

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES
Allocation of 2012-2013 Health Science Grants

Request: The State Board of Community Colleges is requested to approve an allocation of \$20,555 to three community colleges for initiatives in the Health Science (Nursing and Allied Health) programs.

Background: In fiscal year 2011-2012 the State Board approved \$121,176 to ten community colleges for initiatives in the Health Sciences (Nursing and Allied Health) programs. Thus far, for the fiscal year 2012-2013 the State Board approved \$193,222 to twenty-three colleges for initiatives in the Health Science (Nursing and Allied Health) programs. For fiscal year 2012-2013 we have re-opened the program to the thirty-five colleges who did not submit a proposal in the Fall.

Rationale: This allocation provides funds to three colleges to host a summer Health Science Boot Camp targeted to middle or high school students from underserved populations. The targeted initiatives address the SuccessNC guidelines, which seek to *Improve Student Success, Increase Student Access, and Ensure Program Excellence.*

As part of the expected goals and outcomes, colleges that receive funding for the Boot Camp initiative will demonstrate that participants will have an increased understanding of Health Science careers, the post secondary educational requirements to enter those careers, and the high school prerequisites for those post secondary programs, as demonstrated by a pre- and post-boot camp assessment.

Method of Allocation: A request for Proposals was sent to thirty-five community college presidents and chief academic officers. The twenty-three community colleges that received funding for a Health Science initiative (Boot Camp or “At Risk” Health Science Students) at the October 19, 2012, State Board meeting were not eligible to apply. A committee that consisted of the Associate Director of Student Success Support Services, the Associate Director of Student Placement and Assessment, the Director of Academic Programs, and the Associate Director of Academic Programs evaluated each proposal on an individual basis. The scoring of applications was based on the following criteria: needs and challenges, objectives, implementation strategies, benefits, and budget. Three of the seven colleges that submitted proposals are recommended to receive full funding.

Applicants versus Funding: Seven proposals were received for the boot camp initiative. Three proposals are being recommended for full funding.

Fund Source and Availability: Funding is available through the College Access Challenge Grant funds from the University of North Carolina General Administration.

Time Period: The total allocation to the colleges will cover the period of March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013 in the amount of \$20,555.

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2012-2013 Health Science Boot Camps

College	Amount Requested	Amount approved
Beaufort County Community College	\$8,000	\$0
Craven Community College	\$8,135	\$0
Fayetteville Technical Community College	\$5,014	\$5,014
Halifax Community College	\$8,189	\$8,189
Piedmont Community College	\$4,095	\$0
Rowan-Cabarrus Community College	\$8,286	\$0
Southeastern Community College	\$7,352	\$7,352
Total	\$49,071	\$20,555

**Colleges that received funding for 2012-2013 for Health Science Initiatives
(Boot Camp or “At Risk” Health Science Students)
October State Board meeting**

College	Amount Requested	Amount approved
Alamance Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College	\$5,005	\$5,005
Bladen Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute	\$9,500	\$9,500
Cape Fear Community College	\$9,472	\$9,472
Central Carolina Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Central Piedmont Community College	\$8,300	\$8,300
Cleveland Community College	\$5,500	\$5,500
Davidson County Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Durham Technical Community College	\$5,011	\$5,011
Edgecombe Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Forsyth Technical Community College	\$9,488	\$9,488
Gaston College	\$8,295	\$8,295
Guilford Technical Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Haywood Community College	\$9,300	\$9,300
James Sprunt Community College	\$6,525	\$6,525
Isothermal Community College	\$8,200	\$8,200
Johnston Community College	\$8,300	\$8,300
Lenoir Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Sandhills Community College	\$8,300	\$8,300
Southwestern Community College	\$8,928	\$8,928
Stanly Community College	\$9,500	\$9,500
Western Piedmont Community College	\$7,098	\$7,098
Total	\$193,222	\$193,222