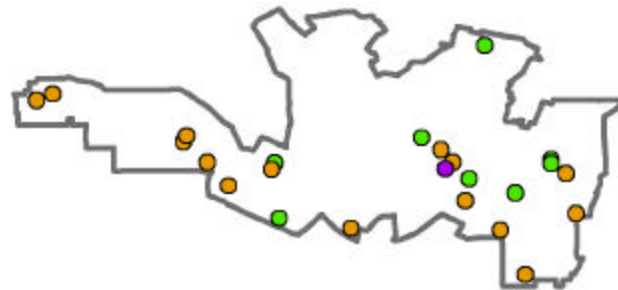


UC in Your District

The University of California's reach goes well beyond its 10 campuses, five medical centers and three national laboratories. The University's presence is felt in each of California's 58 counties through a wide array of exemplary community partnerships, enriching cultural resources and innovative research programs. From health-care education for rural physicians to agricultural research advice for local farmers to college preparation efforts in nearly every public school, UC has a direct influence in your community. Find out more about UC programs in your district by visiting:

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UCLA MEDICAL CENTER

UCLA Medical Center provides services throughout District 45, and is known for its pioneering advancements in organ transplantation and ultrasound and is ranked # 1 in the West by *U.S. News and World Report*. More than 300,000 people – **including a disproportionate share of the state's poor and uninsured** – are cared for at UCLA Medical Center each year. UCLA's Mattel Children's Hospital offers a full range of specialty health services for children. The Medical Center serves as a training site for physicians and as a research center that drives innovations in life-saving drugs and surgical procedures.



CALIFORNIA NANOSYSTEMS INSTITUTE (CNSI)

CNSI will facilitate a public/private approach to developing the information, biomedical, and manufacturing technologies that will dominate science and the economy in the 21st century. The Institute will provide a world-class intellectual and physical environment that supports collaboration among California's university, industry and national lab scientists. **The Institute will be located at UCLA and UCSB and will include corporate-sponsored incubator labs.**



UC ARTS OUTREACH

UC Santa Cruz's African American Theater Arts Troupe is dedicated to providing an outlet for the creativity and talents of underrepresented students through plays, presentations and workshops on campus and throughout the community. The troupe provides scholarships, mentoring and performances to **K-12 schools and community colleges throughout Los Angeles, including Hollywood High.**

The world-renowned UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center provides cancer care services and investigative clinical trials at **satellite clinics throughout the region**. Patients who come to UCLA centers for cancer care benefit from the most advanced forms of therapy available, and from a variety of supportive services. <http://www.healthcare.ucla.edu>

The California Policy Research Center (CPRC) applies UC's research expertise to the analysis, development and implementation of state and federal policy. CPRC provides policy-relevant UC-led research on statewide issues, oversees legislatively mandated research projects, and disseminates research findings through publications and special briefings. CPRC also hosts projects such as the Welfare Policy Research Project (WPRP), the **California Program on Access to Care (CPAC)**, the **Latino Policy Institute** and the **California-Mexico Health Initiative (CMHI)**.



UC's MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement) works to prepare educationally disadvantaged students for four-year colleges at **K-12 schools throughout Los Angeles**. <http://mesa.ucop.edu>

UC's Design for Sharing purchases thousands of tickets to events presented by UCLA Performing Arts. Tickets are distributed through social service agencies for those who could not otherwise afford to attend the events – **including at multiple sites in Hollywood**. www.performingarts.ucla.edu

UC Riverside's CE-CERT program contributes to improved environmental quality and energy efficiency through interdisciplinary research and by providing educational opportunities for the next generation of engineers, scientists and policy-makers. <http://www.cert.ucr.edu>



UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP) has provided academic support, college counseling and skill-building workshops to over 85,000 California students to help them realize their dreams of a college education. EAOP

works with several **K-12 schools in Hollywood**.

<http://www.eaop.org>

UC's Cooperative Extension in Los Angeles County works to improve nutrition, reduce child obesity, ease the transition from welfare to work and engage 4-H youth in educational activities. **The Echo Park Community Garden on Sunset** gets research-based support from UC Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners, who are also helping construct a community garden at Manzanita and Sunset. <http://www.ucanr.org>



The VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System is an affiliate of the UCLA Medical Center and provides a full range of medical care to **thousands of veterans in the region**. The system houses a teaching hospital and provides a full range of

patient care services using state-of-the-art technology. **An outpatient clinic is located in East Los Angeles**.

<http://www.va.gov>

The UCLA Mobile Eye Clinic provides free eye exams in the **greater Los Angeles** area at schools, agencies working with abused and foster children and the elderly and homeless shelters. Over 5,000 patients are treated each year.



The UC-affiliated Stunt Ranch Santa Monica Mountains Reserve is located in the Cold Creek watershed of Malibu Creek and is one of the most pristine and biologically diverse watersheds in the Santa Monica Mountains. **The**

reserve, one of 34 UC-affiliated natural reserves throughout the state, hosts environmental and anthropological research and also provides educational opportunities for **K-12 schools throughout the region**.

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