



Project Self-Sufficiency Moves to Newport Beach

Newport Beach, CA October 1, 2018 – Project Self-Sufficiency (PSS) announced today that it will move its offices to Melinda Hoag Smith Center for Healthy Living (MHSCHL) in Newport Beach.

The new office space, located across from Hoag Hospital Newport Beach, is provided by the MHSCHL, which is a collaborative endeavor that brings like-minded organizations and nonprofits under one roof. The MHSCHL allows providers to take an integrated, holistic approach to community services addressing everything from health care to legal services, to mental health and spiritual support.

PSS has been a program of the City of Huntington Beach since 1985, most recently housed in the Huntington Beach Senior Center in Central Park. Thanks to receiving major funding from the ECMC Foundation, it has become a stand-alone operating nonprofit with a goal of serving 150% more families throughout Orange County by the end of 2019. Huntington Beach donors, civic groups and volunteers have long supported the program through the PSS Foundation. PSS will continue to rely on their support to serve its Huntington Beach clients, as it endeavors to gain more support in other parts of the county.

PSS offers assistance to low-income single parents who are completing their education. PSS clients attribute their success to the unique PSS model, which provides intensive case management, counseling, goal setting, and accountability, in addition to access to scholarships, food, toiletries, rental assistance, housing, transportation assistance, child care assistance and book reimbursements. Donations are accepted under EIN # 33-0597719.

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