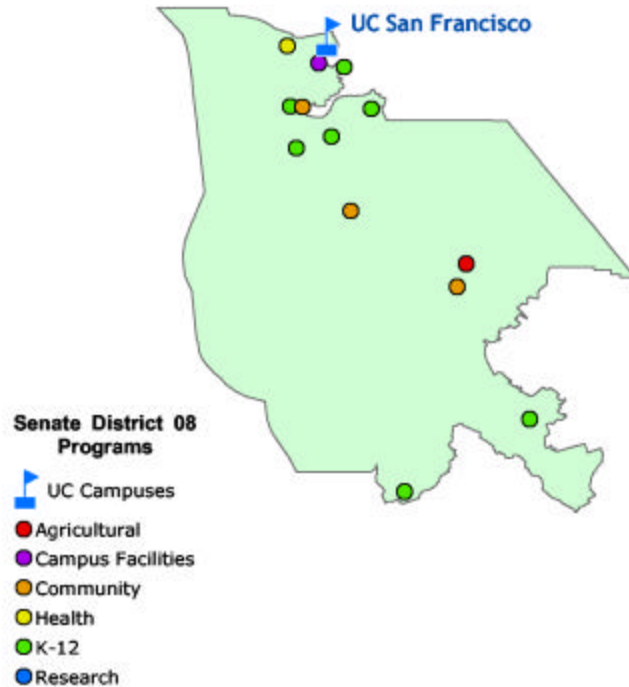


UC in Your District

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 SAN FRANCISCO AND UCSF MEDICAL CENTER

UC San Francisco - in District 8, is one of San Francisco's largest employers, contributing more than \$1 billion annually to the Bay Area economy and spawning hundreds of biotechnology enterprises. UCSF has created **three Nobel laureates** in the last decade and is a leader in patient care, biomedical research and health science education. **The UCSF Medical Center - in District 8,** ranks among the best hospitals in the nation and with its affiliated hospitals, **handles one-half of all hospital admissions in San Francisco and a disproportionate share of the area's poor and uninsured.**

UC NEW TEACHER CENTER

The first of its kind, **the New Teacher Center (NTC) at UC Santa Cruz** is a nearby national resource dedicated to teacher development and the support of practices that promote excellence and diversity in America's teaching force. **At schools throughout the peninsula,** New Teacher Seminars give teachers the opportunity to problem-solve with colleagues, learn new teaching strategies and exchange lesson plans.

INSTITUTE FOR QUANTITATIVE BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH (QB3)

QB3 is a cooperative effort between **UC and private industry** aimed at developing the cutting-edge research discoveries that will continue to drive the field of biomedicine. **QB3 will drive the new technologies and research that will spawn a host of biomedical innovations and train thousands of researchers in the Bay Area.** QB3 will be housed at two new buildings on the UC Santa Cruz campus, a new UC Berkeley facility and **a site at UC San Francisco's Mission Bay campus.**

UCSF's Breast Cancer Early Detection Program Regional Partnership, at the Comprehensive Cancer Center, **provides breast cancer screening, diagnostic services and out-reach to low-income women over 40 in District 8.** UCSF is a national leader in breast cancer research, treatment and prevention services. <http://www.ucsfbreastcarecenter.org>



The History through Literature Project at UC Berkeley builds curriculums for K-12 teachers on topics ranging from Latin America's literary history to the

spread of Islam. Seminars and an online database of lesson plans support thousands of teachers statewide.

<http://www.ias.berkeley.edu/orias>

The Public Law Research Institute at UC's Hastings College of the Law serves California legislators and agencies by analyzing the legal issues that confront California's state and local governments. Research topics have included: the AIDS crisis, corporate governance, health care reform and crime control. <http://www.uchastings.edu/plri/>



The UCSF Center for Science Education and Outreach coordinates programs that help underrepresented students explore their academic interests and

plan for college. One affiliated program, the **Science & Health Education Partnership**, is a collaboration between UCSF and the San Francisco Unified School District, designed to create innovative and hands-on K-12 science education programs.

The Earthquake Engineering Research Center (EERC), a research unit of the UC Berkeley College of Engineering, facilitates cutting-edge earthquake engineering research aimed at mitigating the state's structural seismic safety concerns. <http://eerc.berkeley.edu/>

The Community Construction Workforce Program at UCSF works with a variety of community based groups to train workers in the construction trades and help place them at UCSF construction sites. The program, patterned after a pilot project that significantly increased local hiring and workforce diversity at Mt. Zion construction sites, begins immediately with the construction of UCSF's first building at Mission Bay.



Nursing school faculty from UCSF and CSU San Francisco have partnered at the Valencia Health Services Clinic to **provide primary health care to 2,650 infants, children and adolescents in San Francisco.** The clinic combines UC's expertise in pediatric, women's health, and

family primary care and CSU's experience in case management and public health. <http://nurseweb.ucsf.edu>

UC San Francisco's Women's Triad Project works to build the confidence of this district's middle school girls in their abilities in science. <http://www.ucsf.edu/community>

The Center of Excellence in Women's Health at UCSF is developing a new standard for multi-disciplinary health care which focuses on the needs of all women – by developing integrated clinical care, research on women's health, professional education/mentoring for female healthcare providers and community outreach. <http://itssrv1.ucsf.edu/coe>

The Center for Gender Equity at UCSF provides advocacy, education and support services to the campus and the community at large with respect to issues of gender, race, class, sexuality, physical ability, relationship violence and sexual violence. <http://www.ucsf.edu/cge>



The Puente Project runs programs at 51 community colleges and 35 high schools to increase the enrollment of educationally underserved students in four-year universities. Puente works with **San Francisco City College**

and the College of San Mateo. To date, Puente has provided mentoring, teaching, and counseling for over 20,000 under-represented students. <http://www.puente.net>

The Bay Area Social Services Consortium (BASSC) is composed of county Social Service Directors and the graduate social work programs at UC Berkeley, CSU Sacramento, CSU San Jose and CSU San Francisco. BASSC develops educational, applied research and policy development programs in collaboration with county agency administrators and staff. <http://cssr.berkeley.edu/bassc>

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