

K14 Career Pathways Meeting Notes February 20, 2024 10:00 am - 11:30 am

I. Regional Announcements

• The K14 Career Pathways Workgroup Regional Lead, Suzanne Sebring will be on medical leave through the end of the spring semester.

II. Career Pathways Project Update

- Received data from 7 schools, 3 of which were adult schools across 6 districts.
 - Action: We are still collecting data. Please enter your enrollment and persistence data for the 2023 graduates, broken down by Race/Ethnicity, Gender, and SES (free or reduced lunch) here and upload it using this link.
- Action: The next step is to establish connections with your college partners. The document
 "Exploring Opportunity Gaps and Alignment in Career and Technical Education Pathways" is
 designed to aid you in utilizing data and prompting conversations with your college partners to
 explore opportunity gaps.
 - Next meeting activity will be for a volunteer to commit to engaging with their college partners to have the conversation between now and the next meeting and be willing to share at a high level.

III. Program Finder

- The Program Finder now includes the high school data and the adult school data, in addition to community college (2 counties, 10 community colleges, 25 K12 districts, 92 high schools, and 6 adult schools).
- In each section, you'll find a map, filters, and data below that can be refined to a more specific subset.
 - Programs are organized according to college career areas, detailing the degrees and certificates they offer. Each career area section includes links to high school districts and adult schools, offering similar programs or pathways aligned with those outlined in the career areas.
- K14 Program Finder User Guide gives people an intro to program finder and helps to determine how they might use it, depending on your role, who might be interested in it.
- Action: Reach out via email if you encounter broken links, require corrections, or notice glitches
 with the tool. We welcome feedback on how to enhance the Program Finder Tool & User Guide.
 Are you facing any challenges? Do you have all the necessary resources? This is an opportunity
 for the workgroup to provide input and enhance the resources.

IV. Options After HS Survey Update

- We're in the data collection process for the Options After High School Survey and received almost 7,000 responses (6,746).
- Action: A follow up email will be sent that includes a list of schools by districts who we have received responses for. Please encourage those that have not responded to do so using this survey link.
- The <u>Options After High School Data dashboard</u> offers new filters to explore demographic data related to respondents and college districts. Users can intersect K-12 school locations with community college service districts to access insights for outreach strategies. The dashboard is

fully responsive and allows users to filter data based on specific criteria, such as college district and pathways of interest.

- V. Career Pathways Partnership Updates
 - Regional Dual Enrollment CoP
 - Agenda and resources
 - o <u>DE Strategic Plan resource</u>
 - K12 CDE Dual Enrollment Opportunities Grant
 - Round two open NOW, closes March 29, 2024.
 - Request for Applications MCEC Grant web page
 - Request for Applications CCAP Grant web page
 - <u>Dual Enrollment Opportunities Resource Folder</u>
 - Map of dual enrollment grantees (round 1 CCAP and Middle/Early College grants) and GSPP Technical Assistance Centers
 - Regional Articulation Credit by Exam CoP
 - 2022-23 data request: <u>Articulation Credit by Exam Data Request Summary</u> and <u>Data Collection Template</u>
 - Adult Ed/Noncredit
 - Focusing on alignment work for hospitality, tourism and recreation. If your schools have not provided your representative, please do so here.
 - Please update the data <u>repository</u>

Our next meeting is March 19th, 10-11:30am

- o Focus: Regional Early College Credit Data Articulation Credit by Exam
 - Summary report for 2021-22 and presentation