



# CENTRAL VALLEY

## HIGHER EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

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# Ensuring Equity and Student Success

# Who is CVHEC?



- 14 Community Colleges
- 3 CSUs
- UC Merced
- 5 Independent Colleges and Universities

# Partnering for Student Equity and Student Success *(Partial List)*

- College Futures Foundation
- Lumina Foundation
  - Talent Hub designation – one of 17 in the nation
    - Talent Hub Advisory Committee
  - Partnership with Fresno Compact
- California Community College Chancellor's Office
- Charles A. Dana Center, University of Texas at Austin
- California Acceleration Project
- Complete College America
- California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI)

# Equity and Student Success Commitment

CVHEC  
Board's  
Region-wide  
Joint  
Commitment

The diagram consists of two circular nodes connected by a right-pointing triangle. The left node is light blue and contains the text 'CVHEC Board's Region-wide Joint Commitment'. The right node is a darker blue and contains the text 'At its 2016 and 2017 Summits, CVHEC Board recommitted to scaling up 4 Strategies throughout the Valley'. The triangle points from the left node to the right node, indicating a progression or commitment over time.

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# Strategy 1: English and Math Co-requisite Remediation

- CV Math Pathways Faculty Task Force
  - Collaboration with the Charles A. Dana Center, University of Texas at Austin
- CV English Co-requisite Faculty Task Force
- Faculty driven efforts
- Professional Learning and Convenings

## Strategy 2: 15 to Finish

- Full-time to improve time to degree and improve persistence
- Research is clear that students who attend full-time, including students of color, persist at higher rates
- The “myth” that students of color should take fewer units to ensure they are successful by not being over taxed is hurtful to students and their completion rates and time to degree

# Strategy 3: Longitudinal Data – Data sharing Platforms

- California College Guidance Initiative (CCGI) Platform
  - Provide real-time data for parents, students, High School Counselors and partner community colleges and universities
  - Multiple measures for placement in gateway courses
    - Thanks to AB 705 (Irwin) and CSU Executive Order 1110
  - Register for community college, CSU and Financial Aid on one platform



## Strategy 4: Guided Pathways

*A national effort to  
implement the four  
pillars of Guided  
Pathways in  
Community  
Colleges*

- **Central Valley Guided Pathways Pilot**
  - *A CVHEC Colleges and CCCCO collaboration*
    - Pillar 1 - Create clear curricular pathways to employment and further education
    - Pillar 2 - Help students choose and enter their pathway
    - Pillar 3 - Help students stay on their path
    - Pillar 4 - Ensure that learning is happening with intentional outcomes
      - Strategies above are part of the four pillars
      - Three to five-year process
      - CSU is initiating similar efforts with their Goal 2025 Initiative



The Central Valley is committed to *Ensuring Equity and Student Success* and is leading the way.



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