

FLORIDA COMMUNITY COLLEGES & WORKFORCE EDUCATION

PUTTING MINDS TO WORK



SUCCEED, Florida Funding

**Expanding the Capacity of
Teacher Certification
Nursing Programs
Career Academy Programs**



Web address for SUCCEED, Florida Funding

- <http://www.firn.edu/doe/dwd/grants/2005/succeed05.htm>



SUCCEED, Florida Appropriations

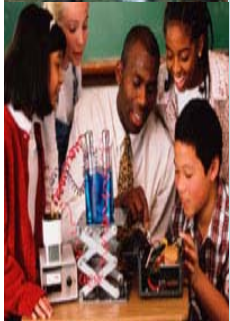
- **Crucial Professionals – Teaching**
 - Nonrecurring Funds
 - \$5,000,000 (GR)
- **Crucial Professionals – Nursing**
 - Nonrecurring Funds
 - \$10,000,000 (Lottery & GR)
- **Career Paths**
 - Nonrecurring Funds
 - \$6,000,000 (Lottery & GR)



SUCCEED, Florida Teacher Certification Funding

- Overview

- Initial appropriation of 5 million (subject to amendment by Commissioner)
- Award Range: \$100,000 to \$300,000
- Budget Period: July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006
- Project Period: same as above



SUCCEED, Florida Teacher Certification Funding

- Purpose
 - Increase the capacity of teacher certification programs at public and private postsecondary educational institutions
 - Funds must be used to support new students and not to supplant current funding or provide support to existing students



SUCCEED, Florida Teacher Certification Funding

- Usage
 - Funds may not be used for construction
 - Funds may be used for a broad range of activities including, but not limited to:
 - Personnel
 - Scholarships
 - Materials
 - Advertising
 - Student Services
 - Financial Incentives
 - Supplies
 - Marketing
 - Funds are nonrecurring. If used for recurring expenses, must show a plan for continuing funding



SUCCEED, Florida Teacher Certification Funding

- Priorities

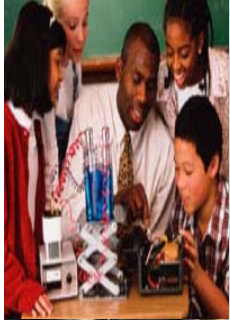
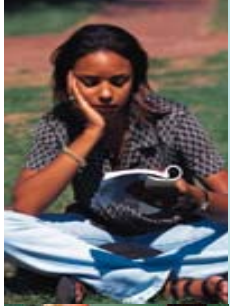
- Bonus points given for focusing on the following high-need subject areas and specializations:
 - Math (middle and high school)
 - Science (middle and high school)
 - Reading (all levels)
 - ESE (all levels)
 - ESOL (all levels)
- 2 points for each high-need subject area



SUCCEED, Florida Nursing Education Funding

- Overview

- Initial appropriation of \$10 million (subject to amendment by Commissioner)
- Awards
 - Up to \$500,000 for individual institution
 - Up to \$1,500,000 for collaboration of 2 or more institutions
- Budget Period: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2006
- Project Period: Same as Above



SUCCEED, Florida Nursing Education Funding

- Purpose
 - Increase the capacity of Board of Nursing approved nursing programs at public and private postsecondary institutions
 - Produce more nurses to enter the workforce in Florida
 - Funds must be used to support new students and not to supplant current funding or students



SUCCEED, Florida Nursing Education Funding

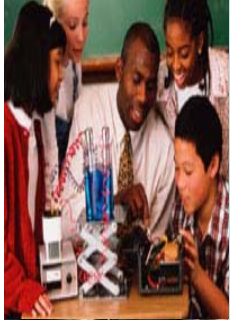
- Usage
 - Funds may be used for instructional equipment, lab equipment, supplies, personnel, student services, hardware such as simulation equipment
 - Funds are nonrecurring. If used for recurring expenses, must show a plan for continuing funding



SUCCEED, Florida Nursing Education Funding

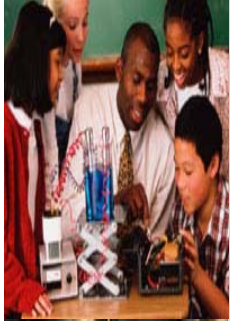
- **Priorities**

- Strategies to increase enrollment capacity
- Fast-track programs to increase faculty pool
- Collaborative agreements for recruiting & retaining faculty
- Innovative practices in clinical education
- Partnership agreements to expand clinical sites
- Joint-use facilities and/or equipment
- Innovations in curriculum & instructional delivery
- Fast-track career ladder programs



SUCCEED, Florida Nursing Education Funding

- Bonus Points Awarded for
 - Innovative strategies to increase nursing faculty candidates
 - Innovative curriculum or instructional methods for more efficient use of existing faculty & resources
 - Implementation of more effective methods for increasing opportunities for clinical practice



SUCCEED, Florida Career Paths Funding

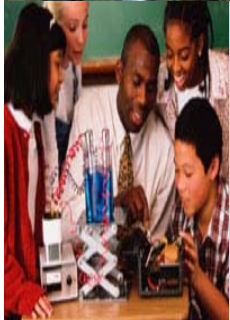
- Overview
 - Initial appropriation of \$6 million (subject to amendment by Commissioner)
 - Award Amount: Up to \$200,000 per academy
 - Budget Period: July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006
 - Project Period: Same as above



SUCCEED, Florida Career Paths Funding

- Purpose

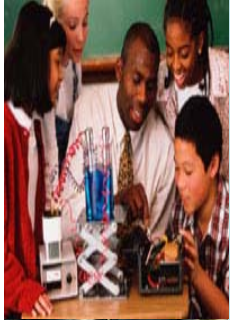
- Offset planning and implementation costs to operate a career & professional academy
- Provide a rigorous & relevant standards-based academic curriculum through a career-based theme
- Career focus must correlate directly with high-growth, high-demand, high-pay occupations
- Establish partnerships between a district school board or the Florida Virtual School & one or more businesses, industries or postsecondary educational institutions



SUCCEED, Florida Career Paths Funding

- **Priorities**

- Implement a career & professional academy for the 2005-2006 school year
- Implement a redesign of a career academy during the 2005-2006 school year
- Plan and design a career & professional academy for the 2006-2007 school year
- 50% of funds must be provided to programs in underserved communities (educational regions of the state which have below-average per capita public workforce education funding for population ages 15-49)
- Assist low performing schools
 - **Schools identified by a school performance grade of “F”**
 - **Up to 10 bonus points awarded during the review process**



SUCCEED, Florida Career Paths Funding

- Usage
 - Funds may be used for instructional materials & equipment, professional development, consultants, recruitment, marketing, and planning & design activities directly impacting students
 - Funds are nonrecurring. If used for recurring expenses, must show a plan for continuing funding



SUCCEED, Florida Accountability

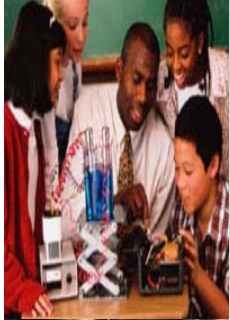
- Quarterly progress reports
- Interim financial report (DOE 399)
- Interim projected performances, expenditures & revenues charts
- Reporting that shows progress toward program goals, planning & implementation activities & timelines to date
- Final Report



SUCCEED, Florida

Technical Assistance Conference Calls

- **Crucial Professionals – Teaching**
– June 9, 2005
- **Crucial Professionals – Nursing**
– June 13, 2005
- **Career Paths**
– June 16, 2005



SUCCEED, Florida RFP Due Dates

- Crucial Professionals – Teaching
– July 8, 2005
- Crucial Professionals – Nursing
– July 8, 2005
- Career Paths
– July 12, 2005



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