

# Adult Education & Noncredit Workgroup Notes August 20, 2024 1:00 to 2:30pm

### Workgroup Leads

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#### **Participants**

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- Greg Hill Jr., WestEd
- Jay Marquand, Director of Adult Education, Sweetwater Union High School District
- Crystal Robinson, Director of Continuing Education, Southwestern College
- David Taylor, Enrollment Success Specialist, Southwestern College
- 1. Adult Education & NonCredit Workgroup Goals
  - a. 23-24 Goals reflection discussion: What did we accomplish, and what lessons can we learn from areas where we didn't fully reach our goals?
    - i. 23-24 Goals
      - 1. Continue horizontal alignment until all Occupational Training Programs (OTPs) are complete
      - 2. Follow with vertical alignment between Adult Education/Noncredit and credit community college courses and programs
      - 3. Promote sharing of best practices in alignment and transition
    - ii. Comments
      - 1. Reminder that the Data Repository is never done. It is a living document that needs to be continually updated.
      - 2. Recommend creating a standardized form, here's the steps that you'll want to take to work with your consortium or partners to ensure vertical alignment.
  - b. Proposed 24-25 Goals:
    - Create & implement an Adult Education & NC Program Recommendation Process
    - ii. Maintain the Data Repository and develop a user-friendly dashboard for internal use.
  - c. ACTION: Once approved, Website will be updated to reflect 24-25 goals.
- 2. Achieving our 24-25 Goals
  - a. Prompt: How might we achieve these goals? What do you see as the challenges? What solutions can you share?



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- Create & implement an Adult Education & NC Program Recommendation Process
  - Padlet <u>Responses</u> to challenges & solutions
  - Agreed upon by the group to move forward.
- Maintain the Data Repository and develop a user-friendly dashboard for internal use
  - Padlet <u>Responses</u> to challenges & solutions
  - The group suggested exploring options for the most suitable type of dashboard and recommended an external dashboard for sharing with partners.
    - IDEA: Maintain the data repository for internal use and develop a user friendly, dashboard
    - ACTION: Add exploration to future meeting on who the audience is for the dashboard
    - Schedule time during meeting to update the Data Repository
      - Next Program Finder update is September
- 3. Adult Education & NC Program Recommendation Process
  - a. Prompt: What steps should we take to establish a program recommendation process and address the identified challenges over the next 8 meetings to ensure success? How can we best structure these 8 meetings?
    - i. Responses
      - 1. September/October meeting
        - a. Review Data Repository Is it up to date? Review the steps of going through it.
        - b. Share best practices of the Adult Ed Consortiums
        - c. Review the CE Deans' Programs Recommendation Process
          - i. How does this work with the Data Repository
        - d. Explore in more depth what the dashboard looks like and who the audience is.
      - 2. November/Feb meetings
        - a. Begin to develop the process by adding programs
      - 3. March meeting
        - a. Develop a prototype for the recommendation process and begin piloting
      - 4. April meeting
        - a. Review pilot. What works, what does not. What needs to be changed in the recommendation process protocol?
        - b. Second Pilot
      - 5. May meeting
        - a. Evaluate the full process



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- 4. Roundtable
  - a. Apprenticeship
    - i. Professional Development Workshop: The Basics of Pre-Apprenticeship
      - 1. Resources & Recording
    - ii. Fresh Success Webinars Register Now
  - b. San Diego Airport employment opportunities can be found at <u>San Diego County Regional</u> Airport Authority Current Openings (workable.com)
  - c. SuperRegion next Meeting: September 18 @ 2pm
  - d. CAEP Introduction to Asset Mapping for Adult Education Planning and Continuous Improvement Webinar Recording

## 8/20/24:

- Slide Deck
- Additional Resources
- Recording

Next meeting September 17, 1:00-2:30pm (zoom)