

Application Workshops—Community Colleges Basic Skills and Student Outcomes Transformation Program



Is your campus ready to “put it all together” and transform your approach to basic skills so you can *really* see the needle move on student outcomes?

General Information

The 2015-16 state budget provides the California Community College system with \$60 million in one-time funds for campuses to adopt or expand evidence-based practices that boost student success. These funds are available to colleges that articulate a compelling plan for adopting or expanding two or more high-impact strategies that transform basic skills outcomes. The Chancellor’s Office released a Request for Applications on January 21. Applications are due back to the Chancellor’s Office by March 25. All community colleges and any college center that currently receive a separate Basic Skills Initiative allocation within a district are eligible to apply for the grant funding.

To assist colleges in the development of their funding application (plan), the Chancellor’s Office’s Institutional Effectiveness Partnership Initiative (IEPI) is sponsoring four (4) workshops featuring practitioners and other experts who will provide information on a variety of evidence-based and nationally recognized principles and practices related to basic skills (such as contextualizing instruction and offering statistics-based remedial pathways to students). The goal is for attendees to leave these highly interactive workshops with a set of high-impact strategies to incorporate in their college’s funding application. Once grants are awarded, IEPI intends to provide additional training and support to colleges on *implementing* their plans.

Workshop Schedule/Registration/Cost

All workshops will take place from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Registration is required through Eventbrite. There is a \$50 per-person registration fee for attending. Registration includes lunch as well as morning and afternoon refreshments. Participants are responsible for travel and any parking costs.

Thursday, February 11

Clovis Community College (Herndon Campus)

Registration link:

<https://iepiworkshopnocal.eventbrite.com>

Monday, February 22

Hilton Oakland Airport

Registration link:

<https://iepiworkshopoakland.eventbrite.com>

Tuesday, February 16

Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa

Registration link:

<https://iepiworkshopsocal.eventbrite.com>

Wednesday, March 2

Riverside Area TBD

Registration link:

<https://iepiworkshopinland.eventbrite.com>

Who Should Attend?

Each college is highly encouraged to send a team of representatives, which could include the following: CEO, CIO, CSSO, CBO, faculty representatives (from instruction and counseling), classified staff representative, CTE dean, institutional researcher and coordinators from basic skills, SSSP and student equity.

Questions?

For questions related to workshop registration, contact Brooke Scallion at bscallion@clpccd.org or (925) 249-9371.

