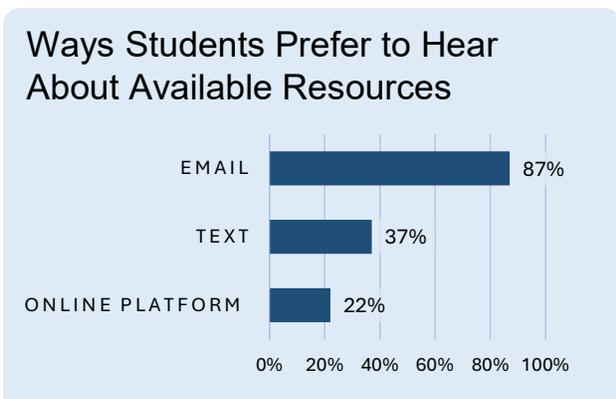




**82%** reported childcare is unaffordable



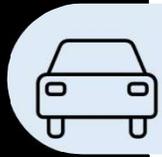
**9%** missed 3+ days of class due to childcare



**12%** were late to class or work due to transportation

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**12%** missed assignments due to internet or technology




### Transportation & Technology