



# SCLC

**Support Connections of Lebanon County**

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**WHAT IS SCLC/SUPPORT CONNECTIONS?**

- SCLC is a program designed to help families and communities successfully address poverty. Everyone gives, Everyone gets.

**HOW DOES IT WORK?**

- We meet each Tuesday in Lebanon from 5:30-8:15pm for a meal and working together on goals that are designed by the family seeking to improve their life.
- For the first 4 months we learn together. Every four weeks you attend for learning, you receive a \$20 grocery card.
- Then, if you want to continue, we spend the next 18 months in “Matched” support teams. Each family is the “leader” called a *Team Leader*” and is matched with *Team Mates* who are intentional partners and friends for meeting the goals set by the Team Leader.

**WHAT IS INVOLVED?**

- When we meet we share a free meal, and have free childcare.
- We have fun and we see results. (Check us out at [www.SCLCLebCo.org](http://www.SCLCLebCo.org))

**WHAT IS REQUIRED FOR A TEAM LEADER?**

- Your income is between 110% and 170% of the poverty guidelines.
- You have stable housing, and a job
- Any drug, alcohol or mental health issues, must be stable and under treatment for at least a year.
- You need to want to improve your financial and family situation.

**WHAT IS REQUIRED FOR A TEAM LEADER?**

- Want to help, and also be willing to learn.
- Your life is be self-sustaining.
- Share 5+ hours monthly with your Team Leader in SCLC community.
- Willing to serve for 2 years, the length of our matches.

**WHAT OUR PARTICIPANTS (TEAM LEADERS) REPORT AS HELPFUL**

- Having a supportive and encouraging community around me.
- Having a safe space and place for adult times and kid care.
- So that I get think about specific goals and steps with others.
- Knowing that everyone involved is flexible, that people are there for me, I have a place where I belong, and I have committed partners on the journey.

**HOW DO I GET SIGNED UP?**

- Fill out an interest card today, or
- You can contact Lee Smedley, our coordinator 610. 914.3846.

*What are you waiting for? Check this out!*