

## **Board Policy 4021**

## **Program Discontinuance**

The purpose of this program discontinuance policy is to provide the Superintendent/President with a process to determine whether or not an educational program should be discontinued. A joint task force of faculty and administrators will be established to develop the process, criteria and guidelines that will be applied to evaluating the educational program. The task force, in its process of evaluation, will consider data and other information, such as enrollment trends, degrees and certificates, success and retention, facility and equipment needs, and student outcomes, as well as indicators relevant to the review of the college's vocational and occupational training programs.

Procedures for implementing the policy will be developed in collegial consultation with the Academic Senate.

### References:

Education Code, Section 78016

Title 5, Sections 51022, 53200 and 55130

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