Next Steps to Your Future: Helping High School Seniors Plan Post-Graduation Life During the Pandemic

Questions and Answers

**How is economically disadvantaged determined?**
Hawaii Dept of Ed data on students who were eligible for Free or Reduced Price Lunch while in high school.
You can see the data (with more details) on the Hawaii DXP dashboard:
[http://hawaiidxp.org/quick_data/ccri/index](http://hawaiidxp.org/quick_data/ccri/index)
Check out the glossary on the page for the technical information about the data definitions:
Also the College and Career Readiness Indicators Report pdfs offer a technical report:
[http://hawaiidxp.org/research/ccri_reports](http://hawaiidxp.org/research/ccri_reports)

**Do you have any data that speaks to the number of ELs who participated last year?**
Answered in session.

**What is the data for students with disabilities? College going rate through this program?**
Students received UH disability services but we do not typically disaggregate UH data for students with disabilities.

**How was “prepared” defined?**
Answered in session.

**For the students who successfully participated, do you ask why they enrolled and completed, especially those who are in the subgroups?**
Answered in session.
Is there any data about the students who participated last summer and did they attend and persist in AY ‘20-‘21?
Answered in session.

Do you have data that shows which high schools were represented in these groups?
Answered in session.

How was this course advertised to students?
Letters and postcards sent home; radio, news, info sessions, email invitation to students that applied to a UH Community College.

Are you planning to target any groups of students specifically, i.e. from any under-served groups? And is there any plan to rope students who dropped off, back in?
Answered in session.

Do we have any information on broadband access for students at home vis-a-vie their ability to attend and keep at the coursework on line?
Answered in session.

Can something be offer during the summer of their junior year as a way to start the deeper conversation during their entire senior year?
Answered in session.

Can there be Next Steps workshops for parents and families?
Yes, I believe we had them, but it was low attended. We will try to do better in getting the word out.
We will be offering an Early College early childhood course for the first time this coming spring, how do we get this info to those students?
Answered in session.

noticed that 81% completed the FAFSA but only 32% were PELL eligible. trying to figure out what this might mean - as am wondering if more who were PELL eligible didn’t apply?
Answered in session.

Did you desegregate the data by rural vs urban schools? do we see more/less participation for students in rural/remote areas?
Answered in session.

Have you kept track of how many students ended up matriculating to a non-UH school after starting in UH due to pandemic changes?
Answered in session.

May we have your contact information...emails?
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How are you addressing the anxiety and stress levels that were mentioned by students- with your program?
Answered in session.

Were the UHCC counselors notified about this course and do we know if they acted on it?
Each campus had representation for the Student Support group. Some were counselors, others were from recruitment. These members were assigned by the Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs.
Resources
University of Hawai‘i Community Colleges – Workforce Training: https://uhcc.hawaii.edu/training/

Hawai‘i Career Pathways – Promising Credentials: https://hawaiicareerpathways.org/resources/work-based-learning/career-exploration/promising-credentials/

University of Hawai‘i Community Colleges – EDvance: https://edvance.hawaii.hawaii.edu