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Submit Actions for us to Boost: [Action Submissions](#)

Hi all! Sending wishes of health and safety to all as we continue to settle into the school year. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any action/support you need that we might be able to help you get. For a list of the services *Direct Action @ Pitzer* provides, **please check out this [Instagram post](#).**

Global

As a pillar at the Community Engagement Center, we stand with the women of Iran who are fighting for their lives in protests sparked by the murder of Mahsa Amini by the morality police. As internet and power is cut out in Iran, we want to uplift the people's voice. Attached below is a link with more information and words from women on the ground, forced to witness and experience the extreme mental and physical violence.

[Listen To The Voices Of A Feminist Revolution In Iran](#)
[Four Ways to Help Iranians](#)

Community Mutual Aid

Help Mia Get Housing: "Mia [a second year Pitzer student] is seeking \$5,000 to help her cover her housing costs and related living costs. This is her first year paying for school and housing on her own and needs some support getting started." Goal \$5,000 **Venmo:** @MiaSupreme **Cashapp:** \$MiaSupreme **GoFundMe:** [Link](#)

Help With Mi'Lania's Funeral Expenses: TW// Mi'Lania Skye Pierite was a two year old girl killed by a drunk driver. Linked below is her family's GoFundMe to help with the funeral expenses and medical debt. [GoFundMe](#) For more information, please watch Mi'Lania's [father's video](#). **Goal: \$250,000**

Support a CMC FLGI Student: "A Latinx, FGLI CMC student is seeking \$5,000. The student's grandfather in Mexico has been experiencing declining health in the past couple of months, leading to multiple surgeries. The student's grandfather was not able to recover and is estimated to live for at most 24 more hours. The student's mother has exhausted all savings in medical expenses and has to now travel to Mexico to organize the funeral. Please consider donating to the student's family to cover funeral expenses, remaining medical bills, and family expenses while she is gone." **Goal: \$5,000** **Venmo:** [@BrokenSilence5C](#) **Cashapp:** [\\$BrokenSilence5C](#)

Support Martin And His Daughters: Martin is a houseless man in the BayArea. He is struggling with unemployment and providing safety and nourishment for his daughters. He takes continuous donations through Venmo Please donate if you are able! Any amount is valued. **Venmo:** [@YoungKing-Martin](#)

Show up: volunteer & opportunities to support community

Stand Against the Adelanto Detention Facility: "We are asking for your help to advocate for people's SAFETY. Immigrants are not safe in ICE jails. Adelanto City Council Members continue to allow immigrants to suffer and be exposed to poor air quality, contaminated water, and toxic chemicals." Take action by [signing the petition](#).

Puerto Rico: Puerto Rico is still recovering from the devastating Category 4 Hurricane Maria five years ago and has just been hit by Hurricane Fiona. Read [this post](#) by [@environment](#) for more information on the effects of the storm. Donations: [Taller Salud](#), "a woman-led nonprofit based in Loiza Puerto Rico." [Comedores Sociales de Puerto Rico](#), "a community kitchen fighting food insecurity on the island."

Support the Pitzer Community Fridge: Attend the weekly community fridge meeting! Tuesdays at 5:30 at the Grove House outdoor classroom. **Get involved here:** <https://tinyurl.com/pzfridgeguidelines>

Help Stop Warehouse Development in Ontario: Ontario for Agriculture is a committee working to educate on the importance of agricultural land, sustainable farming, food

security and public health. Help them save farmland by signing up to volunteer!

www.ontario4agriculture.com

Resources:

Student Health Services: Flu shots are required this year and must be done by Oct. 31st. You can make an appointment at Student Health Services by calling 909-621-8222. Updated COVID-19 booster is also available through SHS.

CASA Community Funding: CASA Pitzer is proud to announce that we now offer funding for community events and research for Pitzer students, staff, faculty, and community partners! Applications typically range from \$200 to \$500, but grants can extend to up to \$1,500 for high-impact, long-term community programs. For more information on our new funding process and eligibility, please visit <https://tinyurl.com/casapzfunding>.

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