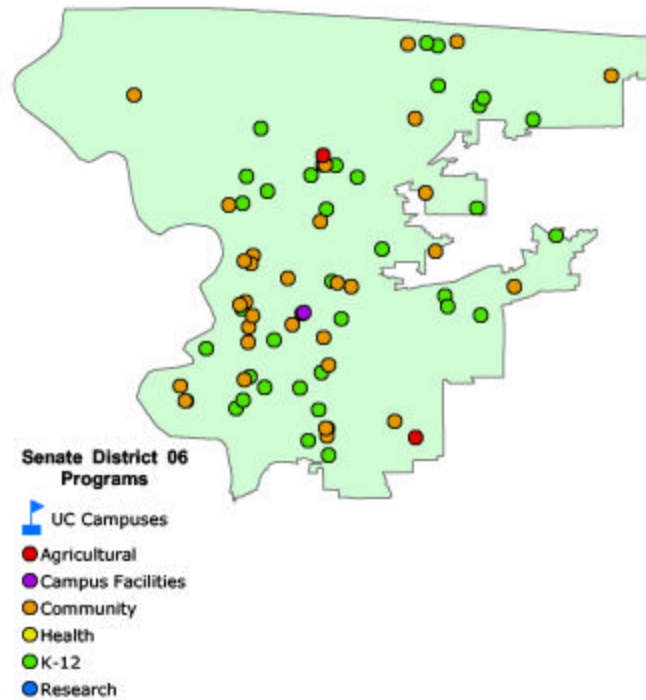


UC in Your District

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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UC DAVIS AND UCD MEDICAL CENTER

UC Davis is a premier research university, the largest employer in Yolo County and has an annual economic impact of more than \$1.4 billion. The UC Davis Medical Center in District 6, is the region's only academic medical center and ranks among the nation's best hospitals. The medical center operates an AIDS Clinical Trial Unit, a Nursing Research Center and the Center for Health Services Research in Primary Care - which provides research on primary care costs and quality. The UC Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts hosts a wealth of cultural and artistic performances in District 6.

UC DAVIS VET MED CENTER

The Veterinary Teaching Hospital at UC Davis is the only veterinary teaching hospital in California and provides services to more than 27,000 animals each year. UC Davis' Center for Equine Health is leading the way in research to unravel the mysteries of colic, the painful abdominal malady that is the number one killer of horses. The School of Vet Medicine's new Kenneth L. Maddy Equine Analytical Chemistry Lab will provide drug testing for California racehorses as well as studies evaluating the effectiveness of medications and other products on racehorse performance.

THE CENTER FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH IN THE INTEREST OF SOCIETY (CITRIS)

CITRIS is a collaboration between UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Merced, UC Santa Cruz and private corporations, established to sponsor collaborative information technology research that will ultimately provide solutions to challenge social and commercial problems affecting the quality of life of all Californians. Research will focus on energy efficiency, transportation, environmental monitoring, seismic safety, education and health care.



UC's MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement) works to prepare educationally disadvantaged students for four-year colleges at **87 K-12 school sites in the Sacramento area. 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 **Sacramento City College**. <http://mesa.ucop.edu>

The Mental Health Research Group at UC Berkeley's School of Social Welfare works with California counties to pursue timely research on issues in mental health such as residential care, psychiatric emergency services and homelessness. <http://socialwelfare.berkeley.edu>

The UC Latino Center for Medical Education and Research (affiliated with the UCSF-Fresno Medical Center) addresses the persistent under-representation of Latino physicians in the Central Valley by assisting local Latino students to compete successfully for medical school admission and attracting them to the study of health care issues of importance to Latinos.



The Puente Project increases the enrollment and retention of educationally underserved students in four-year universities. To date, Puente has provided mentoring, teaching, and counseling for over 20,000 under-represented students and runs a

program at **Sacramento City College in District 6**.

<http://www.puente.net>



The Center of Excellence in Women's Health at UCSF is developing a new standard for health care which focuses on the needs of all women – by developing integrated clinical care, research on women's health, professional education for female healthcare providers

and community outreach. **UC is also a national leader in breast cancer research, treatment and prevention services. UC Berkeley's Environmental Health Sciences Center focuses on the link between breast cancer and the environment – including pesticide use in agricultural areas.**

The UC Davis California Raptor Center rehabilitates injured birds of prey and serves Yolo, Solano, Sacramento and San Joaquin counties. The center provides training in the care and management of birds of prey and provides educational programs to the public. <http://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/ars>

The UCSF Fresno Alzheimer's Research Center (ARC) conducts research and offers treatment, counseling and caregiver support for patients, families and health care professionals. ARC is the only resource of its kind in the Central Valley. <http://www.ucsfresno.edu/alzheimer/>



UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP) has provided academic support, career advising, college counseling and skill-building workshops to help over 85,000 California students realize their dreams of a college education. **EAOP works with multiple K-12 schools in District 6.**

The California Policy Research Center (CPRC) applies UC's research expertise to the analysis and implementation of state and federal policy. CPRC provides policy-relevant, UC-led research to the state legislature and to the public. CPRC hosts 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).

ArtsBridge is a UC arts education and outreach program that works with California public schools to provide high quality arts education. ArtsBridge has active programs in **14 schools in the Sacramento area, including Alice Birney Elementary in District 6**. <http://www.arts.uci.edu/ucartsbridge>

The UC Davis Health System is a leader in the field of Telemedicine. Since 1992 UC Davis has linked hospitals and primary care practices throughout Northern California to the medical center in order to allow physicians to care for their patients locally.



The UC Davis Mondavi Center's Arts Education and Community Outreach Programs help K-12 kids and the larger community appreciate the performing arts through performances, teacher's guides and pre-

matinee classroom talks. In 2001-02, 25,000 K-12 students were served across the greater **Sacramento area**.

<http://www.mondaviarts.org>

The Information Center for the Environment at UC Davis is a cooperative effort by environmental scientists from over 30 private, state, federal and international organizations. The center applies natural resource science to issues of local, regional and national significance. <http://ice.ucdavis.edu>

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