

STUDENT OUTREACH AND SUPPORT (SOS)

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“Welcome to Student Outreach and Support (SOS). Our office helps students navigate personal and academic challenges they may face while at Mines through case management and resource connection. If you or someone you know needs support, please use the link below to get connected.”

Objectives of SOS:

- Foster self-advocacy in students to manage their academic, personal, and fiscal responsibilities
- Advocate for students individually and systemically
- Develop an environment where everyone within the campus community understands their responsibility in noticing the well-being of those around them
- Serve as a resource for faculty, staff, families, and students so that student issues are being addressed in timely and effective manner
- Balance the individual needs of the student with that of the greater community

To submit a referral, you can visit this link:

- https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?COSchoolofMines&layout_id=20

Once a referral is submitted, a case opens for the specific student.

“Case Management services are generally initiated after an SOS referral is submitted for a student; however, students are encouraged to submit a self-referral if they need support. Just because someone consults with an SOS Case Manager does not mean the student’s situation is automatically brought to the BIT Team. SOS Case Managers are responsible for assessing a student’s situation and referring to the BIT Team if necessary.”

Why might you want to utilize this resource?

Student Outreach and Support (SOS) is the perfect resource to seek out when dealing with academic, personal, or medical difficulties. Living, learning, and working at Colorado School of Mines can cause stress and may be the reason that you or someone is displaying distressed or disruptive behavior. Oftentimes, it is difficult to personally assess how these issues are impacting us, and even more so it can be near impossible to develop an action plan on our own to tackle these challenges. SOS was built to provide Mines students with the resources they need to overcome these issues and emerge with a greater holistic well-being.

