



**Policy**

**4021 Program Discontinuance**

The Chancellor shall ensure the District complies with applicable laws and mandates for program discontinuance procedures.

**Cross References (see also):**

YCCD Policy 4020 – Program and Curriculum Development

YCCD Policy 7-8049 – Academic Senates

**References:**

Education Code Section [78016](#); Title 5 Sections [51022](#) and [55130](#); [ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.A.15](#)

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## Administrative Procedure

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### **4021 Program Discontinuance**

The colleges have program discontinuance processes which are approved by the respective academic senates with participation of all relevant constituencies in the participatory governance process.

The procedure for program discontinuance will provide that the college will make every effort to mitigate the impact of program discontinuance on students who are “in progress” regarding the program that will be discontinued.

The procedure for discontinuance of career and technical programs will include a process for:

- Reviewing such programs every two years to ensure they meet legal standards.
- Terminating programs by Governing Board if legal and other District standards are not met.

#### **References:**

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