Program Efficacy Report Spring 2019—Conditional Reporting (from Spring 2018 efficacy review)

Program Efficacy Team Report (Student Services)

2017-2018

Name of Department: Child Development Center

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Overall Recommendation:

□Continuation □Conditional □Probation

Rationale for Overall Recommendation:

While the CDC meets most requirements and is aligned with the college Mission, provides a safe and educational environment for students, staff, parents and children, the program review committee strongly urges the program to request EMP data from our office of Institutional Research & Planning and incorporate it into their Program Efficacy report. The CDC relies on state standards and internal evaluations to ensure a functioning, quality program for our immediate population which is helpful, however there is a need to align with the college process as well. It would be helpful for the committee to see how the program addresses challenges, goals and planning which are elements of the EMP report. Recommendations have been made in areas III and VI. Repetitive references to "the previous efficacy report (2013)" are unnecessary and it would be more helpful to emphasize plans and goals and provide detailed evaluations where requested.

Part I: Questions Related to Strategic Initiative: $\underline{Increase\ Access}$

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Demographics	The program does not	The program provides an	In addition to the meets criteria, the
	provide an appropriate	analysis of the	program's analysis and plan demonstrates a
	analysis regarding	demographic data and	need for increased resources.
	identified differences in	provides an interpretation	
	the program's population	in response to any	
	compared to that of the	identified variance.	
	general population.		
		The program discusses	
		the plans or activities	
		that are in place to recruit	
		and retain underserved	
		populations as appropriate.	
Pattern of	The program's pattern of	The program provides	In addition to the meets criteria, the program
Service	service is not related to	evidence that the pattern	demonstrates that the pattern of service
	the needs of students.	of service or instruction	needs to be extended.
		meets student needs.	
		The program discusses	
		the plans or activities	
		that are in place to meet a	
		broad range of needs.	

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

An argument is made and supported by the use of internal data that the CDC reflects and meets the "true community need" with respect to the largely Latino represented population. In an excel spreadsheet provided with CDC participant ethnicity, specific names are included. Names should be omitted in an effort to de-identify the data or eliminate the name column for future reports as it could be considered confidential information. The CDC operates from 7am to 4pm 224 days a year and meets enrollment capacity. There is a large wait list of 500 which is updated monthly. The hours of operation and capacity enrollment are in alignment with CDC standards.

Part II: Questions Related to Strategic Initiative: Promote Student Success

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Data/Analysis demonstrating achievement of instructional or service success Service Area Outcomes and/or Student Learning Outcomes	Program does not provide an adequate analysis of the data provided with respect to relevant program data. Program has not demonstrated that it is continuously assessing Service Area Outcomes (SAOs) and/or Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) based on the plans	Meets Program provides an analysis of the data which indicates progress on departmental goals. Program has demonstrated that it has fully evaluated within a four-year cycle and is continuously assessing all Service Area Outcomes (SAOs) and/or Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs).	Exceeds In addition to the meets criteria, the program <u>uses the achievement data</u> in concrete planning and <u>demonstrates</u> that it is prepared for growth. In addition to the meets criteria, the program <u>demonstrates that it has fully incorporated Service Area Outcomes (SAOs) and/or Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) into its planning, made appropriate adjustments, and is prepared for growth.</u>
	(SLOs) based on the plans of the program since their last program efficacy. Evidence of data collection, evaluation, and reflection/feedback, and/or connection to area services is missing or incomplete.	Outcomes (SLOs).	growth.

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

The CDC provides real world "lab" experiences for students in the early childhood education program. Student workers also participate in the CDC and gain professional experience. According to a student employee evaluation all 100% of the students felt the experience at the CDC increased their capability working in a childcare environment. The report indicates children in the center are making satisfactory progress per the Child Development Division of the State Department of Education standards. The report includes newly developed Service Area Outcomes and plans to evaluate on a yearly basis.

Part III: Questions Related to Strategic Initiative: <u>Improve Communication, Culture & Climate</u>

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Communication	The program does not identify	The program identifies	In addition to the meets criteria, the program
	data that demonstrates	data that demonstrates	describes plans for extending
	communication with college	communication with	communication with college and community
	and community.	college and community.	and provides data or research that
			demonstrates the need for additional
			resources.
Culture &	The program does not identify	The program identifies	In addition to the meets criteria, the program
Climate	its impact on culture and	and describes its impact	provides data or research that demonstrates
	climate or the plans are not	on culture and climate.	the need for additional resources.
	supported by the data and information provided.	Program addresses how	
		this impacts planning.	

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

An internal program evaluation is conducted and results are shared with relevant parties, however a wider audience may be served through regular and accessible communication with the college community. The communication listed in the report is limited and exclusive to upper administration. The committee inquired why the CDC does not promote or communicate via our SBVC campus website. There is mention of using the college marquee, however no specific details were provided about how people find out about CDC services and how they are communicating their information especially with students and within the department. The report does mention that the CDC takes part in numerous community partnerships that enhance the children's experience.

Response:

The Child Development Center utilizes the San Bernardino Valley College website to provide information to the SBVC students as well as to the outlining community. The 2019/2020 goal is to create a Facebook page, as well as a more detailed webpage directly related to the Child Development Center where parents and families could access information pertinent to program goals, menus, special events, and important dates. The CDC website will provide access to lesson plans, special events, and community resources. The Child Development Center also is in collaboration with Paul Bratulin, Director of Marketing and Public Relations who assist with "email blast" to students wishing to be hired as Student Workers. The Child Development Center also works with Jeremy Sims, Director of Technology Services to create a "Blackboard Connect Alert System" informing parents via text message and email of any emergency on the SBVC campus. The Child Development Center provides an annual update to the Board of Trustees as it relates to the revision of the Parent Handbook. The Child Development Center provides the Board of Trustees, the President, and the Vice President with our annual Memory Book which outlines activities, events, and collaborations with community resources throughout the fiscal year. The Child Development Center partners with Ed Gomez and the MECHA organization annually to provide the CDC children with "Dia De Los Niño's" this is a community outreach program that provides literacy based activities to the children of the CDC.

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$IV: Questions \ Related \ to \ Strategic \ Initiative: \underline{Maintain \ Leadership \ \& \ Promote \ Professional} \\ \underline{Development}$

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Professional	The program does not	Program identifies current	In addition to the meets criteria, the
Development	identify currency in	avenues for professional	program shows that professional
	professional	development.	development has impacted/expanded the
	development activities.	20.000	program and demonstrates that the
			program is positioning itself for growth.

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:				
Staff are meeting their	105 hours of profes	sional growth requirement by attending numerous workshops.		
Staff also present and	facilitate at some wo	orkshops.		

V: Questions Related to Strategic Initiative: <u>Effective Evaluation & Accountability</u>

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Mission/ Statement of Purpose	The program <u>does not have</u> a mission/statement of purpose, or it <u>does not clearly link</u> with the institutional mission.	The program <u>has</u> a mission/statement of purpose, and it <u>links</u> clearly with the institutional mission.	
Productivity	The data <u>does not show</u> an acceptable level of productivity for the program, or the issue of productivity is not adequately addressed.	The data <u>shows</u> the program is productive at an acceptable level.	The program demonstrates that it is highly productive and is positioning itself for growth.
Relevance,	The program does not provide	The program provides	In addition to the meets criteria, the program
Currency,	evidence that it is relevant, current,	evidence that the	discusses plans to enhance current offerings
Articulation	and that courses articulate with	curriculum review	that link to student/community needs and
	CSU/UC, if appropriate.	process is up to date.	positions the program for growth.
	Out of date course(s) that were not	and current to the	
	launched into Curricunet by Oct. 1, 2017 may result in an overall	mission of the program.	
	recommendation no higher than Conditional.	Appropriate courses have been articulated or transfer with	
		UC/CSU, or plans are	
		in place to articulate appropriate courses.	

Challenges	The program does not incorporate	The program	The program incorporates weaknesses and
	weaknesses and challenges into	incorporates	challenges into planning that demonstrate the
	planning.	weaknesses and	need for expansion.
		challenges into	
		planning.	

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

The mission links with the college mission. Parents are satisfied with the program. The report describes how participant needs are met, surveys parents and incorporates successful and proven strategies to enhance child development. The program is operating at capacity with a long waitlist of interested parents who want to enroll their children. While these internal data are helpful, the committee strongly urges that the department work with the office of Institutional Research and Planning to acquire and provide analysis of data for the program and include information regarding program challenges, plans and goals as part of the efficacy process.

VI: Questions Related to Strategic Initiative: Provide Exceptional Facilities

	Does Not Meet	Meets	Exceeds
Facilities	The program does not	Program provides an	In addition to the meets criteria, the
	provide an evaluation	evaluation of the physical	program has developed a plan for
	that addresses the sustainability of the physical environment for its programs.	environment for its programs and <u>presents</u> evidence to support the evaluation.	obtaining or utilizing additional facilities for program growth.

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

This area was addressed very generally. A description of the CDC facilities is provided but not an evaluation of the environment. Details of how the state of the art classrooms are beneficial to participants would be helpful. There is mention of cassette recorders and tapes, however those are not considered state of the art and could be replaced with more updated technology. There is mention of the facilities being clean and hygienic, however no mention of an evaluation or evaluation evidence. Plans for replacing antiquated equipment (cassettes, recorders) with updated equipment (e.g., tablets) would be beneficial.

Response:

The Child Development Center is mandated by the State Department of Education to conduct an Early Childhood Environmental Rating Scale (ECERS) and Infant/Toddler Environmental Rating Scale (ITERS) annually to assess the programs environments. A summary of findings is created summarizing

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the areas that meet the standard and those which are deemed deficient. This summary of findings is submitted with a plan of action to the Child Development Division of the State Department of education via Program Self Evaluation annually. The summary of findings will indicate whether the classrooms are in need of replacement of antiquated, broken, or non-reparable materials and equipment. State of the art is defined as the most recent stage in the development of a product, incorporating the newest ideas and the most up-to-date features. The Child Development Center was designed as a lab/observation facility where students who wish to be educators could observe through glass sliding doors without intruding on the teachable moments provided by the instructors. The predominantly glass facility was designed so that children's learning could be easily transferred between the indoors to the outdoors as desired. An extension to the natural was created while ensuring the safety and security of each classroom. It is a world within a world, and although we are centrally located and adjacent to a large college campus it is a space that belongs solely to them. The Child Development Center is a sanctuary, a place of refuge and peace for children who come from homelessness, abuse, drug addiction, and socio economically challenged backgrounds. In this place they have opportunities to learn, nap in a warm and clean environment, and are provided with a nutritionally balanced breakfast, lunch, and snack. The CDC is age and developmentally appropriate in providing children with the most advanced research based pedagogy from instructors who are well educated in theoretical practices and concepts. Computers and Tablets in the child development arena are a very controversial subject matter as some developmentalist consider this level of technology in the classroom to not be developmentally appropriate and could potentially lead to the lack of individual creativity, a hindrance to the large and small motor muscle development and childhood obesity.

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VII: Previous Does Not Meets Categories

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Efficacy Team Analysis and Feedback:

The author address 4 areas which previously received a "Does not Meet" rating and addressed each area in bold within the document and in summary at the conclusion of the document.