California Collaborative Model for Nursing Education

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The Research & Planning Group for California Community Colleges

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Debriefing by the RP Group

Share findings from survey and interview research, including:

- Baseline state of implementation
- Factors supporting and limiting implementation
- Lessons learned/effective practices
- Technical assistance priorities

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Methodology



Research Activities

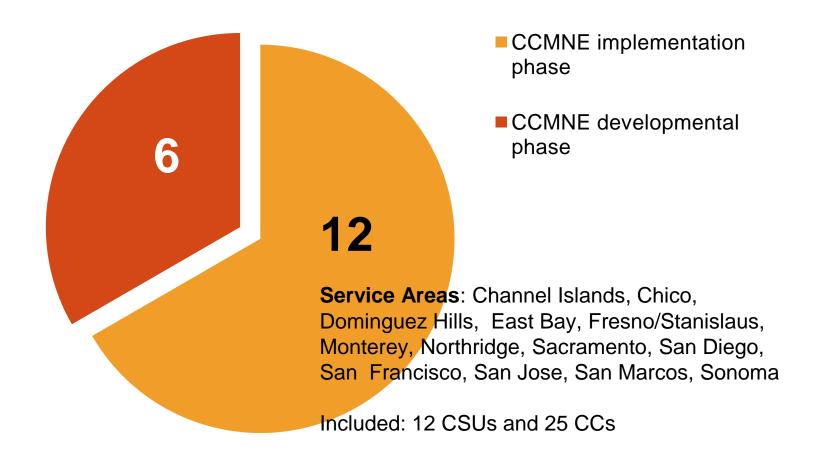
Survey

- 44 responses received representing 37 CSUs and CCCs.
- 100% of the CSUs and CCCs surveyed responded

Interviews

- 20 program directors were invited to participate in a phone interview
- 19 (95%) agreed to be interviewed

Research Participants

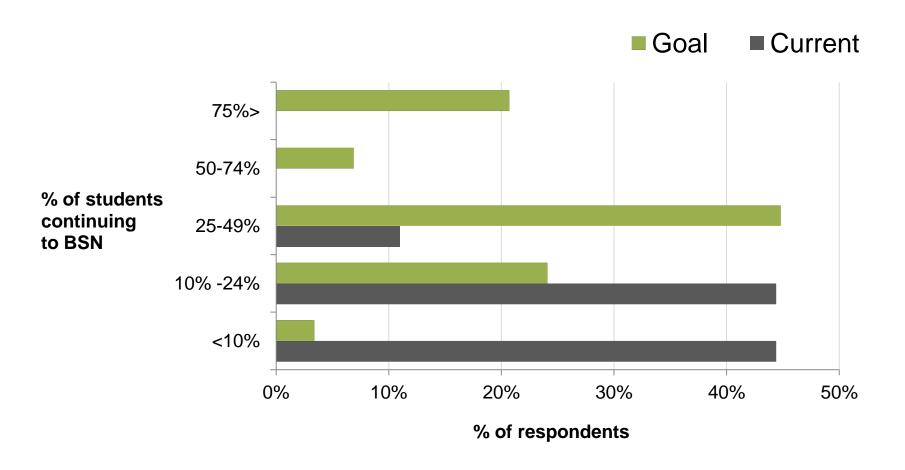


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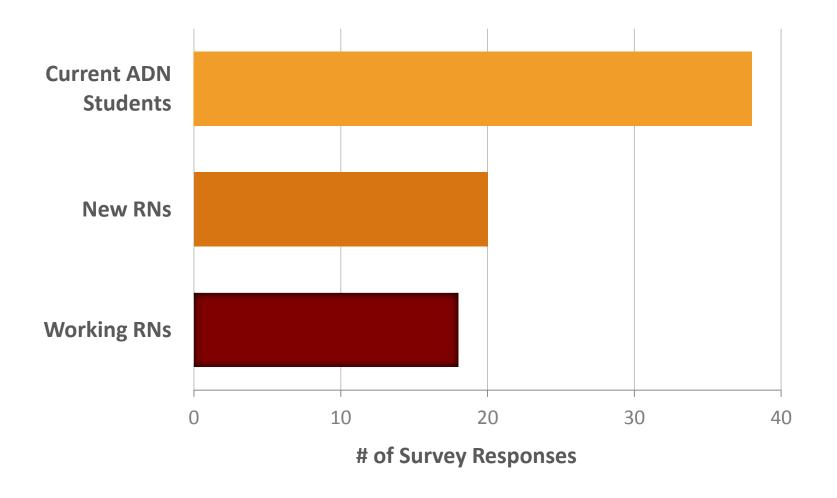
A high priority



Current vs Target Rate for Continuation



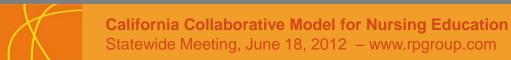
Student Target Groups



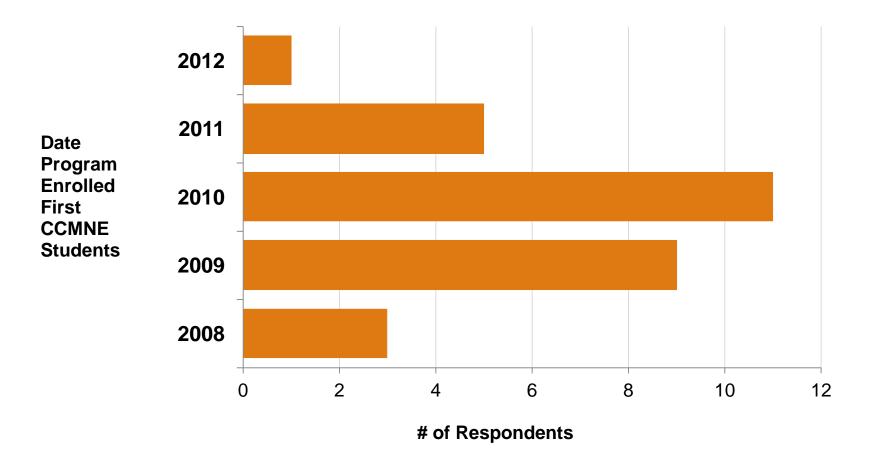


WHAT IS THE STATE OF DEVELOPMENT?

Baseline (self)reporting



Date of First Enrollment

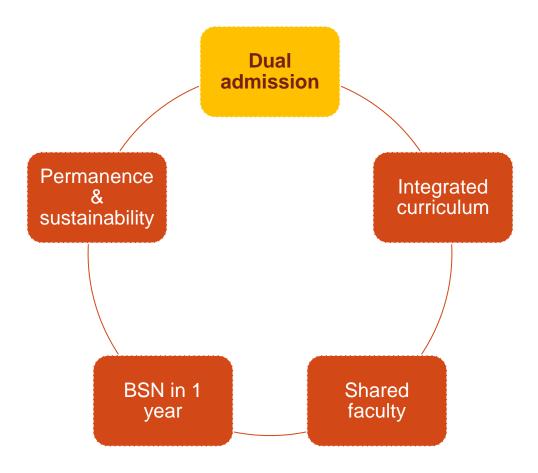


State of implementation

Interviewees reported that:

- 7 CCMNEs are developing and refining their model
- 2 CCMNEs have concluded implementation (funding-related)
- 2 CCMNEs have (temporarily) stalled
- 1 CCMNE did not participate in interview activity

Progress by CCMNE Core Component





State of Implementation: Dual Admission

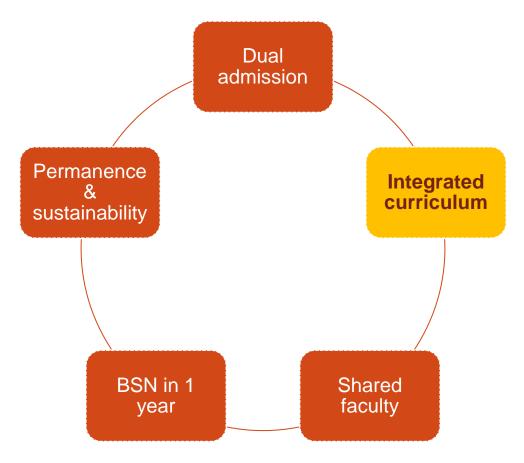
SURVEY RESPONSES	Complete	In-Progress	Complete + In-Progress
Dual Admission			
Recruitment strategy & materials in place	73%	17%	90%
Definition of dual admission/enrollment	45%	14%	59%

Dual Admission – Different Approaches

Dual admission some BSN coursework first, then all ADN, then BSN completion

Dual enrollment summer sessions for ADN students Dual enrollment last semester of ADN – all coursework, one class

Progress by CCMNE Core Component





State of implementation: Integrated Curriculum

SURVEY RESPONSES	Complete	In- Progress	Complete+ In Progress
Incorporation of QSEN	24%	64%	88%
Agreement on science pre-reqs and equivalences	67%	19%	86%
Agreement on GE requirements at CCs and CSUs	55%	31%	86%
Standardized advising	45%	38%	83%
Agreement on common content across nursing curricula	48%	33%	81%
Adjustment in University curriculum to align w. common content	36%	41%	77%
Adjustment in CC curriculum to align w. common content	29%	43%	72%
Mechanism to award university credit for prior learning	51%	20%	71%

Integrated Curriculum – Different Approaches

CCs and CSUs develop curriculum roadmap

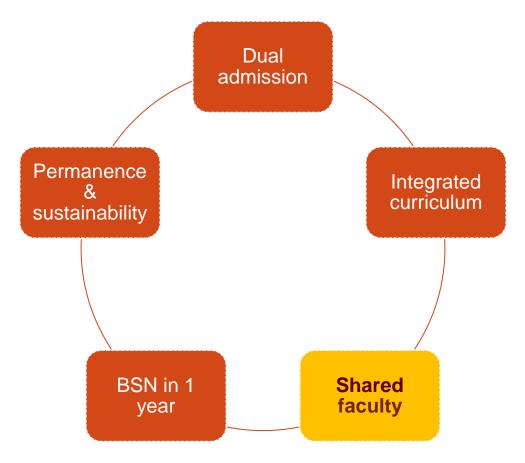
> CSU makes changes to avoid duplication

Programs incorporate QSEN

CCs and CSUs collaborate to align content and coursework

Programs take action to create expectation of continued academic progression

Progress by CCMNE Core Component





State of Implementation Shared Faculty

SURVEY RESPONSES	Complete	In- Progress	Complete + In-Progress
Shared Faculty	13%	21%	34%
Joint professional development activities related to CCMNE	22%	46%	68%

Shared Faculty – Different Approaches, Questions

Some progress reported by interviewees, many questions and challenges

Different salary structures CSU/CC

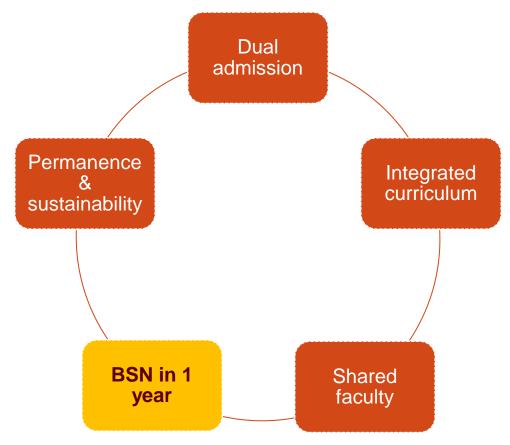
Different unions

CC faculty teaching CSU, no CSU teaching CC

CC faculty teach in dual enrollment summer session prof. dev. activities for all faculty

Regularly scheduled meetings btw directors

Progress by CCMNE Core Component





State of Implementation BSN in 1 Year

SURVEY RESPONSES	Complete	In- Progress	Complete+ In-Progress
Agreement on GE requirements at CCs and CSUs	55%	31%	86%
Avoid Duplication (AB1295 compliance)	26%	56%	82%



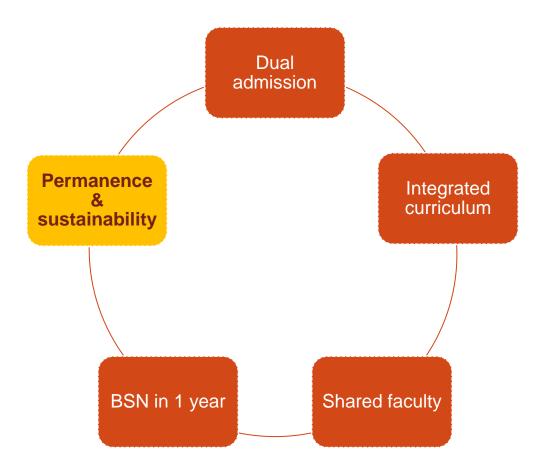
BSN in 1 Year – Progress & Questions: Can it be done?

Credit for prior learning

Best way to use the summer?

Agreement on General Ed

Progress by CCMNE Core Component



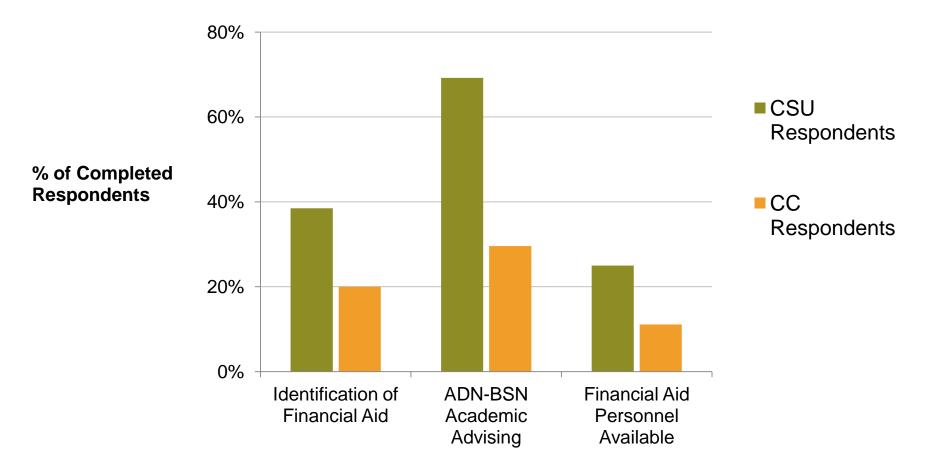


State of Implementation: Sustainability

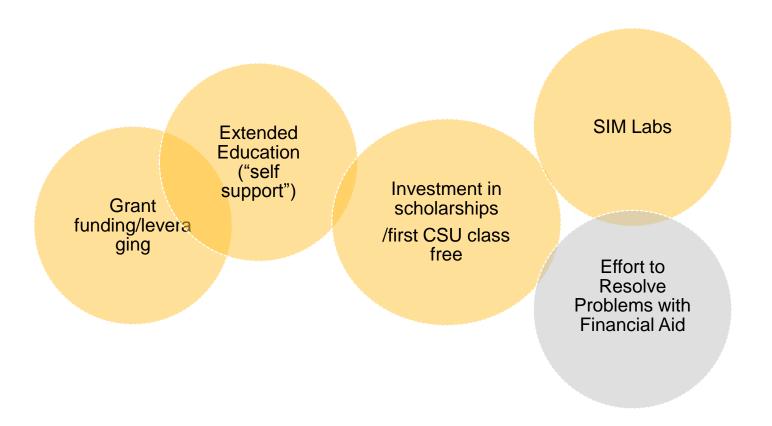
SURVEY RESPONSES	Complete	In- Progress	Complete+ In- Progress
Sustainability			
Identification of Financial Aid	30%	48%	78%
ADN –BSN academic advising	34%	42%	76%
Financial aid personnel avlb	20%	49%	69%



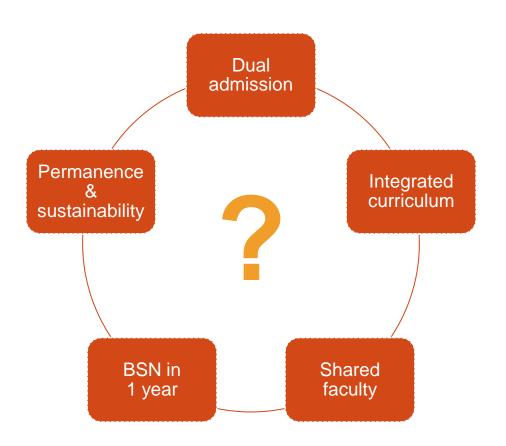
State of Implementation: Sustainability



Sustainability – Different Approaches, Questions



CCMNE Core Components



Survey & Interview Finding:

Need to clarify definitions of each core component and different approaches available to achieve progress in implementation



DRIVERS

Which factors support and limit implementation of the California Collaborative Model?



Factors Supporting CCMNE Implementation (interviews)

Respect and Trust

- Respectful, trusting relationships between the school partners
- Public recognition of value and professional quality of programs offered by each school partner

Factors Supporting CCMNE Implementation (interviews)

Curriculum Integration

- CCMNE professional development and planning activities including faculty from participating segments, institutions; extended to include adjunct faculty
- Strong relationships, regular conversations between CCMNE program directors
- Recognition of importance of including CCC Education Counselors in CCMNE professional development and planning activities
- Participation of employer partners, especially in curriculum integration and QSEN
- Outreach to students contributing to "changing mindsets"

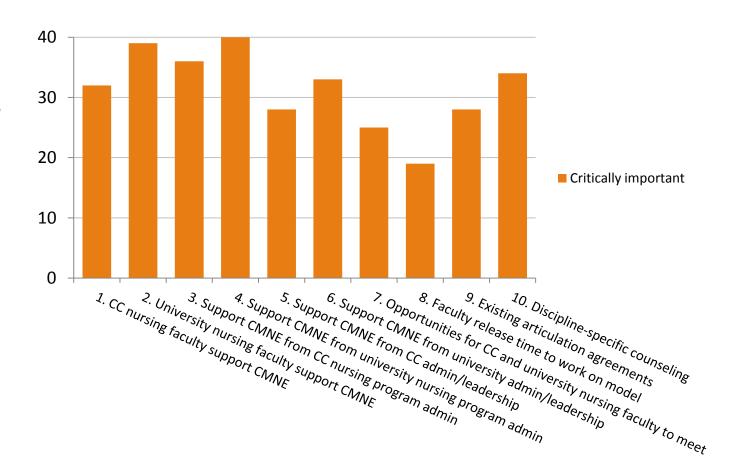
Factors Supporting CCMNE Implementation (interviews)

Sustainability

- Extended education option (self-support model)
- Scholarships/internships
- Resolving financial aid challenges limiting dual enrollment
- Designated CCMNE Coordinator position

Factors Supporting CCMNE Implementation (survey)

Respondents
Indicating
Factor is
Critically
Important



Theme: Key requirement is support from nursing administrators and faculty

Factors Limiting CCMNE Progress (interviews)

- Relationship development
- Lack of dedicated coordinator
- New information and ongoing change (new initiatives, e.g., AB1295, SB1440

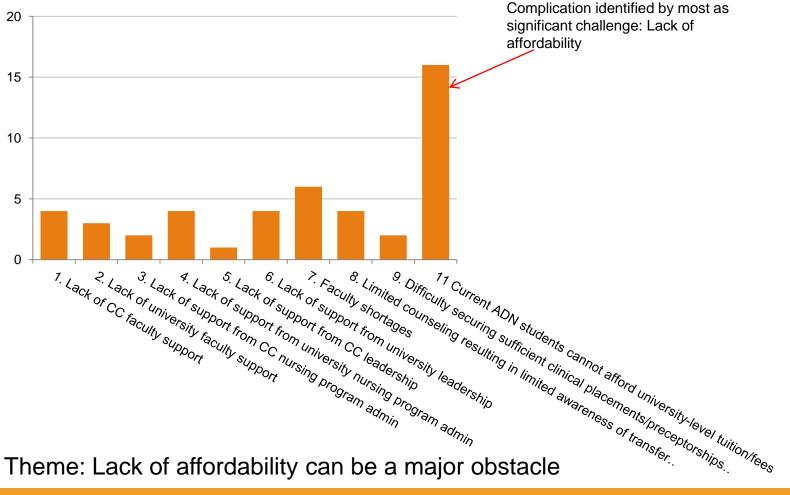
Factors Limiting CCMNE Progress (interviews)

Sustainability

- Concern about CSUs capacity to sustain current/support additional enrollment
- Challenge ensuring that funds go into nursing program to cover or sustain program cost when using extended education (self-support) option
- Overextended faculty, leaders multi-tasking as coordination of CCMNE added to responsibilities
- "Sticker shock" and affordability for students

Factors Limiting CCMNE Implementation

of Respondents Indicating **Factor Contributes Significantly** To Delay/ Complication



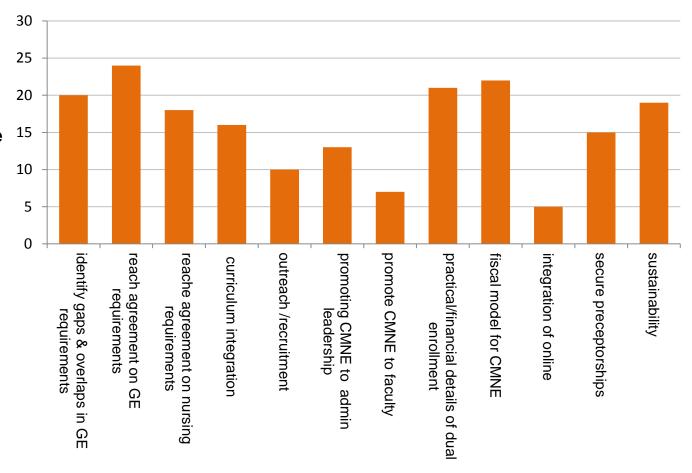
Theme: Lack of affordability can be a major obstacle

MOVING THE FIELD FORWARD

Which are priorities for technical assistance?

Technical Assistance Priorities

of Respondents Rating Each Type of Assistance as "Critically Important"



Technical Assistance Priorities

Curriculum Integration

- Reaching agreement on GE requirements (63% identify as critically important)
- Identifying gaps and overlaps between CCC and CSU GE requirements (53%)

Sustainability

- Practical and/or financial details of dual enrollment (55%)
- Identifying and developing fiscal approaches to CCMNE (58%)

Technical Assistance Priorities (interviews)

Sustainability

- Strategies for making the BSN affordable to students
- Outreach and recruitment (including use of social media)
- Develop and promote financial aid package that can be used both at CSU and CCs

Curriculum integration

Supporting participation of under-represented students

Update on effective practices, including Oregon Model

MOVING THE FIELD FORWARD

Emerging/effective practices

Emerging & Effective Practices

- CSUMB approach: AD content nested in BSN content
- CSUMB use of technology (e.g., e-portfolio and blog-supported class discussion)
- Joint professional development days each semester to build strong relationships (SFSU)
- Participation in other segment's advisory boards (SSU)
- Trust that partner institutions are equally capable of teaching students so that content can be divided between partners with confidence.(SCC and CSU Sacramento)
- Engage employers in curriculum review/alignment process

Emerging & Effective Practices (continued)

- Development of curricular roadmaps (SFSU, Chabot)
- Inclusion of counseling department in development curricular map (CSUSM)
- Outreach to and sharing of curricular map with counselors (CSUCI)
- Outreach sessions to ADN students by CSU nursing directors and faculty (SFSU and SSU). "They get up close and personal about applying. It is most helpful and well received by students."
- CSUCI' Med Surg course-taking pattern (complete at CC, delayed awarding of units)
- COC vigorously follows up with students to make sure they meet key administrative deadlines.

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