

Academic Affairs

AP 4102 CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Reference:

Title 5 Sections 55600 et seq.

2 Code of Federal Regulations Part 200 (The Federal Education Department General Administrative Regulations, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition);

34 Code of Federal Regulations Part 600 (US 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

Consistent with federal regulations pertaining to federal financial aid eligibility, the Chief Instructional Officer 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 Chief Instructional Officer at each college shall establish procedures to ensure that the District meets these reporting requirements whenever the District intends to add a new gainful employment program.

Provisions for documenting the competence of students completing career and technical programs are made according to established policy for degrees and certificates.

Advisory committees for career and technical education programs shall be established by the colleges to assist in maintaining relevant curriculum, technology, equipment, and course content, and to serve as liaison with potential employers.

Members of advisory committees are appointed in accordance with processes established by the colleges and should include appropriate program instructors, employers, and employees in the field for which the program is designed to train students; former and current students; the Discipline Coordinator or Program Director; and the Division Dean.

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*(This is a new procedure recommended by the Policy and Procedure Service)*

