



“Our goal at the **College Hub** is to support those who face barriers to higher education and career readiness, so that all students in Central Texas have the tools to realize their goals – from application to graduation and beyond.”

### **College Hub Services (Currently providing services by Zoom, phone and in-person support):**

- We assist clients with **completing** and **submitting**:
  - Financial aid applications such as the FAFSA or TASFA. (*We **do not give** financial/monetary assistance for college tuition.*)
  - College applications
  - Verification documents for financial aid or college admissions
- We assist with the **search** for scholarships.
- We review college resumes and scholarship essays.
- We also support students through the College Hub’s coaching program for first-generation and post-traditional students the Succeed Program. (Current and prospective students of any age can learn more with a college Hub representative)
- With looking for new jobs, career coaching, resumes and application. For job related support, clients can be referred directly to Aaron Barba, AmeriCorps Job Coach:
  - Phone: (512) 953-3196
  - Email: [aaron.barba@foundcom.org](mailto:aaron.barba@foundcom.org)

It’s important you know that the College Hubs is able to support clients with troubleshooting **anything** related to college -- planning, admissions, enrolling, and persistence. We serve traditional-aged college students and adults going back to school.

### **Scenarios when a tax client could be referred to the College Hub:**

- A client mentions they have a child in high school that is entering their junior or senior year or is graduating this May 2023.
- A client mentions they are interested in returning to school or gaining more skills.
- A client mentions they need help finding financial aid to help pay for college for either themselves or their child.
- A client may have questions about how financial aid works.
- Or about additional financial aid help such as scholarships.
- Parents might also express they have a child who is unsure of what they want to study or which college to attend.
- Clients can schedule a meeting before the intake appointment for assistance pulling their 1098T.

### How to contact the College Hub:

1. Clients should call **(737) 717-4000** or (512) 610-4012 to schedule an appointment with us.
2. Clients can also schedule an appointment online at <https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/ygtk3mx2/> or by using our QR code:



3. Or! If you are working in-person at the Prosper Centers – feel free to walk your clients over to our suite!