# Meetings TOPICS: 2ND & 4TH wEDNESDAYS

**I. *EPI Steering Committee*** – Robert McAtee, Ailsa Aguilar-Kitibur, Andy Chang

* Discussion/Concerns/Issues

**II. Residency Status Coding** – Keith Wurtz

* *FYI from Dianna Jones*: The Residency Status code descriptions can be changed by us. There is no legislative entity prohibiting us from doing so.  Our current Residency Status Codes in Colleague are based on the MIS Data Element Dictionary.  The setup of this table varies among institutions.  Some institutions use only a few codes which are translated for MIS reporting.  Others, like SBCCD, list up to 351 codes identifying each state and country code.
* RSST – Update the Description
* FLTT–Translation Table CAST.SB.SB09 contains the MIS Student Residency Codes

**II1. *Students Active in Inactive Programs*** – Kristina Heilgeist, Keith Wurtz

* Informer Report: Inactive Academic Programs that students have active
* Inactive Program *C.AS.CIS/3DCA* has students registered this term and is listed as their Active program.
* Link to Report:

<https://informer.sbccd.cc.ca.us:1443/?locale=en_US#action=ReportRun&reportId=371064835&launch=false>

**IV. Displaying ‘Legend…’ in the Online Schedule** – Kathryn Weiss, Andy Chang

* When students check online schedule of classes, they encounter a box highlighted in red that indicates, *"Legend...\* open registration is now closed. See instructor for add code*.
* The current implementation is that the red asterisk do not appear until the section has started and will go away after the late add period is over.
* Previously vetted by Instruction and Student Services from both colleges.
* Students are confused by this message. Can it be clarified?
* Suggestion: Perhaps, the "legend" box can be moved to the bottom of the screen OR clarifying language such as, "*if an asterisk (\*) appears, the open registration period has ended for this section.  See the instructor for an add code*"
* A legend typically appears when multiple symbols are used.  This may not be necessary when there is only one - a simple explanation such as the above may suffice?
* Not sure if the system allows for moving of the legend itself, but best case scenario is that we can do both.
* Help Desk Ticket # 110270

**V. Two New Bills: SB 906 - Foster Youth, EOPS, & DSPS**

**AB 801 - Success for Homeless Youth in Higher Education Act**

* Bill definitions submitted by Dianna Jones (see attachments)
* Effective January 1, 2017, SB 906 (Beall) was Chaptered September 16, 2016. This new law (SB 906):

1. Revised the definition of foster youth or former foster youth for purpose of priority enrollment.

***66025.9. (b) For purposes of this section, “foster youth or former foster youth” means a person in California whose dependency was established or continued by the court on or after the youth’s 16th birthday and who is no older than 25 years of age at the commencement of the academic year.***

1. *Extends the requirements relating to Foster Youth* and Former Foster Youth eligibility for *priority registration* at community college districts indefinitely.
2. *Extends the requirements relating to EOPS and DSPS* eligibility for *priority registration* at community college districts indefinitely.
3. Incorporates additional changes in Section 66025.9 of the Education Code, proposed by AB 801, to be operative only if AB 801 and this bill are both chaptered and become effective on or before January 1, 2017, and this bill is chaptered last

* As the 4th bullet above indicates this bill was co-joined with AB 801 (Bloom) Success for Homeless Youth in Higher Education Act, which was also chaptered September 21, 2016 and effective January 1, 2017.  This new law (AB 801):

1. Enacts the Success for Homeless Youth in Higher Education Act.
2. Deletes the repeal date of, and thereby extend indefinitely, the priority registration requirement
3. *Extends the priority registration requirement to include homeless youth until January 1, 2020*.
4. Requires CA Community Colleges to designate a staff member who is employed within the financial aid office, or another appropriate office or department, of the institution to serve as a Homeless and Foster Student Liaison **and** to *inform current and prospective students of the institution about student financial aid and other assistance available to homeless youth and current and former foster youth.*
5. Places homeless youth, as defined, within the scope of CSAC’s Community College Student Financial Aid Outreach Program and the Student Opportunity and Access Program.
6. Adds persons who are, at the time of enrollment, homeless youths, as defined, to the groups of persons eligible for an *Enrollment Fee Waiver*.
7. Incorporates additional changes in Section 66025.9 of the Education Code, proposed by SB 906, to be operative only if SB 906 and this bill are both chaptered and become effective on or before January 1, 2017, and this bill is chaptered last.

**VI. Early Fall Registration** – Andy Chang, DyAnn Walter

* Discussion
* 2017 Summer Priority Registration – Starts in April
* Start 2017 Fall Priority Registration – 1st part of May (instead of July)

**VII. Miscellaneous**

***Next DAWG Meeting*:** Wednesday, Jan 25, 2017

***DAWG “Parking Lot*”🚘**

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| **Topic** | **Description** | **Sponsor** |
| Pulling Fees from Financial Aid | After BOG pays the enrollment fees, additional fees would be paid by the PEL Grant. | Larry Aycock  April Dale-Carter  John Muskavitch |
| VETS/MILS screens | Further research/pending comparison to MINF/XMINF | Robert Scudder |
| Student Group /Organization Transcript Notations | Pending feasibility study | HDO Ticket #95510  Yvette Tram |
| Recruitment | Consider new approaches to recruiting  *Such as…Getting contact information on potential students.* | Joe Cabrales  Rebecca Warren-Marlatt |