

The competence of students completing career education programs shall be evaluated by the same criteria that are used for all courses and in accordance with specific requirements established by the college for individual programs. Students completing programs that are additionally approved by third party regulatory or credentialing agencies will have additional program competencies established under the District's program approval on file with the Vice President of Academic Affairs from third party regulators.

Advisory committees for career education programs shall be established by the college within the Career Education program to assist in maintaining relevant curriculum, technology, equipment, course content, student internships and placement, and to serve as liaisons with local and regional employers and industry associations.

Members of advisory committees for Career Education programs are appointed as appropriate in accordance with processes established by the college, and should include appropriate program faculty, employers and employees in the field for which the program is designed to train students; former and current students; and the respective instructional dean.

Consistent with federal regulations pertaining to federal financial aid eligibility, the Vice President of Academic Affairs will ensure that the District complies with the United States Department of Education's disclosure requirements for each of the District's gainful employment programs by disclosing federally-mandated information about the programs to prospective students. The District shall make the required disclosures available to prospective students in promotional materials and on its website.

The Vice President of Academic Affairs shall establish procedures to ensure that the District meets these reporting requirements whenever the District intends to add a new gainful employment program.

Reference:

Title 5, Sections 55600 et seq.; 2 Code of Federal Regulations Part 200 (The Federal Department General Administrative Regulations, 2nd Edition); 34 Code of Federal Regulations Part 600 (U.S. Department of Education regulations on the Integrity of Federal Student Financial Aid Programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended); ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.A.14

El Camino College

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