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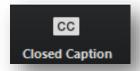
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November 2022 Webinar Agenda

Overview of 2022 Chaptered Legislation

 Preliminary Guidance on the Expanded Part-Time Faculty Health Insurance Program







Overview of 2022 Chaptered Legislation and What's Next

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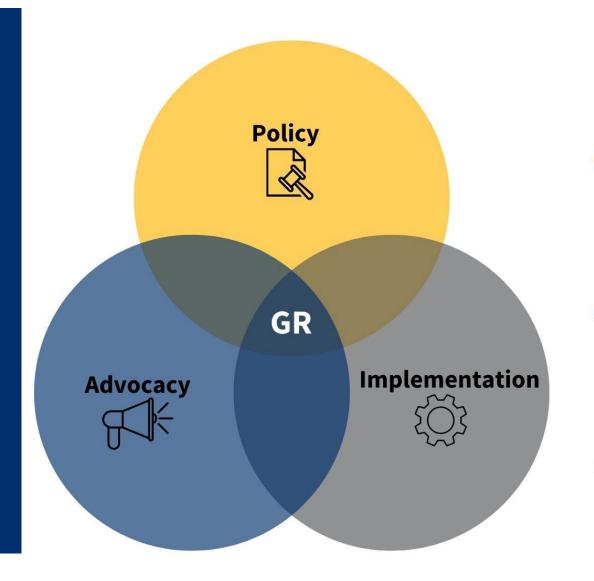
Overview of Government Relations

- Support and sponsor legislation that advances the goals of the *Vision for Success*.
- Represent the Chancellor's Office in legislative and oversight hearings.
- Plan and coordinate advocacy days, legislative briefings, and other presentations.
- Provide technical assistance to legislative policy and fiscal committees and Department of Finance.
- Coordinate with our Washington DC based federal liaison on federal legislation and regulations.





Fulfilling the Vision for Success





Policy

- Bills and resolutions
- Trailer bill language
- Omnibus bills



Advocacy

- Letters
- Talking points/handouts
- Webinars



Implementation

- Communicate bill requirements
- Inform the Legislature and Administration





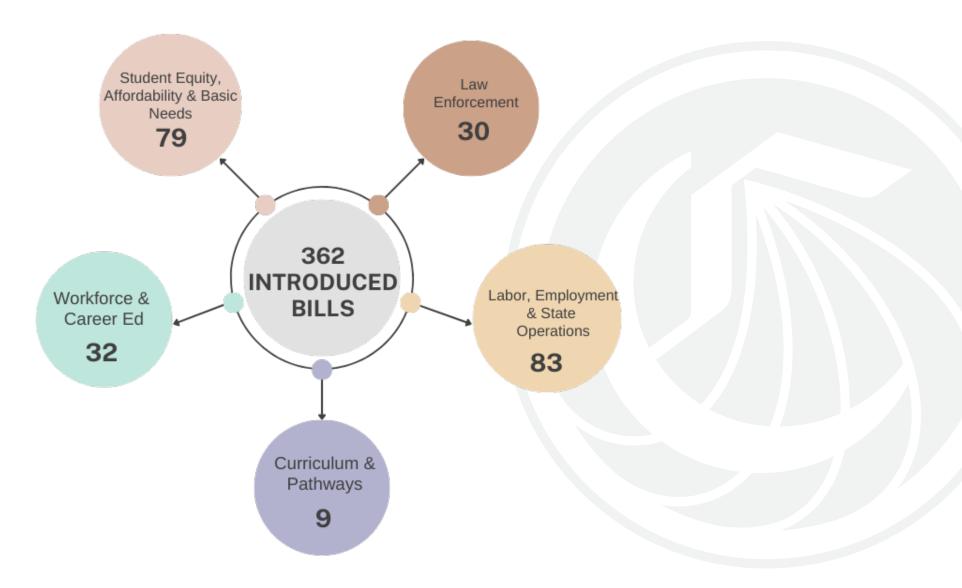
Thousands of bills were introduced and 1,166 made it to the Governor's desk

362 bills were identified as having an impact on higher education

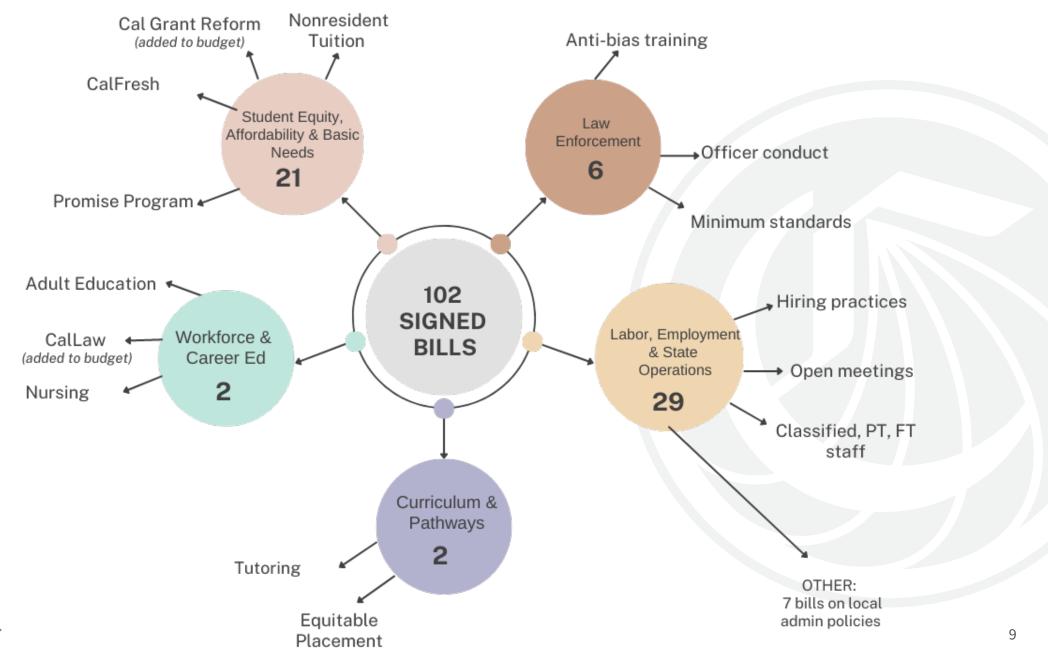
Of those, more than 80 bills were classified as
Tier 1 (likely having have a direct impact on the CCCs)

Many were vetoed, but 40
Tier 1 bills were signed
into law

The clock starts again: the next legislative session begins on December 5th









High-Priority Chaptered Legislation

AB 1705 (Irwin)

Prohibits colleges from placing and enrolling students in pretransfer-level math or English coursework except under very limited circumstances.

- Issue guidance on the bill's requirements.
- Elevate best practices for ensuring students are informed and placed in the appropriate courses.
- Support colleges in continuous improvement through data collection and program evaluation.

AB 1187 (Irwin)

Provides that supervised tutoring for foundational skills and for degree-applicable and transfer-level courses is eligible for state apportionment.

- Update Board of Governors regulations.
- Update our fiscal reporting tools to allow colleges to report on supervised tutoring FTES.

AB 1491 (McCarty)

Requires the Chancellor's Office and CDE to provide technical assistance to adult education consortiums with excessive carryover.

- Support districts in reducing their year-to-year carryovers.
- Elevate the intent and goals of the Adult Education Block Grant Program.



High-Priority Chaptered Legislation

- Equitable Placement and high impact support
 - AB 1705(Irwin), AB 1187 (Irwin)
- Supports for non-resident (tuition exemption)
 - SB 1141 (Limon), AB 1232 (McCarty)
- Affordability & Basic Needs
 - Cal Grant Reform, AB 288 (Calderon), SB 641 (Skinner)
- Workforce & Adult Education
 - AB 1491 (McCarty)
- Reporting
 - AB 1942 (Muratsuchi), AB 2459 (Cervantes), AB 1712 (Medina)



Next Steps

- Meetings with each division
 - Discuss new mandates (i.e., reporting, data collection, etc.).
 - Guidance and communications to the CCCs (i.e., memos, webinars, etc.).

Chaptered Legislation Report will be released in <u>early December</u>





We rely on

- Accessible information
- Open and frequent communication
- Mutual understanding of problems
- Early awareness of challenges
- Swift responses & action





Staying Up to Date on Legislation

Tracked Legislation

The Legislature reconvened for the second year of the two-year legislative session on January 3, 2022. To date, we have identified 107 two-year and newly introduced bills that have an impact on higher education or the Chancellor's Office. Of these, 48 are classified as Tier 1 and most likely to have a direct impact on the California Community Colleges, our faculty, and our students. The last day to introduce new legislation is February 18.

Tier 1: Bills that have a direct effect on the California Community Colleges, students, faculty, staff, and/or Chancellor's Office.

Tier 2: Bills that have an effect on state or local agency operations (Chancellor's Office generally does not take positions).

Tier 3: Bills that have an effect on educational partners, including the UC, CSU, CSAC, K-12, etc. (Chancellor's Office generally does not take positions).

Tier 5: Chaptered legislation or resolutions.

Tier 1					
Measure	Author	Topic	Location	Position	Assigned
AB 75	O'Donnell D	Education finance: school facilities: Kindergarten- Community Colleges Public Education Facilities Bond Act of 2022.	9/10/2021-S. 2 YEAR	Support	Imran
AB 99	Irwin D	Statewide longitudinal data system: California Cradle-to- Career Data System: governance and support.	7/14/2021-S. 2 YEAR	Under Review	Imran
AB 102	<u>Holden</u> D	Pupil attendance at community colleges: College and Career Access Pathways partnerships: county offices of education.	1/25/2022-S. RLS.	Support	Justin



A full Legislative Matrix can be found by visiting the State Relations page on the Chancellor's Office website.

Enacted Bills

Additional information and guidance regarding bills enacted by the Legislature.

Enacted Bills 2021

Chaptered Legislation Report

October 9th marked the end of the first year of the 2021-22 Legislative Session, with Governor Newsom taking final actions on bills approved by the Legislature in 2021. Of the 2,400 bills collectively introduced by the Assembly and Senate, we identified 203 bills relating to the California Community Colleges and/or the Chancellor's Office. Governor Newsom signed 91 bills relating to our system into law. The Governor approved the only bill sponsored by the Chancellor's Office and 10 of the 17 bills supported by our office. Of the four bills with an Oppose position, one bill died; one was made into a two-year bill; one was signed into law; and one received amendments that moved our office to a neutral

The Legislature will reconvene for the second year of the two-year legislative session on January 3, 2022. Approximately 106 bills related to higher education could be acted upon next year.

2021 Chaptered Legislation Report (PDF)

2021 Final Legislative Matrix (PDF)



The **Enacted Bills** page provides a summary of chaptered legislation, including next steps for implementation.

Agenda Item Details

Contact(s)

California

Community

The Chancellor's Office will seek feedback on any legislation and priorities included in this undate

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Our Consultation Council and Board of Governors updates includes summaries of all Tier 1 legislation.



Expanded Part-Time Faculty Health Insurance Program

Recently Issued Memos

FS 22-13 – Classified Employee Summer Assistance Program

FS 22-14 – Changes to the Part-Time Faculty Health Insurance Program



2022-23 Budget

Part-Time Faculty Health Insurance Program



FUNDING INCREASED
BY \$200 MILLION
ANNUALLY TO
\$200,490,000



50 - 100%
REIMBURSEMENT,
IF CERTAIN CRITERIA
MET

Definitions

An adjunct faculty is either:

1. Part-time faculty

Teaching assignment >= 40% at one district of minimum full-time teaching assignment

or

2. Multidistrict part-time faculty

Teaching assignments at 2 or more districts >= 40% of minimum full-time teaching assignment

Funding Allocation

1

In the initial allocation, districts receive up to 50% of the cost of the individual premiums paid.

2

Any remaining funds will be allocated to districts meeting the criteria, up to 100% of premiums paid.

3

Funds will be allocated proportionally based on each district's costs for those districts that submit a claim.

4

If funds remain after all apportionments, the remaining balance shall **revert** to the General Fund **annually**.

Eligibility Requirements for 100% Reimbursement

Offer health insurance to all part-time faculty

Offer part-time faculty the same health insurance benefits provided to full-time faculty at the district.

Limit individual premiums paid by part-time faculty to no more than the actual individual premiums paid by full-time faculty in that district.

Offer health insurance reimbursement to all multidistrict part-time faculty

Multidistrict Faculty Reimbursement Program

Districts shall reimburse a proportionate share of the total premium paid by the faculty member,

up to a proportionate share of the maximum of the full cost of the district's most commonly subscribed family coverage plan.





Documentation from Multidistrict Faculty

A district may require reasonable documentation from a multidistrict faculty:

- Verification that total cumulative teaching assignment >= 40%
- Verification of enrollment in a health insurance plan and the premium paid



Multidistrict Faculty Reimbursement Calculation

A = total premium paid by the faculty

B = total number of districts in which the faculty works

C = % of health care cost paid by the district toward the total cost of the premium

District's proportionate share = (A÷ B)*C



Multidistrict Reimbursement Example

A multidistrict part-time faculty works at 2 districts and pays a total premium of \$20,000 annually.

District 1 – multidistrict faculty teaches 35% of a full-time load at District 1; district reimburses 50% of total premium cost.

District 2 -multidistrict faculty teaches 5% of a full-time load at District 2; district reimburses 60% of total premium cost.

A = total annual premium paid by the faculty = \$20,000

B = total number of districts in which the faculty works = 2

C = % health care cost paid by district toward total cost of premium = 50% and 60%

District's proportionate share = $(A \div B)*C$

District 1 proportionate share = $(\$20,000 \div 2)^* 50\% = \$5,000$

District 2 proportionate share = $(\$20,000 \div 2)^* 60\% = \$6,000$



Further Considerations and Exploration

- Exploration of a statewide program or pool to leverage economies of scale
- Value of a standardized form and sample verification for multi-district part time faculty reimbursement
- Assignments can change even within sessions if courses are added or cancelled
- Eligibility Requirements from insurance providers
- Exploration of proportionate share calculation



Next Steps for the Chancellor's Office



Reach out to Covered California, CalSTRS, and CalPERS for information on pooled plans



Continue to work with stakeholders to identify and resolve questions.



Issue guidance and FAQs



Develop draft forms and surveys



Remain committed to successful implementation for our part-time faculty!

Timeline of Next Steps for the Chancellor's Office

November

Email district survey detail regarding PTFH requirements for COVID Response Block Grant

Late Fall/early Winter

send updated guidance and details on PTFH program

Don't Miss



2022-23 California Community
Colleges Compendium of Allocations
and Resources

California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office | Dr. Daisy Gonzales, Interim Chancellor

THE CCC COMPENDIUM OF ALLOCATIONS AND RESOURCES

Updated Monthly through February

The 2022 Compendium can be downloaded by visiting the Budget News section of our website:

https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/College-Finance-and-Facilities-Planning/Budget-News







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