

Resolution F06.08 Support for the Health and Wellness Center

Whereas, the Crafton Hills College Health and Wellness Center is a critically important health service for educating students about health issues that can interfere with their academic success and supporting the mission of Crafton Hills College career-technical programs;

Whereas, CHC's diverse body of college students bring with them multiple health issues reflecting environmental and societal changes that 23% of them reported negatively impacted their academic performance;

Whereas, no low-cost medical clinic or public health service is available to CHC students in the surrounding community and 21% SBCCD students "often" or "very often" put off seeking medical care because they lack the means to pay for such;

Whereas, the students and faculty of Crafton Hills College value the services of the Health and Wellness Center as demonstrated by the fact that the use such services continues to steadily increase, doubling in the past five years;

Resolved, that the Academic Senate of Crafton Hills College support the goals, services and continued growth of the Health and Wellness Center and;

Resolved, that the Academic Senate of Crafton Hills College oppose any attempt to reduce funding for this department below the current 2006 - 2007 budgeted amount.