OFFICE OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

The Office of Student Affairs is here to support you while you continue your educational journey via distance learning. Below you will find how our Student Affairs areas will continue to support our students through remote platforms and virtually. We also understand that this is a difficult time for many of our students.

If you are experiencing a Financial Emergency, the Carroll and Milton Petrie Foundation Student Emergency Grant Fund provides financial assistance to KCC students who are currently enrolled, are in good academic standing and are facing short-term, non-recurring financial emergencies. To find out more about eligibility, please visit our SCHOLARSHIP PAGE to access the application. Application and documentation must be sent to scholarships.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu

If you have any questions or concerns, please email student.affairs@kbcc.cuny.edu

ACCESS-ABILITY SERVICES

Access-Ability Services will continue to provide KCC students with disabilities’ needs for accommodations, supportive counseling, and academic advisement. If you wish to register with our program you can also do so from home; please contact our office and we will walk you through the process. You may call 718-368-5175 or email aas@kbcc.cuny.edu for more information.

ENTER ACCESS-ABILITY SERVICES WEBSITE

ATHLETICS

The spring 2020 athletic season has been suspended by both the CUNY Athletic Conference and NJCAA. Student-athletes can continue to work with their coaches and athletic department for any questions or concerns they may have.

Athletics continues to:
- Provide support for all student-athletes as they transition to online class (serve as point system for our 300 plus student athletes.
- Telecommunicate with athletes to ensure they are fulfilling academic requirements
- Service recruits via telecommunication and online services.

For questions please email Damani Thomas, Athletic Director-Damani.Thomas@kbcc.cuny.edu

ENTER ATHLETICS WEBSITE

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER
The Child Development Center is closed. For more information please call 718.368.5868.

ENTER CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER WEBSITE

COLLEGE DISCOVERY

The College Discovery (CD) Program will work remotely. During this time the CD academic advisement, tutoring and recruitment services will communicate with students online, through telephone, and different virtual platforms (Zoom, blackboard, etc). Students will have the opportunity to schedule appointments via remind.com or use their KBCC email to reach CD counselors, tutors and staff. CD staff will send daily reminders to students offering its services and support. CD will check phone messages daily to answer students' questions. CD will outreach to potential Fall 2020 students and will hold 16 virtual information sessions from April to June.

College Discovery will continue to meet with their students via remote access. For more information, please call 718.368.5520 or email us at: College.discovery@kbcc.cuny.edu

ENTER COLLEGE DISCOVERY PROGRAM WEBSITE

COMMUNITY STANDARDS/ JUDICIAL AFFAIRS

The Office of Community Standards/Judicial Affairs is currently operating remotely due to COVID-19 and the College's transition to remote learning. We are still available to assist with your student conduct needs.

All conduct meetings, including disciplinary probation meetings are still required and will be held via a virtual platform. You will be contacted with the information required. Please note that all conduct meetings are expected to be confidential. It is recommended that you use headphones with a microphone, in a private setting when having a meeting. If you are unable to do so, please let the administrator know immediately.

To report Academic Integrity incidents, please utilize the reporting form provided on the Student Conduct page. Please send an email to studentconduct@kbcc.cuny.edu and attach the form.

We are committed to providing our services during these unprecedented times and encourage you to contact us by email - studentconduct@kbcc.cuny.edu if you have any questions or concerns.

ENTER COMMUNITY STANDARDS WEBSITE

COUNSELING CENTER
Counselors in the Counseling Center, Student Wellness Center, and Women’s Center will be available to speak with you remotely weekdays between the hours of 9am-5pm.

To reach a counselor call 718-368-5975 or email CounselingandHealthServices@kbcc.cuny.edu For more details, CLICK HERE

To reach Women's Center - 718-368-4700
*Please follow the Women's Center on Instagram: @womenscenteratkbcc*

To reach Student Wellness Center - 718-368-5300

To reach Health Center- 718-368-5684.
For more information, CLICK HERE

For immediate assistance or after hours please contact free and confidential 24/7 Mental Health Helplines

- **COVID-19 Emotional Support** - Helpline 1-844-863-9314
- **NYC Well** - 1-888-NYC-WELL or Text WELL to 65173
- **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline** (Suicide Prevention) - 1-800-273-8255
- **Trevor Lifeline** (LGBTQIA suicide prevention) - 1-866-488-7386 or Text START to 678678
- **LifeNet** Crisis Helpline - 1-800-543-3638
- **Safe Horizon** Helpline (domestic violence resource) - 1-800-621-4673
- **National Domestic Violence** Helpline - 1-800-799-7233
- **SAMHSA** Helpline (Substance Abuse/Mental Health) - 1-800-662-4357

If you are experiencing a life threatening emergency, please call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.

**Free Zoom Support Sessions for ALL Kingsborough Students during COVID-19 distant learning and physical/social isolation**

These free sessions will provide safe, supportive, and nonjudgmental space for students to process the current health crisis and learn practical coping skills. During these sessions, students can share their experiences of distance learning and learn how to reduce distress and cope with their feelings of isolation, stress, and anxiety.

**Realize Your Resilience at a Time of Uncertainly, Wednesday 4pm (starting April 15)**
Get together and share your experiences of recent changes and what you are doing to adapt. Learn/share coping skills and tools of practicing resiliency at a time of crisis. Understanding your emotions/practicing self-care/understanding your why.

**Communicate and Connect support sessions on Thursdays 1pm (starting April 16)**
Get together and share what is important to you now, what works already and what you want to work on. Find support during this time of physical disconnect.
**Mindfulness Toolbox Support Sessions, Mondays 1pm (starting April 20)**
Get together, share your experiences, and get practical tips and tools to support your whole self. Learn and practice self-care through meditation, self-awareness and self-compassion.

**Stress Management support sessions for International Students and Recent Immigrants**
**Tuesdays 10:30 (starting April 21)**
Gather in the safe and supportive environment and connect with fellow students. Realize that you are not alone in feelings of isolation, stress, and anxiety. Learn concrete coping skills to deal with stress and anxiety.

To participate in these sessions:

- RSVP to Counselingandhealth.Services@kbcc.cuny.edu from your KCC email. Put RSVP in the subject line followed by the session number. For example, if you are signing up for Monday 1 pm group please put RSVP1. **Group codes:** Monday 1 pm – RSVP1; Tuesday 10:30 am – RSVP2; Wednesday 4 pm – RSVP3 Thursday 1 pm – RSVP4
- Please include your CUNY Empil ID#. We will send you Zoom link with meeting id and password.
- Download Zoom app or open in your browser. Sign in with your KBCC email and join the meeting.
- Enter meeting ID and password that was sent to you
- by Counselingandhealth.services@kbcc.cuny.edu. You will use it for each weekly session.

These Zoom sessions are not individual counseling sessions. If you would like to schedule individual sessions with one of our counselors call us at 718-368-5975 or email us at Counselingandhealth.services@kbcc.cuny.edu.

**ENTER COUNSELING CENTER WEBSITE**

**CUNY EDGE**

At CUNY EDGE we support students who are recipients of Public Assistance. These are students receiving Food Stamps, Medicaid, and Cash Assistance. Here at CUNY EDGE our mission is to encourage our students to achieve academic excellence, graduate on time, and find employment.

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9am - 5pm via phone, email, and Webex

CUNY EDGE will continue to meet with their students remotely. Please contact your advisor to make an appoint, for more information call 718.368.4660 or Gerald.maitre@kbcc.cuny.edu

**ENTER CUNY EDGE WEBSITE**
FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry will be open on Wednesdays from 9am-12pm by appointment only. Grab and go bags will also be available via Public Safety at the Front Gate. For an appointment, please email singlestop.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu or call 718-368-6713.

HEALTH CENTER

The Health Center is closed. To submit paperwork, including MMR, fax documents to 718-368-5024 or email Dorothy.gale@kbcc.cuny.edu.

MEN’S RESOURCE CENTER

The Men’s Resource Center will continue to provide supportive services to the students of Kingsborough Community College during this unprecedented time. Our staff continues to be a resource for questions or concerns you may have even when we are not on campus.

Our remote office hours will be Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. If you have any questions you need answered please feel free to call us at (718) 368-5339 or email our staff at:

Dr. Michael Rodriguez  Michael.rodriguez@kbcc.cuny.edu
Mr. Levy Moore  Levy.moore@kbcc.cuny.edu
Mr. Kaiqwon King  Kaiqwon.king14@kbcc.cuny.edu
Mr. Eddy Roland  Eddy.roland@kbcc.cuny.edu

The MRC will also offer online workshops throughout the week via Zoom. If you are interested in attending email Dr. Michael Rodriguez for details.

Our workshop offers will be:

**Men's Resource Center Weekly Meet Up**  **Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. via Zoom**
Join the Men's Resource Center for weekly meetings. These sessions will be a mix of our ongoing workshops such as:
- The Black Experience  (facilitated by Mr. Levy Moore)
- Back to Basics  (facilitated by Mr. Kaiqwon King)
- Woosah Wednesdays  (facilitated by Mr. Eddy Roland)
- Be the Leader  (facilitated by Dr. Michael Rodriguez)

as well as a time to simply reconnect, hang out, and simply vibe with others students and staff.

**MRC Study Groups**  **Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. via Zoom**
The Men's Resource Center is dedicated to providing socio-emotional and academic supports to the students of Kingsborough Community College. To that end, the MRC is organizing a variety
of virtual study groups. Study groups will consist of 2 to 10 students, run weekly at the same day and time, be hosted by a MRC staff member but facilitated by a pre-approved student. For detailed information on our current study groups email our Director Dr. Michael Rodriguez or any of our staff members.

Remember, we are here to serve you. If you have any questions or concerns do not hesitate to reach out. We are here to help.

**ENTER MEN’S RESOURCE CENTER WEBSITE**

**MILITARY & VETERAN AFFAIRS**

MAVA will continue to support Active Military, Reservists, Veterans and their Dependents, Spouses and Survivors via email, telephone, and Virtual workshops and Virtual Veterans lounge. For general questions, email VASO@kbcc.cuny.edu or call 718-368-5472. Documents for VA education benefits certification can be emailed to us at Tara.Yarczower@kbcc.cuny.edu. Academic Advisors can be reached at Nicole.Pagano@kbcc.cuny.edu or Tinesi.Philogene@kbcc.cuny.edu

**ENTER MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS WEBSITE**

**NEW AMERICAN CENTER**

NAC will continue to service students through email and phone. NAC will continue to process student’s paperwork and work with students remotely. Please contact the office for any questions you may have. Student can email: erick.myssura@kbcc.cuny.edu, nyozi.fraser@kbcc.cuny.edu or juliana.edwards@kbcc.cuny.edu

**ENTER NEW AMERICAN CENTER WEBSITE**

**SINGLE STOP**

Single Stop will continue to provide services to students through Webex, email and phone. Snacks and food will be accessible throughout the week through Public Safety. Please email single stop for any emergencies. For inquiries: singlestop.kcc@kbcc.cuny.edu

**ENTER SINGLE STOP WEBSITE**

**STUDENT LIFE**

The Office of Student Life hopes you have made a successful transition to distance learning. Like we did when our physical office was open, we are here to enhance your academic
experience at KCC and now to also assist students with finding way to engage with their peers. Check out our social media for information about meetups and make sure to check your student emails often so you always know what is being offered. If there is something you’re looking for that you haven’t found, reach out and let us know! We will do our best to accommodate your requests. The Student Life team is working remotely but we are still accessible by phone 718-368-5597 during business hours and via email at any time studentlife@kbcc.cuny.edu. Check out our social media pages for the most up-to-date information: www.facebook.com/KCCOfficeofStudentLife or IG: @KCCStudentLife.

ENTER STUDENT LIFE WEBSITE

STUDENT UNION & INTERCULTURAL CENTER

The SU&IC is working to be a support to students during this time as we experience distance learning. The SU&IC will be working with faculty to offer co-curricular programming and academic enrichment in digital and virtual platforms. Our on-campus supports and programs such as KCC Sense, Breezeway Bites, and our Interfaith forums will also be developing offerings to accommodate distance learning. Questions and concerns can be directed to helen.nasser@kbcc.cuny.edu

ENTER STUDENT UNION & INTERCULTURAL CENTER

TRiO STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Students should contact TRiO’s senior counselor, Alena Kastin, alena.kastin@kbcc.cuny.edu for immediate concerns or e-mail the director for other inquiries, faith.fogelman@kbcc.cuny.edu

ENTER TRiO WEBSITE

WELLNESS CENTER

You can speak to a counselor in the Student Wellness Center remotely weekdays between the hours of 9am-5pm.

To reach a counselor in the Student Wellness Center, call 718-368-5300

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WOMEN’S CENTER

You can speak to a counselor in the Women’s Center remotely weekdays between the hours of 9am-5pm.
To reach a counselor in the Women’s Center, call 718-368-4700

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