



The San Diego Workforce Partnership / San Diego Community College District Joint Partnership

Goal: To strengthen partnership opportunities districtwide.

Structure: A joint partnership committee with regular meetings and clear reporting framework to help support and move the work forward.

Joint Priority Focus Areas: Within this new joint partnership structure, explore the following three areas for improved partnership opportunities - these three areas represent current partnership activities and new opportunities for supporting more students and improving their career success:

1. Referrals & Recruitment
2. Program & Process Awareness
3. Job Placement & Employability

Joint Approved Activities for Exploration:

Within the joint partnership committee structure, the following activities will be explored:

1. Increase awareness of SDCCD Career Education Programs within SDWP's Career Centers. Enhance integration of SDCCD career education programs into SDWP's My Next Move and Career Coach websites.
 - a. Review links within My Next Move website, which integrates community college training opportunities at the priority sector level under "Get Training" within each sector page. Provide and improve link access to relevant programs where appropriate.
 - b. Integrate SDCE's noncredit programs into SDWP's Career Coach website which currently only integrates IPEDS data on college degree programs.
2. Increase awareness of SDWP's career exploration tools within SDCCD Institutions. SDWP to provide training on career exploration resources and how to utilizing them to support student success. Training could be done at institution or districtwide level(s). Institutions to confirm participants and preferred timing.
3. Explore the establishment of Lead Points of Contact between SDCCD's four institutions and the Career Coaches at SDWP Career Centers (specifically within the Bank of America Center at the Downtown Library and Metro Center). Focus on relationship building between SDCCD roles and SDWP Career Coaches.
4. Evaluate and increase availability of SDCCD resources at SDWP career centers. Resources may include physical booklets or information (when in-person services restart), workshops, or on-site representatives. Explore co-location opportunities, either for SDCCD to have permanent space within career centers or for SDWP career center locations to exist on SDCCD campuses. An evaluation of the current resources will uncover the opportunities.
5. Increase awareness of SDWP funding opportunities, programs, and initiatives; explore participation where appropriate. Possible areas to explore include: Income Share Agreements (ISAs), Eligible Training Provide List (ETPL), etc.