



California Community College Industrial & Technical Education Collaborative

Analysis, Innovation and Integration for Special Population Student Success



West Hills Community College District

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Primary Activities:

- Provide training & resources to strengthen TOP 09 CTE programs
- Identify emerging workforce trends and opportunities, and
- Document and promote best practice models in industrial & technical education.







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Analysis – Definitions and a Look at TOP Code Core Indicator Data
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Innovation - Tools and Strategies for Achieving Student Success
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Answer: A student who has been dependent on the income of another family member but is no longer supported by that income and has diminished workforce skills.


Question: Who is a _____?



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Answer: A student who is eligible for financial aid, public need-based assistance, or identifies his/her income as below the federal poverty level.


Question: Who is an _____?



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Answer: A student who is training for an occupation where fewer than 25% of the workers are of the student's gender.


Question: Who is a _____?



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Answer: A student who participates in Community College DSPS.


Question: Who is a _____?



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Answer: A student who is unmarried or legally separated and has custody or joint custody of a minor child or children.

Question: Who is a _____?



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Answer: A student who has participated in ESL courses/programs.

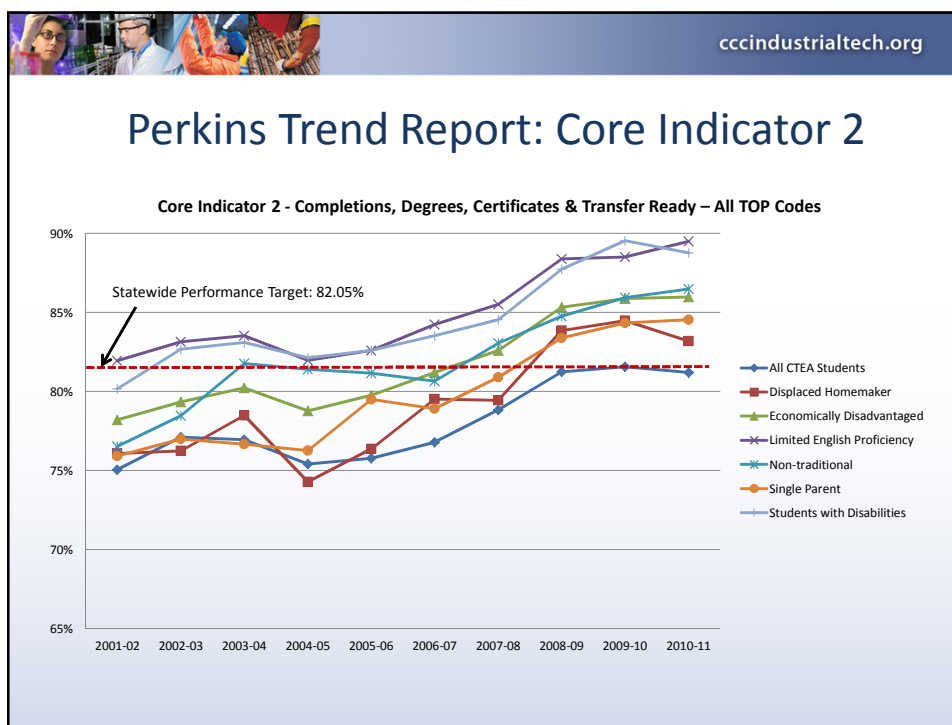
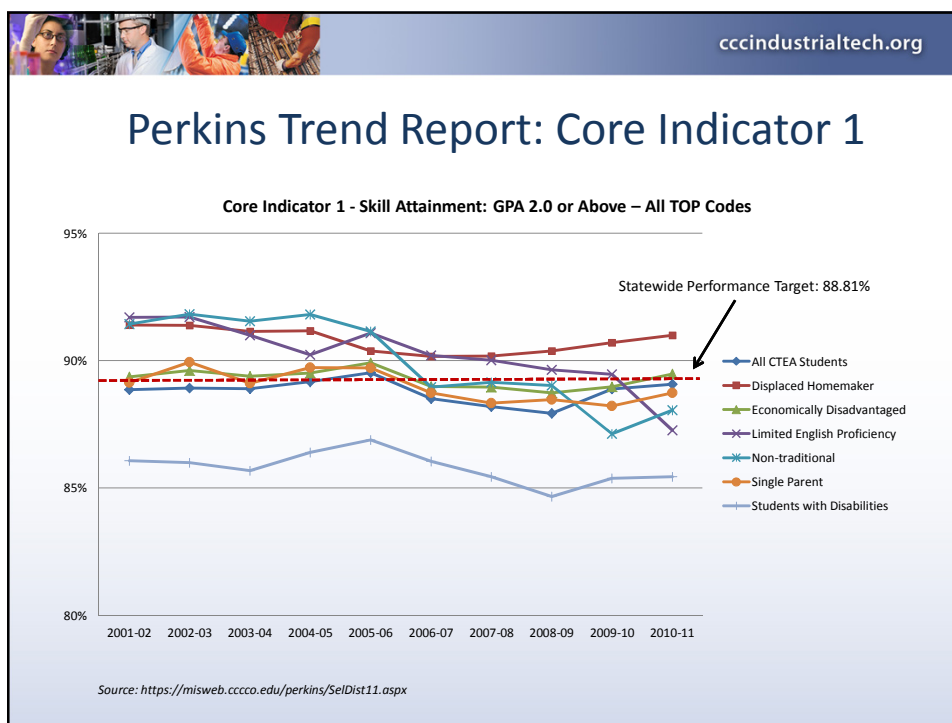
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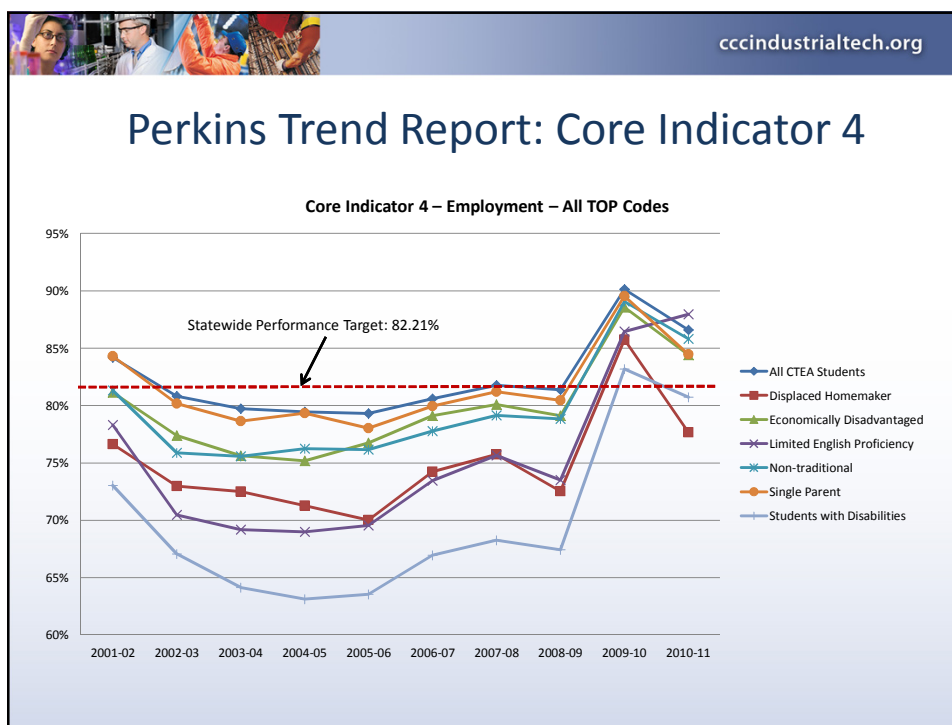
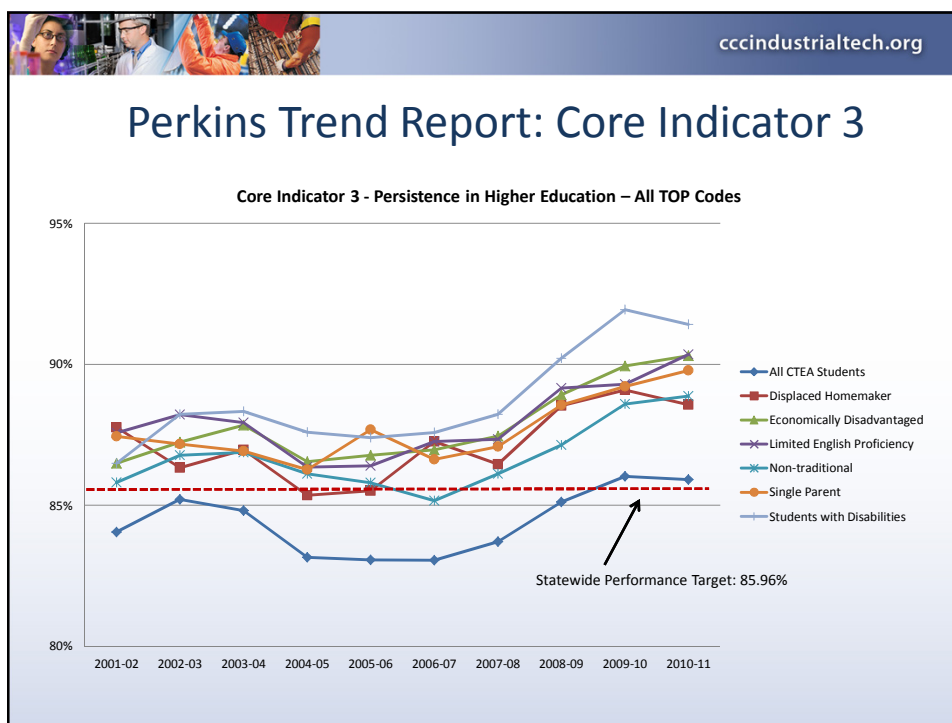


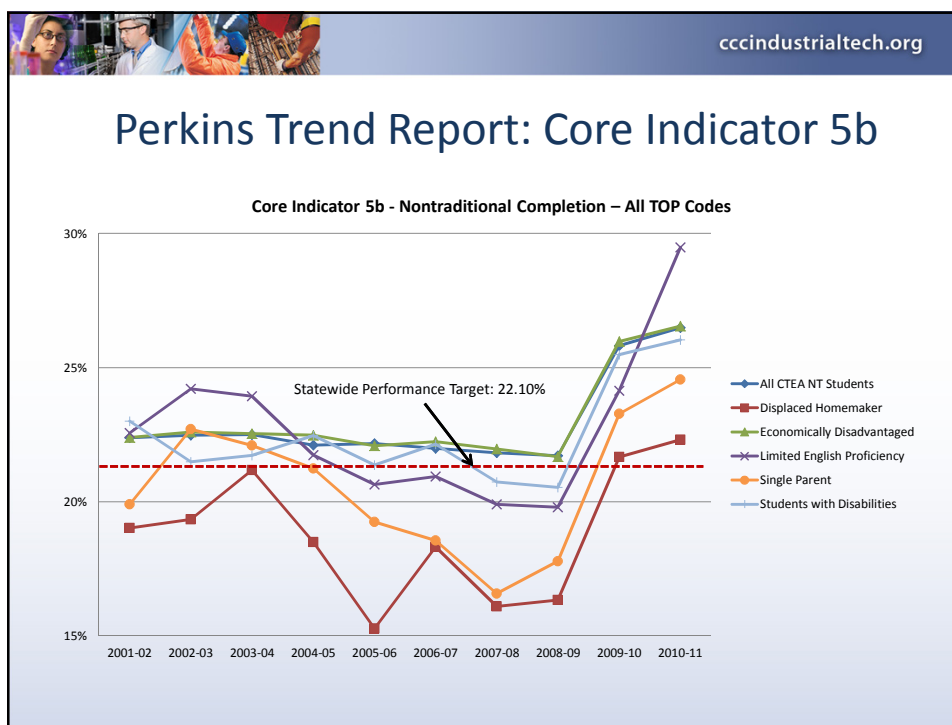
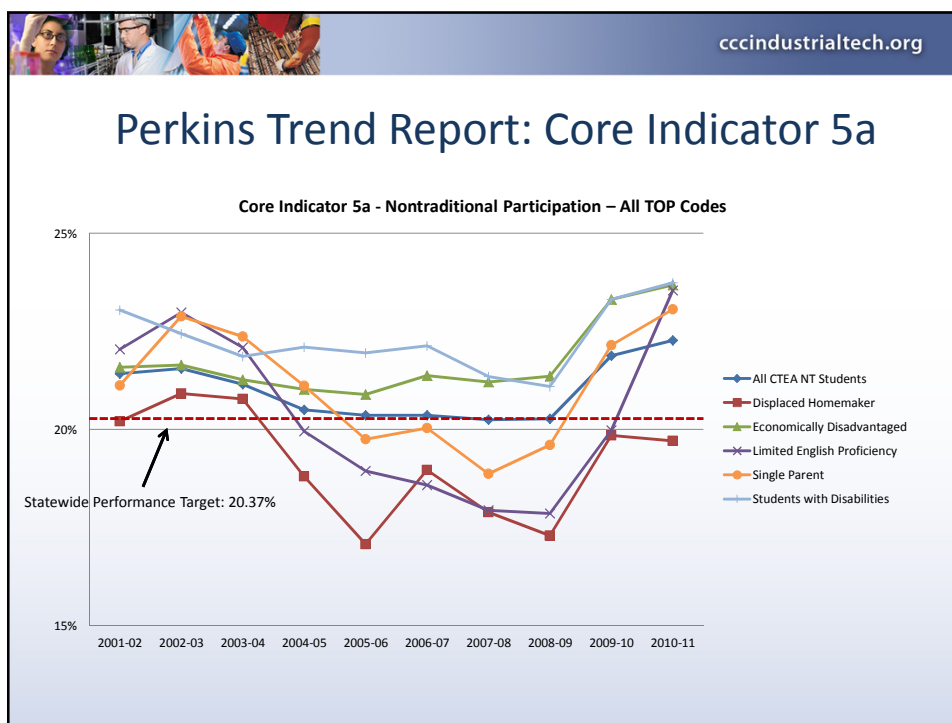
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Analysis

Tools and Strategies for Achieving Student Success









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Innovation

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Increasing Student Success

- **Strategies to improve the core indicators for all special population groups**
- **Strategies to address specific special population groups**

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Strategies to Improve Individual Core Indicators

Resource:

Use Core Indicators to Track the Success of Special Populations in CTE

<http://www.cccspecialpopulations.org/Publications/CACCCoreIndicators20010419.pdf>

This resource, effective practices, and more are available at [cccspecialpopulations.org](http://www.cccspecialpopulations.org) and cccindustrialtech.org



The thumbnail shows the cover of a report titled "Use Core Indicators to Track the Success of Special Populations in Career Technical Education". It features a collage of diverse students and the text "Core Indicators: Building Blocks of Success". The report outlines various indicators for tracking student success, including technical skill attainment, employment, and postsecondary enrollment. It also includes a section on "CODE INDICATOR CALCULATIONS" and a list of "Strategies to Improve Individual Core Indicators".

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Strategies to Improve Individual Core Indicators

Resource:


Make a Difference for Special Populations

<http://www.cccindustrialtech.org/Reports/CCCSpecialPopsBrief.pdf>

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The thumbnail shows the cover of a report titled "Make a Difference for Special Populations: Practical Tips and Tools for Educators". It features a collage of diverse students and the text "Strategies for Economically Disadvantaged, Single Parent, and Displaced Homemaker Students". The report provides practical tips and tools for educators to support these students, including strategies for classroom management, social skills training, and career readiness. It also includes a section on "Strategies for Economically Disadvantaged, Single Parent, and Displaced Homemaker Students" and a list of "Strategies to Improve Individual Core Indicators".



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Skill Attainment (Core Indicator #1) Improvement Strategies


- Tutoring
- Basic skills instruction
- Organize Study Groups
- Vary instructional delivery: try group projects, flexible seating, on-line supplemental practice/materials
- Ensure instructors understand the needs of special population groups



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Examples of Skill Attainment Improvement Strategies from Individual Colleges


- Merced College, Los Banos Campus: Office hours in classroom
- Your examples:



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Completion and Persistence (Core Indicators #2 and #3) Improvement Strategies


- Increase awareness of financial aid
- Provide childcare
- Increase awareness of transportation options
- Loan text books
- Provide mentors, role models, and support groups for encouragement



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Examples of Completion and Persistence Improvement Strategies from Individual Colleges:


- San Diego City College, New Horizons Support program
- Your examples:



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Employment/Placement (Core Indicator #4) Improvement Strategies

- Provide internships, job shadowing and paid work experience
- Maintain strong working relationships with advisory committees and employers
- Provide job search and development services
- Ensure that students have “soft skills” in addition to technical skills (dress, conduct, timeliness, working well with others, etc.)



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Examples of Employment/Placement Improvement Strategies from Individual Colleges:

- Sierra College, AAUW \$tart \$mart workshops,
- Your Examples:



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Integration

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Your Tools for Success



- Offer a workshop (long or short)
- Give the books to your faculty
- Agenda item of a Department meeting
- A flex day presentation

Hands-On Tips



Make sure your
classes lead to jobs.



Welcome women to your classes



Have tools, gloves, facilities suitable
for women



Hire women faculty



Why should you care?

Nontraditional employment for women offers a pathway
out of poverty

Recruiting from only 1/2 of the population limits
enrollment

More diverse programs better prepare students for the
world of work

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