GENERAL INFORMATION

PROGRAM NAME: (Double-click in the green box to enter information)

Student Success and Retention Services

NAME: Name of person or persons that completed this APRU form.

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I. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

A. What are the primary support purposes of this program? (Choose (x) all that apply)

X Basic Skills	X	Access	X	Learning Resources
X Degree	X	Success		Academic Services
X Transfer	X	Retention	X	Personal Enrichment
X Career/Technical	X	Persistence	X	Student Cohort
Other (Explain)				

B. What is the **Mission Statement** for this program?

The SSRS's mission is to facilitate the matriculation and/or transfer of students with historically low retention and transfer rates. Center goals are to have an enhanced academic and retention support program servicing a wide spectrum of the campus community by ensuring that participants receive counseling and academic support services as well as information, resources, and assistance that enables academic success.

C. How many students does this program serve? (Approx. annually unduplicated)

452 unduplicated in 2011-12

D. Identify and describe (briefly) this program's relationships and colaborations with other college programs:

We build cohorts with Language Arts and the Social Science Divisions. SSRS staff works closely with students in these cohorts. We also work with LinC by building cohorts and participate in LinC staff development trainings. In addition we work closedly with General Counseling especially during the first week of each quarter by staffing the "triage area". SSRS also works closely with the Transfer Center especially during heavy peak times for TAG.

IIA. PROGRAM SERVICES

Click on the "List of Services" tab at the bottom of this sheet.

IIB. SERVICE DESIGNATIONS

Click on the "Service Designations" tab at the bottom of this sheet.

III. OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT - INSTRUCTION

(Skip Section III and go to **Section IV** if there is no curriculum offered in this program)

A. Which SLO statements did you assess in 2011-12?

B. What did you learn? Briefly summarize the results of the reflection and enhancement discussions.

C. What additional resources are needed to implement the enhancement/improvements plans? (Please give a very brief overview - details will be asked for in Section VI)

D. What are your SLOAC plans for 2012-13?

IV. OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT - SERVICES

A. Which SSLO statements did you assess in 2011-12?

#1: Have counselors or advisors been available to meet with program participants on a "drop in" basis to address any immeidate needs or concerns #2 All program participants will have quarterly updated educational plans that support their identified educational objectives #3 All program participants will meet with a counselor or advisor at least once a quarter #4 All program participants will complete a HUMA 20 "Life Skills for Higher Education" course within their 1st two quarters of enrollment at DAC. #5. All program participants will emphasize completion of basic skills course sequences in Language Arts and/or math during their first year of enrollmen #6. All program participants will receive multiculturally competent counseling and advisement services

B. What did you learn? Briefly summarize the results of the reflection and enhancement discussions.

92% of respondents agreed or strongly agreed that they felt welcomed and valued in their interactions with SSRS professional staff; 88% strongly agree they were able to schedule an appointment or "drop in"; 82% were eligible to complete transfer English and math courses by spring quarter of their first year of enrollment with SSRS; and 79% completed HUMA 20. 84-85% agreed or stongly agreed that HUMA 20 was effective in helping them to develop Time Management strategies and Determine Learning Styles and to Develop Study Skills. However, between 40-54% of the respondents felt they had enough information about Time Management, Study Skills and Test Taking Strategies. SSRS discussed this and added more workshops this 2011-12 year and will continue into the 2012-13 academic year.

C. What additional resources are needed to implement the enhancement/improvements plans? (Please give a very brief overview - details will be asked for in Section VI)

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No additional resources are needed but we must maintain our staffing so that we can provide workshops and continue to meet our students' needs.

D. What are your **SSLOAC** plans for 2012-13?

We have a retreat planned in beginning of the fall 2012 quarter. We will discuss our current survey and either delete/add questions so that we can continue to assess our current services, assess our improvement and assess our collaborations with campus and off campus communities including civic engagement activities in our cohort programs. This survey will be conducted in the fall 2012 and winter 2013 quarters so that we can evaluate the results in the spring 2013 quarter.

V. CURRENT TRENDS/CHALLENGES

A. What does the near future portend for this program?

Unfortunately, the budget news at this time would greatly impact our services. We may lose more than half of our staff. If this were to happen, we would have to reduce our student population by half. Our programs continue to get over 400 interested students every year so we know the need exists but we may not have the resources to meet the needs of the incoming class.

B. What are the challenges for this program?

We run these programs on a very limited budget. Many of the activities are done on our own time for which we are not compensated. We continue to get more students interested but we are limited by our staff and resources as to how many we can actually serve each year.

C. What are the opportunities for this program?

This year one of our programs, FYE, received an honorable mention from the CA Academic Senate. We know that we are providing a great service to our students and the intense collaboration between instructional faculty is unmatched. We will continue to work closely with the instruction and continue to improve our services.

D. Does this program anticipate rapid change, slow change, no change, or other?

E. Are there any amendments to this program's 2008-09 Comprehensive Program Review? (CPR) None.

F. Explain what changes or revisions you have made, if any, to your services based on results of last year's program review update (2010-11).

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We received our assessment data in the winter 2012 quarter and we immediately added more workshops to meet the needs of our students. In addition, we focused more attention on our students who are on academic probation. We reached out and set up 1 quarter educational plans with students in addition to the probation interventions set up by the general counseling office.

G. Explain anything that should be known about this program that hasn't been asked.

VI. RESOURCE REQUESTS

A. <u>Personnel Requests</u>: Please submit the **top three** personnel requests in ranked order: (If there are more than three personnel requests, maintain a separate prioritized list using the same justification categories as in the APRU. If resources are available the SSPBT may ask for more items to be submitted.)

Program Position Priority #1:(Check (x) appropriate boxes)

Faculty	Staff	Administration
Full-Time	Part-Time	Est. Cost:
Priority #1 position name:		

Brief description: (new or replacement from retirement or resignation)

Rationale: How will this person enhance or maintain your program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support this program's need for this position?)

Critical , Important , or		Nice to have
	s program, check (x) whether this read "Nice to have". (Check only one)	quest is considered to be

Program Position Priority	/ #2 :(Check (x) appropriate boxes)	
Faculty	Staff	Administration
Full-Time	Part-Time	Est. Cost:
Priority #2 position name:		_

Brief description: (new or replacement from retirement or resignation)

Rationale: How will this person enhance or maintain your program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support this program's need for this position?)				
Based on the needs of this program, check (x) "Critical", "Important" , or "Nice to have". (Check		quest is conside	ered to be	
Critical	nportant		Nice to have	
Program Position Priority #3:(Check (x) approp	riate boxes)			
Faculty Staff		Administration		
Full-Time Part-Time		Est. Cost:		
Priority #3 position name:				
Brief description: (new or replacement from ret	rement or resig	nation)		
Rationale: How will this person enhance or maintain your program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support this program's need for this position?)				
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Based on the needs of this program, check (x) "Critical", "Important" , or "Nice to have". (Check		quest is conside	ered to be	
Critical	nportant		Nice to have	
B. <u>Equipment Requests</u> : Please submit the top three program equipment requests in ranked order: (If there are more than three equipment requests, maintain a separate prioritized list using the same justification categories as in the APRU. If resources are available the SSPBT may ask for more items to be submitted.)				
Program Equipment Priority #1:				
Est. Cost: \$1,500				
Priority #1 item name:				
Laptop				
Brief description: (new, upgrade, or replacement	t)			
New laptop for the center.				
Rationale: How will this resource enhance this specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the pro-			utcomes? What	
We use computer technology for our workshops and presentations and we often have to use our own personal laptop or try to "borrow" one from the counseling department. If SSRS had it's own laptop, it would give us more flexibility and allow us to be more efficient and effective in our presentations.				

Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one)
Critical X Important Nice to have
Program Equipment Priority #2:
Est. Cost:
Priority #2 item name:
Brief description:(new, upgrade, or replacement)
Rationale: How will this resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for this item?
Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one) Critical Important Nice to have
Program Equipment Priority #3:
Est. Cost:
Priority #3 item name:
Brief description:(new, upgrade, or replacement)
Rationale: How will this resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for this item?
Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one)
Critical Important Nice to have
C. Facility Requests: Please submit the top three facilities resource requests in ranked

Program Facilities Priority #1:
Est. Cost:
Priority #1 project name:
Brief description:(new, remodel, relocation)
Rationale: How will this resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for this item?
Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one)
Critical Important Nice to have
Program Facilities Priority #2: Est. Cost:
Priority #2 project name:
Brief description:(new, remodel, relocation)
Rationale: How will this resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for this item?
Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one)
Critical Important Nice to have
Program Facilities Priority #3:
Est. Cost:
Priority #3 project name:
Brief description:(new, remodel, relocation)

Rationale: How will this resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for this item?

Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether this request is considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one)				
Critical	Important	Nice to have		
growth initiatives that need technology (hardware/softw	Resource Requests: In the space additional funding. Include wheth vare), the discipline, legal matters, e classroom, office, operations, etc.	er the needs are related to District/College operations,		
\$500 Est cost of #1	\$500 Est cost of #2	\$500 Est cost of #3		
	rofessional growth initiative resour t specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results su			
#1. Registration for UC transfer conference #2 Registration for CSU transfer conference #3 Registration for career conference; All three conferences provide updated and current information that we need and use on a daily basis in educational planning. In addiiton, a career conference would be essential especially with career exploration for our undecided student population. This updated and current information is extremely critical especially now that we do not have a designated career center. This information would enable our staff to be better prepared to work with our students' and their academic plans at DAC.				
	program, check (x) whether each c "Important" , or "Nice to have". (c iative request #1:			
x Critical	Important	Nice to have		
Professional Growth Init	iative request #2:			
X Critical	Important	Nice to have		
Professional Growth Init	istive request #2.			
X Critical	Important	Nice to have		
E. <u>Operating Resource Requests ('B' augmentations)</u> : In the space below identify any additional operational funding needs. (List in ranked order)				
The content taught in our cohorts lends itself to the opportunity to take students out of the classroom and visit critical locations that can help make the topics relevant.				
\$5,000 Est cost of #1	Est cost of #2	Est cost of #3		
Rationale: How will each a	dditional operational resource enha	ance this program's plans to		

Rationale: How will each additional operational resource enhance this program's plans to improve outcomes? What specific SLOAC/SSLOAC results support the program's need for each item?

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An additional \$5000 would enhance our programs' plans to continue to provide relevant and experiential learning opportunities to our students.

Based on the needs of this program, check (x) whether each of the **top three** requests are considered to be "Critical", "Important", or "Nice to have". (Check only one per request)

Operational budget request #1:				
X Critical	Important	Nice to have		
Operational budget request #2:				
Critical	Important	Nice to have		
Operational Budget request #3:				
Critical	Important	Nice to have		