UPDATE: COVID-19
RESPONSE

▪ Board of Trustees Meeting
▪ August 12, 2020

▪ Debra Polak,
  ▪ Vice President of Academic Affairs

▪ Ulises Velasco,
  ▪ Vice President of Student Services

▪ Eileen Cichocki
  ▪ Vice President of Administrative Services
Instruction Update

- Fall Classes:
  - Mostly Online
  - Each class meeting in person has its own individualized plan
  - Small groups, cleaning, PPE
  - Instruction time kept to a minimum
Many new online resources for faculty and students
- Canvas resource page
- Trainings continue
- New Learning Center Hotline!
- Online tutoring and labs continue
- Peer-to-peer help among faculty continues

This is a fall like no other
- Intentionally communicate care and connectedness
- Students might not have chosen to learn online in a different context—be patient and flexible
Welcome Students to the Fall 2020 semester

Face to face student services available at the Ukiah campus:

- Admissions & Records
- Financial Aid
- EOPS
- Technology Support

All in the LLRC (lower level of the Library)
Tuesday, August 11th – 3pm to 6pm

Up to date hours of operation:
www.mendocino.edu/announcements
Please wear masks!
Welcome Desk

- Staff are stationed at the gate to college.
- Welcoming them.
- Letting them know what services are available.
- Reminding visitors to wear a mask.
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COVID related funding sources

- Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act: $1.3 million
  - Direct aid to students (50%): $655,000
    - $585,000 distributed to date
    - 718 students have received payments
    - $70,000 balance remains
  - Institutional Support: $655,000
    - Costs associated with remote instruction and services
    - $500,000 has been spent on faculty stipends, laptops, Chromebooks, safety equipment, student fee reimbursement, WiFi hotspots, software licenses, etc.

- CARES – Hispanic Serving Institution: $85,000
  - Same as Institutional Support CARES, slightly more flexible

- COVID-19 Block Grant: $300,000
  - $135,000 Federal portion must be spent by December 2020
  - $165,000 State portion must be spent by June 2022
Facilities and Safety Committee approved a plan that includes procedures, protocols, and guidelines in the following categories to promote the health and safety of the members of the campus community.

- Modifying Office Spaces
- Enhanced Disinfection and Cleaning
- Physical Distancing
- Health Screenings
- Face Coverings
- Testing
- Training
- Re-Opening Templates for Classrooms, Offices and Departments

These measures also reference guidance from Mendocino-Lake Community College District’s Injury and Illness Prevention Plan (IIPP), including the COVID-19 Addendum and the District’s Emergency Operation’s Plan “Infectious Disease Outbreak Plan.”
On August 7, 2020, the California Department of Public Health ("CDPH") and the California Division of Occupational Safety and Health ("Cal/OSHA") issued guidance for the operation of institutions of higher education, including community college districts, to provide safe environments for employee and student safety related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

These guidelines have been reviewed and are consistent with our reopening measures.
Training

- Corona Virus: Stress Management (12 minutes)
- Office Ergonomics (15 minutes)
- Corona Virus: Cleaning and Disinfecting (10 minutes)
- Common Illness Prevention (13 minutes)
- IIPP Acknowledgement (15 minutes)
  - Injury and Illness Prevention Program, OSHA
- Corona Virus Awareness (8 minutes)
- Personal Protective Equipment (15 minutes)