**THINGS REGION DOES BASED ON STAFF AVAILABLE (Leslie, Heather, Monica, WestEd, and TBD)**

REGION: Offer Professional Development

* Current activities
  + Organize regional PD for adults and build capacity of staff (teachers and counselors) in CE by sector
* Proposed activities
  + Replicate health sector professional development for other sectors
* Not in scope
  + CC instructors and students provide authentic assessment of k12 CTE projects, participate in mentorships, practice interviews, etc. (facilitate)

REGION: Things to develop

* Current activities
  + Align pathways between MS, HS and CC
  + Common messaging
* Proposed activities
  + Student-friendly LMI
  + Need for common language (bring together) – also under dissemination
* Not in scope
  + Career centers to support community, including parents, students, faculty?
  + Student-to-student outreach
  + Benchmarking (competencies – from one level to the next); how are defining “Career Ready” at each level

REGION: Engagement and Events

* Current activities
  + Career Fair – include CTE HS feeder programs and CC district reps and industry partners
  + Create career fairs on MS, HS, CC, where pathways can show off what they do.
  + Facilitate engagement with industry professionals (industry tours) and guest speakers, by sector (limited)
  + Facilitate internship (limited, not all sectors, not scalable)
  + Scale up region-wide Competitions on CC campuses (i.e Codachella for coding)
  + Campus tours (with themes)
  + (Inside Curriculum) – Consortium activities/regional: Articulation agreements
  + Parent engagement (scale)
* Proposed activities
  + Externships
* Not in scope
  + WBL Partnerships
  + Support LEA sponsored and regional activities (limited to priority sectors)?
  + CTE Showcase: students seek out client/community partner
  + Admission and FA app drives/competitions between schools (“race to submit”)

REGION: Research and Dissemination

* Current activities
  + Mapping of CTE programs in San Diego and Imperial Counties
* Proposed activities
  + Common career lessons for career exploration in MS/HS
  + Work with sites to vet age-appropriate and affordable career dev. Curriculum
  + Assist in development of career research and planning units for each grade level in a variety of instructional areas
  + YouTube video “Success in the New Economy, 2018” by Kevin Fleming
  + Sharing of best practices; cluster conversations
  + Share information about industry events with region so other colleges can arrange to take students
  + Facilitate conversation about benchmarking (competencies – from one level to the next); how are defining “Career Ready” at each level
  + Career Exploration and Planning Tools
    - Find or list of tools to help students become self-aware, develop a college and career plan, so portfolio and info can travel with them from MS to HS to CC
    - Negotiate (facilitate) bulk purchasing for software for the region (brings down cost for each LEA); an example: Nepris, CAD software, Adobe, Mastercam, CDX, etc.
    - Toolkit of reputable career exploration products/programs
    - YouTube video “Success in the New Economy, 2018” by Kevin Fleming
    - Live video via zoom with industry professionals
* Not in scope
  + Create a centralized “internship hub”; people promoting internships and connecting to schools in the area (note: connect with Jobspeaker, later down the road)
  + Best practices toolkit/resources for dual enrollment and articulation (WG 1)

21st Century Skills

**Content/skills to teach**

* Flexibility (30 careers in a lifetime)
* Soft skills – dialogue
* Expectations for real work habits
* Language/grammar
* AI – preparation for
* Exploring careers in 15 industry sectors – develop curriculum for the regional

Suggestions for Colleges

* Student-to-student outreach
* Multilingual financial aid workshops
* Provide Campus tours (with themes)
* Expand region-wide Competitions on CC campuses (i.e Codachella for coding)
* Admission and FA app drives/competitions between schools (“race to submit”)
* Principal and counselor tours of community colleges (PD?)
* Tours of CCC CTE

Suggestions for COE

* Strategic plan to inform and engage K-12 administrators, counselors, teachers (about the importance of CE)