

**THE FREE SPARKPOINT FREMONT PROGRAM HELPS CLIENTS ACCESS INCOME SUPPORTS, BECOME FINANCIALLY EMPOWERED, AND BENEFIT FROM LIFELONG LEARNING THROUGH TRAINING AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES.**

## **INCOME SUPPORTS**

SparkPoint Coaches assess clients for public benefits and money saving programs.

- CalFresh/SNAP
- CalWORKS/TANF
- CARE
- General Assistance
- Head Start
- Telephone assistance
- Low cost internet
- Medi-Cal
- Medicare
- School Lunch
- Social Security/SSDI, SSI, SDI
- Subsidized Childcare
- Unemployment
- Utilities/HEAP
- Veteran's Benefit
- WIC
- VITA – free tax preparation – here on site!

## **FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT**

SparkPoint Coaches help their clients become confident and responsible with their money and assets.

- Budgeting and learning to live on less
- Understanding credit reports
- Correcting credit report mistakes
- Managing credit and other debts
- Paying off debt
- Establishing or rebuilding credit
- Saving for emergencies
- Creating a plan for retirement savings
- Avoiding foreclosure
- Preventing eviction
- Opening or expanding a small business
- Planning and funding children's college education

## **TRAINING AND EDUCATION**

SparkPoint Coaches connect with our workforce training and educational partners.

- Encouraging lifelong learning
- Supporting client career advancement
- Providing one-on-one career counseling and workshops on soft skills
- Writing powerful resumes and cover letters, interviewing skills, and using
- Providing job search assistance
- Connecting clients to training and educational opportunities