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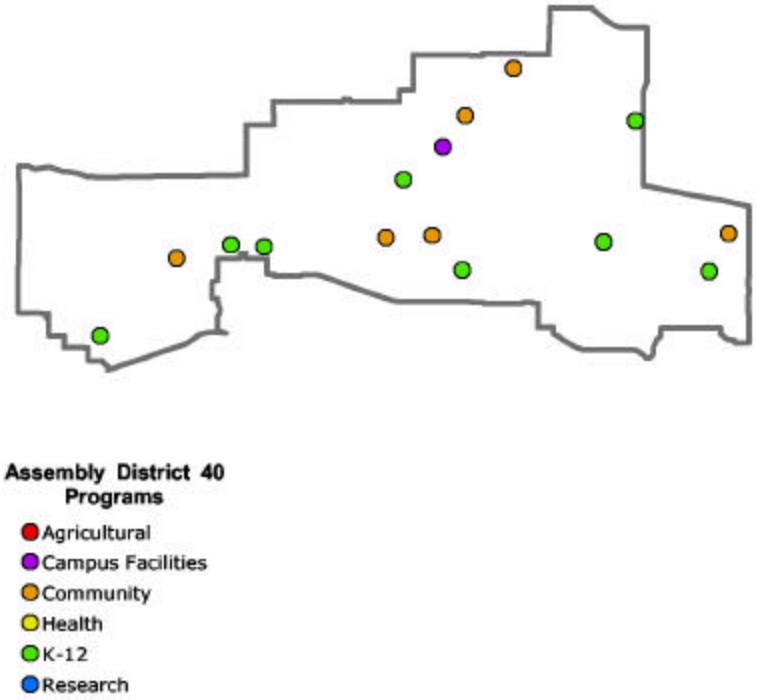
UC in Your District

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:

www.universityofcalifornia.edu



UCLA MEDICAL CENTER

UCLA Medical Center provides services throughout District 40 and is known worldwide for its pioneering advancements in organ transplantation and ultrasound. The Medical Center **is ranked # 1 in the West by *U.S. News and World Report* and more than 300,000 people, including a disproportionate share of the state's poor and uninsured, are cared for 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** preeminent 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 NATURAL RESERVES

The UC-affiliated Stunt Ranch Santa Monica Mountains Reserve is located in the Cold Creek watershed of Malibu Creek **near District 40,** and is perhaps the most pristine and biologically diverse watershed in the Santa Monica Mountains. The reserve, **one of 34 UC-affiliated natural reserves in the state**, is the site of much environmental and anthropological research and also provides educational and outreach opportunities for **the local community and K-12 schools throughout the area**.

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The Puente Project runs programs at 51 community colleges and 35 high schools throughout California to increase the enrollment and retention of educationally underserved students in four-year universities and works with **Los Angeles Valley College in District 40.** http://www.puente.net

UCLA's Regional Oncology Centers, affiliated with the world-renowned UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center, **provide comprehensive cancer care services and investigative clinical trials at satellite clinics in the Santa Clarita Valley, Santa Monica, Antelope Valley and Pasadena.** 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

UC's MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement) works to prepare students for four-year colleges at several schools **in District 40,** including **Van Nuys Senior High and Channel Islands High in Canoga Park. The MESA California Community College Program** increases the number of math and science majors who successfully transfer and receive degrees from 4-year universities and works with **CSU Northridge.** http://mesa.ucop.edu

UniCamp operates educational and recreational programs for children from low-income families **in District 40**. UniCamp strives to build self-esteem, promote the value of education, and foster a sense of community**.** www.unicamp.org

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 the LAPD Jeopardy Center, the Asian Pacific Counseling Treatment Center and Northridge's Morning Star Church in District 40.** www.performingarts.ucla.edu

UC's Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension provides accessible and comprehensive agricultural research information for local growers, ranchers, governments and the larger community at the **Ventura and Los Angeles County offices**. UC advisors also work to improve nutrition, reduce child obesity, ease the transition from welfare to work and engage 4-H youth in educational activities. http://www.ucanr.org

UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP) has provided academic support, career advising, college counseling, motivational and skill-building workshops to help over 85,000 California students realize their dreams of a college education. EAOP works with **several K-12 schools in District 40, including Grant High in Van Nuys**. http://www.eaop.org

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