

Student Success Collaborative (BSW + SEW + SSSP)
Administration Building / Room 1901 / President's Conference

It was emphasized that, in many cases, many of the programs on campus (Puente, FYE, Umoja) are doing the same thing and/or going after the same student population; this can be confusing because of the overlap in both services and courses/pathways. It was also noted that counseling is not always consulted as part of the planning for these student-oriented programs. While Puente has a dedicated counselor (due to contractual obligations with the UCs), ongoing reassign time and dedicated counseling for all learning communities cannot be afforded should the funding go away (e.g. Equity / SSSP). The exact role and/or expectations of a counselor in a learning community was also noted as a topic worth additional discussion.

Currently, Foothill has a lot of smaller, high-cost boutique programs, but to push the needle, we need larger scale programs. The variety of smaller-