UNIVERSITY AREAS SUPPORTED

A Short-Summary and Introduction

	Children's Center	\$ 140,779	\$ 140,779	\$ 140,779
	EPIC	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000
	Dreamers Resource Center	\$ 13,000	\$ 13,000	\$ 13,000
	Veterans Resource Center	\$ 9,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 9,000
	Food Pantry	\$ 10,495	\$ 10,495	\$ 10,000
	ECST Acceleration Initiatives	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,600

Anna Bing Arnold Children's Center

- Targeted population- Cal State L.A student parents
- Provides 102 children daily and enrolled 110 families
 - Flexible scheduling, reduced rates for students, tuition assistance for lowincome families (student parents are given first priority)
- Center increased capacity and funding for low-income parents, has a state-funded food program
- Helps to maintain the program quality for the essential building of the children
- Child care is subsidized and supported with ASI funding
 - Allows for student families to receive free or low-cost child care
 - Other families can also receive a reduction in child care information

Anna Bing Arnold Children's Center (cont.)

- Hot meals are provided for all children free of charge, and are balanced
- Child Development and Education majors have the opportunity to work, observe and study
 - Provides employment and educational opportunities for students (50 part-time
 Child Development majors as classroom teacher assistants)
- This is also an accredited program by the NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children), which only 8% of centers in the U.S are.
- Staffed with 12 assistants and can provide good overview and class number size

EPIC (Educational Participation In Communities) cont.

- Allows University students to "realize their full potential as productive, responsible and caring citizens by volunteering in a wide range of agencies serving a broad spectrum of communities throughout the Los Angeles area."
- Service Learning
 - Guide student placement that connects service and course learning outcomes and serving the community with classroom theories
- Community Partner Agency Fair
 - Allows students to engage with community partners with non-profit organizations
 - One-day event

EPIC (Educational Participation In Communities) cont.

- Cal State L.A Gives Back
 - Students serve a community partner site for a day as well as other campus members to serve.
- America Reads and Counts Program
 - National tutorial program that targets elementary school students who are achieving below grade level in reading and math
 - Cal State L.A students work with teachers and children as tutors
 - It also coordinates college awareness, on top of serving elementary students in establishing good foundations

EPIC (Educational Participation In Communities) cont.

- Read Across America
 - Cal State L.A students present at six partner elementary schools on college awareness and student success
- Cal State L.A, Here we Come
 - Allows for the Cal State L.A to engage elementary children and elementary staff for a college day experience
- Summer Youth Employment Program
 - Allows youth (14-24) to get 120 hours of hands-on work and showing them the higher education system
- Toy and Food Drive
 - Engages students through the fall semester to collect food and toys for community families and the Cal State LA Food Pantry, while bringing awareness about issues of food insecurity

EPIC (Educational Participation In Communities)

- EPIC seeks to develop:
 - Community engagement
 - Personal, social, and Professional Identity Development
 - Social Justice

Erika J. Glazer Family Dreamers Resource Center

- Cal State L.A serves the largest number of undocumented students of the 23 CSUs
- Committed to serving undocumented students and creating a safe environment
 - Done through Project Abstract
- Programming will serve to connect and educate students to university and community resources
- Outreach is done through website promotion, newsletters, social media platforms, and flyers
- Scholarships, gatherings, and meetings

Food Pantry

- Supporting Cal State L.A students in addressing food and housing security issues and fosters cultural wellbeing
- Dry pantry with pre-selected/pre-filled bags for students to pick-up upon arrival.
- Students are able to view pre-filled bags to ensure that the bag contains items that they will likely use, with the possibility to swap 1-2 items if needed.
 - Dietary restrictions are taken into consideration and are honored upon student request.
 - Food is supplied mostly from donated goods via campus and community partners, partnership with a local food bank, donated goods from students and others, and partially funded through the food pantries operating budget.

ECST Acceleration Initiatives

- The Acceleration Initiative is to support students as they get a jumpstart on their careers
 - Launchpad is part of these programs
 - Goal is to increase the 15% of female students to 25% by 2025
- It was an engineering and computing camp to inspire people to pursue a STEMrelated field
 - Rising highs school seniors worked on projects that introduced them to different types of engineering and CS
- Supported ECST Student technical assistants

Any Questions?