

September 2023 Workforce & Economic Development Division Program Updates

Chancellor's Office Update:

New Credit For Prior Learning (CPL) Modules Now Available on the Vision Resource Center

The California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office is excited to announce the release of the new Credit for Prior Learning training modules. Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) helps our students complete quality programs faster, increases our colleges' value proposition, and confers significant economic and equity benefits to students, colleges, and the state.

This six-module series has been designed in close collaboration with expert from the field and will aid colleges and districts in the planning and implementation of CPL. The series consists of the following modules, all available on the Vision Resource Center (VRC):

- 1. Introduction (1 hour)
- 2. Getting Started (1 hour)
- 3. Working with Faculty (1 hour)
- 4. Working with Staff and Administrators (1 hour)
- 5. Working with Curriculum Committee (0.5 hour)
- 6. Working with Counselors and Veteran Services (1 hour)

The modules can be accessed by logging on to the Vision Resource Center <u>visionresourcecenter.cccco.edu/login</u> and searching for the modules listed above or accessing the full playlist by searching for "Credit for Prior Learning: Planning through Implementation".

* California Adult Education Program (CAEP): Mayra Diaz, Program Lead

- I. \$130 M Healthcare Pathways Funding
 - a. <u>Letter Of Interest (LOI)</u> invited 50 eligible CAEP consortium to apply. Application Deadline has now passed (September 8, 2023) for Round One (FY 23-24) funding.
 - b. Request for extension to submit the workplan was provided to consortia that submitted the request to the Chancellor's Office inbox (<u>caep@cccco.edu</u>). Extended deadline to submit workplan: November 6, 2023.

c. LOI solicits CAEP adult ed consortia to apply and accept grantee commitments in developing healthcare pathway programs in their respective regions and comply with legislative and reporting requirements.

II. CAEP Member Budget and Workplans

a. Deadline to submit: September 30, 2023

III. CAEP Quarter 4 Expenditure Reports

- a. Deadline to submit: September 1, 2023
- b. Consortium Certification Deadline: September 30, 2023
 - i. (21/22 and 22/23 Member Expense Report certified by Consortia in NOVA (Q4))

IV. AB 1491 Excessive Carryover

- a. Reminder: AB 1491 Excessive Carryover tracking began at the start of 2023-2024 Fiscal Year. We are in the middle of year one tracking for both member carryover and consortium carryover. When Q4 is certified next year (September 2024), NOVA will capture consortia and member excessive carryover.
- b. Refer to the **<u>Guidance Memo</u>** released in February 2023.

V. Upcoming Adult Education Events

a. Vision 2030 - A Call to Action: Adult Education Summit

- i. October 5 & 6^{th} in San Diego
- ii. Registration is now closed
- b. CAEP Summit

i. October 24-26, 2023, in Univeral City

ii. The CAEP Summit 2023 is ideal for the teachers, coordinators, administrators and support staff in the network of California adult education providers under the California Adult Education Program.

* California Apprenticeship Initiative (CAI): Sean McCobb, Program Lead

The Chancellor's Office is working with the Department of Industrial Relations' Division of Apprenticeship Standards and the California Apprenticeship Council to update Common Administrative Practices applicable to RSI recipients. The DRAFT document posted for review may be found at the following link. Districts may provide comment on the draft to the Chancellor's Office by emailing <u>apprenticeship@cccco.edu</u>. **Comments due by October 12, 2023.**

<u>https://www.dir.ca.gov/das/DAS_MeetingAgenda/2023/August/CAC-Common-Administrative-Practices.pdf</u>

The Chancellor's Office intends to post the next California Apprenticeship Initiative New and Innovative Grant Program (CAI) RFA in Fall 2023. The RFA will be structurally the same as the fiscal year 2022-23 CAI RFA, but will include minor updates.

- Fiscal Year 21-22 CAI HRTP grantees and Fiscal year 2022-23 Planning Grant recipients that plan to have new apprenticeship standards registered by or soon after June 30, 20224 should plan to apply for a fiscal year 2023-24 Apprenticeship Implementation grant.
- Extra starting review points for applications that include
 - Dule enrollment
 - Credit for prior learning
 - Community college credit
 - Community college certificates and degrees

Finally, the **RSI ReCalc report is due November 1** and must include all hours of instruction for the entirety of fiscal year 2022-23.

- (New this year) All hours (FTES) of apprenticeship RSI instruction reported on the Form 320 must also be reported in the NOVA RSI Reporting page.
 - Any districts needing assistance related to reporting FTES in NOVA RSI Reporting may reach out to <u>apprenticeship@cccco.edu.</u>

Economic and Workforce Development (EWD):

• EWD Statewide and **Regional Center of Excellent competitive Request for Applications (RFA)** recently released on August 1, 2023.

For more details visit the <u>WEDD RFA website</u> at https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/Workforce-and-Economic-Development/WEDD-RFA/EWD-RFA-2023-24.

- *Eligible applicants* are encouraged to submit their proposal, written responses, and budget estimate via the Chancellor's Office NOVA system by **September 11, 2023, 5:00** *P.M.*
- *Please submit any questions about this funding opportunity to <u>ewd@cccco.edu</u>*
- * High Road Construction Careers Partnerships: Dean, LaCandice Ochoa
 - The Chancellor's Office is finalizing award decisions to get approval at the September Board of Governors (BOG) meeting.
- * K12 Strong Workforce Program (SWP): Katie Gilks, Program Lead

 The Round 6 K12 RFA was released on August 25, 2023. Applications are due October 6, 2023, by 5:00 p.m. The table below includes the timeline for K12 Round 6 process. Resources for completing the application and to assist applicants with the NOVA system can be found on the Chancellor's Office website at <u>https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/Workforce-and-Economic-Development/K12-Strong-Workforce</u>

| Date | Schedule for K12 SWP Round 6 |
|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| August 25, 2023 | K12 SWP Application Released/NOVA Platform opens |
| August 31, 2023 | Release of Round 6 Bidders' Conference (Pre-recorded Webinar) |
| September 5, 2023 | Release of NOVA Platform Applicant Training Video |
| October 6, 2023 | K12 SWP Applications due in NOVA system |
| November 1, 2023 | Selection Committees begin reviewing applications |
| November 17, 2023 | Selection Committees review period concludes |
| January 2, 2024 | Chancellor's Office releases final intent to award memo |
| January 2, 2024 | K12 SWP Round 6 project term commences -Regional Consortia initiates subcontract process |
| June 30, 2026 | K12 SWP Round 6 project term ends |

* Nursing and Allied Health: Jennifer Xiong-Moua, Program Lead

- *I.* FY 2022-23 final fiscal report was due on August 31, 2023. Programs who have not submitted are encouraged to submit ASAP.
- *II.* FY 2023-24 Nursing Enrollment Growth and Retention Grant Intent to Award memo was released on July 12.
 - a. Notice was sent to programs on July 18 to submit a workplan and updated budget, if applicable in NOVA by August 30, 2023.
 - b. Reference resources on the WEDD webpage at <u>https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/Workforce-and-Economic-Development/WEDD-RFA/Nursing-Grant-Award-LOI-2023-24</u>

III. Allied Health

a. <u>Senate Bill (SB) 1348</u> requires the Chancellor's Office to report additional information about clinical placements at degree and certificate programs in allied health. The data collection requirements are as follows:

- 1. Counts of clinical trainees by site
 - *"The number of students participating at each clinical training site."*
 - "This shall include information about proficiency in languages other than English."
- 2. Identifying information about clinical sites
 - "License number of each clinical site"
 - *"If the license number is not available, the report shall include the employer identification number of the clinical training site."*
- *b. Reporting due dates:*
 - Fall/Winter data due January 30
 - Spring/Summer data due September 30.

* Perkins V Updates: JeanClaude Mbomeda, Program Lead

- I. Perkins IC FY 2022-23
 - a. Final Report is due **August 31, 2023**. Districts should be working to submit their final report if not done so yet.

II. Perkins IC - FY 2023-24

- a. Quarter 1 expenditures due in NOVA October 15, 2023.
- b. Please contact your <u>regional monitor</u> for any questions.

III. Reserve Grant

- a. Invoices through Quarters 3 & 4 are currently being processed.
- b. Year 1 of 2 ends August 31, 2023 (First Year Progress Report must be submitted by August 31, 2023, however, *invoices with general ledger* were due by July 14, 2023.
- c. No extensions will be given for first year progress report.

Strong Workforce Program Update: Javier Cazares, Program Lead

- *I.* 2023-2024 Allocation (Round 8) plans are due in NOVA by October 31st.
- *II.* SWP Compendium update includes 17% local share by college for multi-college districts
- *III.* SWP out of state travel does not require CO approval

- *IV.* New 4-Year Regional SWP Plans Due January 31, 2024
- V. Holdback of Funds
 - Hold back of funds R1-5 notifications sent via email to District point of contacts in NOVA (8/25/2023)
 - Districts affected by hold back funds have been directed to submit new plans allocating expired funds by October 31st 2023. Monitors will have until November 30th to approve plans. If expired funds are allocated by the deadline, full 2023-2024 allocation will be restored in P1 (February 2024)
- *VI. Expired funds guidance:*
 - The Chancellor's Office will allow districts to expend expired funding for a period of up to 12 months as approved by the Regional Monitor within the NOVA system. Semi-Annual reporting will be required after Monitor approval.
 - R1-4 SWP 1.0 (Allocation years 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20) (Expired Funds)
 - Create SWP 1.0 Plan in NOVA to expend funds
 - *R5 SWP 2.0 (2020-21) (Expired Funds)*
 - Create SWP 1.0 Plan to expend expired funds
 - Currently working with the NOVA team to make expired funds available on SWP 2.0 plans.
- *VII. Reporting Reminders:*

- <u> 2021-2022 Allocation (Round 6)</u>
 - Expenditure Timeline: 30 Months July 1, 2021 December 31, 2023
 - o <u>Funds Expire December 31, 2023</u>
 - *Reporting Period: January 2023 to June 2023 due November 15,2023*
 - Reporting Period: July 2023 to December 2023 due February 15,2024

2022-2023 Allocation (Round 7)

- Expenditure Timeline: 24 Months July 1, 2022 June 30, 2024
- Reporting Period: July 2022 to December 2022 due in NOVA February 15, 2023
- Reporting Period: January 2023 to June 2023 due in NOVA November 15, 2023

<u>2023-2024 Allocation (Round 8)</u>

- Expenditure Timeline: 24 Months July 1, 2023 June 30, 2025
- *Reporting Period: July 2023 to December 2023 due in NOVA February 15, 2024*
- *Reporting Period: January 2024 to June 2024 due in NOVA August 15, 2024*