



UC Davis State Government Relations Update May 2019

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May Revise

Governor Newsom released the May Revise to his 2019-20 budget proposal on May 9th. The proposed state budget includes a total of \$3.868B in general fund support for the University. This amount is a \$243.5 million (7%) increase in ongoing funding and \$181.5 million in one-time funding over 2018-19, contingent upon there being no tuition increase in 2019-20. Compared to the January budget proposal, new funding for UC includes \$3.5 million in on-going funding and \$28.5 million in one-time funds, along with some special fund allocations and future increases. The specifics are below;

Increases for 2019-20

- \$3.5 million ongoing for rapid rehousing of homeless students
- \$25 million one-time for University of California Retirement Program (UCRP), with language requiring the funding supplement rather than supplant UC 2019-20 deposits into UCRP
- \$3.5 million one-time for a UCSF Dyslexia Center pilot program

Special Funds

- Prop 56 Graduate Medical Education (GME) funding will increase by \$2.1 million to \$38.6 million (these funds are distributed statewide as grants; UC is eligible to apply)
- \$1.3 million one-time in Prop 56 tobacco research funds

Increases for Future Budgets

- \$345,000 in additional one-time funds in 2021-22 for undocumented student, staff, and faculty legal services; and
- \$1.5 million on-going starting in 2022-23 for undocumented student, staff, and faculty legal services (In the January 10 Budget introduction this amount had been \$1.3 million).

The May Revise also clarifies the use of some funding provided in the January budget proposal:

- \$5 million of the \$138 million for deferred maintenance can be spent on an infrastructure study. (This is responding to a LAO recommendation to not use AB 94 funds for this study.)
- \$15 million provided for basic needs should be used for meal donations, food pantry, CalFRESH sign-up, and to secure housing for housing insecure students. This language basically requires the funding be used for direct services rather than financial aid.

UCOP

The Governor's May Revise holds UCOP funding at the 2018-19 level. Department of Finance indicated that existing budget bill language allows UCOP to seek assessment increases for UC Path from the Director of Finance. ANR and UCOP administration were held flat.

Recap of January 10 Budget Introduction

The new funding provided in the May Revise is in addition to the \$240 million on-going and \$153 million one-time funds provided in the January 10 Budget introduction.

The \$240 million was restricted by budget bill language to the following categories:

- \$119.8 million for mandatory costs
- \$10 million for new enrollment in 2018-19
- \$40 million for Prop 56 swap undoing (medical residents)
- \$49.9 million for student success efforts
- \$15 million for student basic needs
- \$5.3 million for student mental health services

The one-time funds provided in the Governor's January 10 introduction were:

- \$138 million for deferred maintenance
- \$15 million for degree completion programs at UC Extension

Legislation

AB 43 (Gloria) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission, in consultation with specified state, local, and private entities, to develop a strategy for the collection, organization, and public reporting of information on mental health funding, mental health programs, services, and strategies, funded by the Mental Health Services Act or other sources, and mental health outcomes. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 136 (Quirk-Silva) passed out of the Assembly and Revenue Taxation Committee. The bill would disallow a charitable contribution deduction made to a postsecondary institution or to the Key Worldwide Foundation by taxpayers who meet specified conditions, including that they are named in a specified criminal complaint. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 241 (Kamlager-Dove) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require the inclusion of specified instruction in the understanding of implicit bias in medical treatment in all continuing education courses for physicians and surgeons, and that the Board of Registered Nursing and Physician Assistant Board adopt regulations to that effect. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 275 (Ramos) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require every state agency and requests UC to designate one or more liaisons for the purpose of engaging in consultation with California Native American tribes. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 289 (Fong) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would establish, within the California State Auditor's Office (CSA), the California Public Records Act (CPRA) Ombudsperson, to receive requests for review from members of the public who believe a public agency has improperly denied their request for public records. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 521 (Berman) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require the UC Firearm Violence Research Center to develop multifaceted education and training programs for medical and mental health providers on the prevention of firearm related injury and death. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 534 (Mayes) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would request UC, CSU and CCC to develop systems that allow EBT cards to be used on their respective campuses. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 624 (Gabriel) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require public and charter schools and public and nonsectarian private postsecondary educational institutions that issue student ID cards, to have the telephone numbers for the National Sexual Assault Hotline, National Domestic Violence Hotline, and a sexual or reproductive health hotline printed on the back of those ID cards. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 697 (Ting) passed out of the Assembly Appropriations Committee with amendments. The bill would require each participating postsecondary educational institution that provides any manner of preferential treatment in admission to applicants with a relationship to donors or alumni of the institution to provide specified admissions and enrollment information regarding these applicants for the previous academic year in order to be a qualifying institution for purposes of the Cal Grant Program. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 744 (Aguiar-Curry) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require a contract issued, amended, or renewed on or after 1/1/20, between a health care service plan and a healthcare provider for the provision of healthcare services to an enrollee or subscriber, or a contract issued, amended, or renewed on or after 1/1/20, between a health insurer and a healthcare provider for an alternative rate of payment to specify that the health care service plan or health insurer reimburse a healthcare provider for the diagnosis, consultation, or treatment of an enrollee, subscriber, insured, or policyholder delivered through telehealth services on the same basis and to the same extent that the health care service plan or health insurer is responsible for reimbursement for the same service through in person diagnosis, consultation, or treatment. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 806 (Bloom) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require CSU and CCC and requests UC to add former homeless youth to the students to be granted, or requested to be granted, priority enrollment. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 809 (Santiago) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require public postsecondary institutions to post on each institution's internet website, and to provide to an expectant parent through on-campus health clinics, notification of protections under Title IX for pregnant students and parenting students. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 963 (Petrie-Norris) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would establish the Student Civic and Voter Empowerment Program in partnership with UC, CSU, and CCC, and requests UC to inform students about specified voting and election information via campuswide emails, academic calendars, social media reminders, and newly designated campus Civic and Voter Empowerment Coordinators. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1004 (McCarty) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment screening service benefits cover developmental screening of individuals up to age 3, and that Medi Cal managed care plans have an adjusted capitation rate and ensure that contracted providers render those services in conformity with specified standards. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1090 (Medina) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require CCC, CSU and requests UC to waive any mandatory campus-based fees for any surviving spouse or surviving child of a deceased person who was a resident of the state and employed by or contracting with a public agency, whose principal duties consisted of active law enforcement service or active fire suppression and prevention, and who died as a result of their duties. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1124 (Maienschein) would require the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board to adopt emergency regulations that require employers to make respirators available to outdoor workers on any

day the outdoor worker could reasonably be expected to be exposed to harmful levels of smoke from wildfires, or burning structures due to a wildfire, while working. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1130 (Levine) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would revise the definition of personal information to add specified unique biometric data and government issued identification numbers in addition to those for driver's licenses and California identification cards for purposes of data breaches. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1131 (Gloria) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would provide that comprehensive medication management (CMM) services are covered under the Medi Cal program, and would require CMM services to include the development of a care plan in collaboration with the beneficiary and the beneficiary's health care providers to address identified medication therapy problems. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1215 (Ting) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would prohibit a law enforcement agency or law enforcement official from installing, activating, or using any biometric surveillance system in connection with an officer camera or data collected by an officer camera. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1229 (Wicks) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would enact the End Foster Youth Student Hunger in California Act of 2019 which establishes the Transition Age Foster Youth Meal Plan Program, to be administered by the California Student Aid Commission, pursuant to which an eligible transition age foster youth studying for a higher education degree at a public postsecondary educational institution would receive an award equal to the amount of the cost of a meal plan that would cover 10 meals per week and the cost of all campus fees. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1278 (Gabriel) passed out of the Assembly Appropriations Committee. The bill would require CSU and CCC and requests UC to include on the internet website based account for an enrolled student notification of, and a link to information on, specified public services and programs, including the CalFresh program, county or local housing resources, and county or local mental health services. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1308 (Cunningham) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would allow a qualified student to taste an alcoholic beverage and exempts the student and the qualified academic institution in which the student is enrolled from criminal prosecution if the qualified academic institution has established an Associate's degree or Bachelor's degree program in hotel management, culinary arts, or enology or

brewing that is designed to train industry professionals in the production of wine or beer. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1314 (Medina) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would enact the Cal Grant Reform Act, which would revise and recast the provisions establishing and governing the existing Cal Grant programs and the Middle Class Scholarship Program into a single Cal Grant Program and adds an authorization for summer Cal Grants awards. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1332 (Bonta) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would prohibit a state or local agency from entering into a new, amended, or extended contract or agreement with any person or entity that appears on a specified list published by the Department of Justice unless the state or local agency has made a finding that no reasonable alternative exists. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1383 (McCarty) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would prohibit CSU and, if adopted by the Regents, UC from admitting applicants by admission by exception unless the applicants are California residents who are receiving an institution based scholarship to attend the campus. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1400 (Kamlager-Dove) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would make the workers' compensation cancer presumption applicable to employees of a city, county, city and county, district, or other municipal corporation or political subdivision whose job duties cause them to be regularly exposed to active fires or health hazards directly resulting from firefighting operations. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1466 (Irwin) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require the Governor to establish a statewide student longitudinal database taskforce. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1510 (Reyes) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would expand statutes of limitations provisions to civil actions for all sexual misconduct, and revives claims for damages arising out of a sexual assault or other inappropriate contact, communication, or activity of a sexual nature by a physician occurring at a student health center between 1/1/88 and 1/1/17 that would otherwise be barred prior to 1/1/20, solely because the applicable statute of limitations has or had expired, and would authorize a cause of action to proceed if already pending in court or, if not filed, to be commenced within one year of 1/1/20. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1518 (Chu) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would authorize a student athlete to enter into a contract with an athlete agent without losing their status as a student athlete, if the contract complies with the policy of the student athlete's educational institution and the bylaws of the National Collegiate Athletic Association. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1532 (Bauer-Kahan) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would expand requirements for obtaining a food handler card after completing a training course and examination to food handlers who are employed by a food facility or organized camp that is subject to the California Retail Food Code, including public and private school cafeterias. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1573 (Holden) passed out of the Assembly Appropriations Committee. The bill would add to the Student Athlete Bill of Rights (1) provisions authorizing institutions of higher education to establish a degree completion fund, (2) provisions requiring institutions of higher education to prepare detailing specified rights of student athletes and contact information for filing complaints under the Student Athlete Bill of Rights, and (3) provisions prohibiting institutions of higher education from intentionally retaliating, as defined, against a student athlete for making a complaint in good faith, or for reporting, in good faith, a violation of the student athlete's rights granted under any applicable statute, regulation, or policy. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1606 (Gray) passed out of the Assembly and Revenue Taxation Committee. The bill would disallow specified tax deduction and requires the State Controller to transfer from the General Fund (GF) to the UCSF San Joaquin Valley Regional Campus Medical Education Endowment Fund an amount equal to the annual estimate of the revenues derived from the disallowance of the deduction until the amount of \$500 million has been reached in the fund. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1662 (Ramos) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would require the UC NAGPRA Committee to include 3 voting members from a tribe located in California that is an Indian tribe under the federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1676 (Maienschein) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require health care service plans and health insurers, by 1/1/21, to establish a telehealth consultation program that provides providers who treat children and pregnant and postpartum persons with access to a psychiatrist, as specified, in order to more quickly diagnose and treat children and pregnant and postpartum persons suffering from mental illness. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1689 (McCarty) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would amend Proposition 63 by appropriating \$40 million annually from the administrative account of the Mental Health Services Fund to UC (\$10M), CSU (\$10M) and CCC (\$20M) to implement the College

Mental Health Services Program and requires the governing boards to create a grant program for public community college, college, and university campuses for the purpose of establishing or improving access to mental health services on those campuses. The University has a support position on the bill.

AB 1703 (Bloom) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require UCLA, CSU Dominguez Hills, and selected CSU campuses serving the Los Angeles Basin to form a neurodiversity and learning collaborative to identify and develop the links between brain research and classroom practice. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1723 (Wood) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would increase the number of hours specified clinics are authorized to be open to not more than 40 hours per week. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1763 (Chiu) passed off of the Assembly Floor. The bill would expand the provision of density bonuses and incentives or concessions for the construction a housing development in which 100% of the total units are for lower income households. The University's position on the bill is pending.

AB 1808 (Jobs, Economic Dev) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require a state agency to establish and achieve an annual goal that at least 25% of the procurement activities administered by that agency include a small business participant, to ensure that the agency's procurement practices are administered in a manner that supports the agency in meeting or exceeding the goal, and to report to the director statistics regarding small business participation in the agency's procurement activities. The University's position on the bill is pending.

ACR 64 (McCarty) was sent to the Assembly Appropriations Committee suspense file. The resolution would request CSU and UC to conduct a study on the usefulness, effectiveness, and need for the SAT and ACT to determine student admissions, including evaluation of specified matter and recommendations and a plan for phasing out the use of the SAT and ACT as a basis for admission. The University's position on the resolution is pending.

SB 3 (Allen) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would establish the Office of Higher Education Coordination, Accountability, and Performance. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 24 (Leyva) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require each student health care services clinic on a UC or CSU campus to offer abortion by medication techniques. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 46 (Jackson) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would authorize UC, CSU, and CCC to use their own enrollment, registration, and personnel records to access the contact information of students and employees for the sole purpose of enrolling them in a university- or college-operated public emergency warning system. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 50 (Wiener) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would grant an equitable communities incentive for residential development construction meeting specified criteria such as being a job- or transit-rich housing project, and allows waivers from maximum controls on density and minimum controls on parking requirements and additional waivers if located within a 1/2- or 1/4-mile radius of a major transit stop. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 142 (Wiener) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require employers to provide specified employee lactation accommodations, maintain records of requests for those accommodations for 3 years, and give the Labor Commission access to those records. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 163 (Portantino) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would redefine and expand requirements for behavioral health treatment, and qualified autism service professionals and paraprofessionals. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 206 (Skinner) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would enact the Fair Pay to Play Act, which prohibits organizations with authority over intercollegiate athletics from compensating prospective student athletes in relation to their name, image, or likeness, or preventing them from earning compensation or obtaining representation from such use. The University has an oppose position on the bill.

SB 227 (Leyva) passed off of the Senate Floor. The bill would require periodic inspections of general acute care, acute psychiatric, and special hospitals to include reviews of compliance with the nurse-to-patient ratios and staff assignment regulations. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 230 (Caballero) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require law enforcement agencies to maintain a policy that provides guidelines on the use of force, deescalation techniques and other alternatives, and factors for evaluating and reviewing such incidents, and to make the policy publicly accessible. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 241 (Moorlach) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would modify the existing voluntary check-off system by establishing the California Voluntary Contribution Program, to be administered by the Franchise Tax Board, to expand the contribution options for a

taxpayer beyond those currently available on the personal income tax return. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 276 (Pan) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require a statewide standardized medical exemption from immunization request form for use by licensed physicians and surgeons, and a database of approved medical exemption requests. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 334 (Pan) would establish a pathway program to allow a licensed medical laboratory technician (MLT) to apply their work experience and training from a department-approved MLT training program towards the completion of a clinical laboratory scientist (CLS) training program. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 354 (Durazo) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would extend California DREAM loan eligibility to a student enrolled in a professional or graduate degree program, including, but not limited to, a teaching credential, if other applicable qualifications are met, and requires the participating institution to determine the proportion of program funding for instructional and graduate programs, with priority given to loans for instructional programs. The University has a support position on the bill.

SB 374 (Glazer) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would provide for a standard \$500 allowance to eligible student CalWORKs recipients participating in a full time educational activity and making satisfactory progress, and for a 24 month extension for those enrolled in a postsecondary educational institution and making satisfactory progress to meaningfully increase their likelihood of employment. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 425 (Hill) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require reporting of any allegation of sexual abuse or sexual misconduct against a healing arts licensee practicing at any health facility or clinic or other entity to a relevant state licensing agency within 15 days, and an investigation of the underlying circumstances of a received report. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 442 (Dodd) passed off of the Senate Floor. The bill, co-sponsored by UC, would authorize the Director of Parks and Recreation to issue scientific research permits and commercialization permits to qualified institutions of higher education, nonprofit research institutions, and individuals.

SB 452 (Jones) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require the Department of Public Health to send a Ken Maddy California Cancer Registry informational brochure to every patient when they are entered into the registry. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 493 (Jackson) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require an institution of higher education that receives any state funds, including funds for student financial assistance, to comply with specified requirements relating to the protection of students from, and providing students with procedural protections relating to complaints of sexual harassment. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 503 (Pan) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would require a Medi-Cal managed care plan to conduct specified audits of its subcontractors, including an annual medical audit of any subcontract involving medical or administrative services. The University's position on the bill is pending

SB 518 (Wieckowski) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would amend the Public Records Act, for purposes of awarding court costs and reasonable attorney's fees, to notwithstanding a provision of existing law that prescribes the withholding or augmentation of costs if an offer is made before judgment or award in a trial or arbitration. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 539 (Caballero) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would transfer 15% of revenue exceeding the base amount from the Mental Health Services Fund to a newly established Mental Health Services Workforce Education and Training Account. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 568 (Portantino) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would establish the College Focused Rapid Rehousing Program, which allows UC, CSU, and CCC to provide housing options and services for homeless students. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 617 (Glazer) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would allow an employer and one or more labor organizations representing pharmacists and/or pharmacy technicians in an employer's pharmacy to enter into a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing a ratio of up to 3 to 1 pharmacy technicians per pharmacist, regardless of the number of pharmacists on staff, if the employer meets certain requirements, including demonstrating to the Board of Pharmacy that the employer will ensure that each pharmacy technician receives in-service training before assuming duties and responsibilities. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 618 (Stone) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would make the knowing and intentional making of false statements by a peace officer in reports regarding the commission or investigation of any crime filed with their employing agency a felony, punishable by imprisonment for 2, 3, or 4 years. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 697 (Caballero) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would expand the scope of practice of physician assistants pursuant to a signed delegation of services/practice agreement, and reduces associated physician and surgeon supervisory requirements. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 698 (Leyva) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would allow UC employees to file a claim in state court or with the Labor Commissioner if the university fails to issue payment on time and on a regular payday. The University's position on the bill is pending.

SB 728 (Galgiani) was sent to the Senate Appropriations Committee suspense file. The bill would establish the Student Housing and Food Hardship Fund and program to provide emergency assistance to public postsecondary educational institution students who are experiencing housing or food hardships. The University's position on the bill is pending.

Upcoming State Government Relations Events, Hearings and Key Dates

May 17 Last day for **fiscal committees** to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house.

May 28-May 31 Floor session only.

May 31 Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house.

June 3 Committee meetings may resume.

June 15 Budget Bill must be passed by midnight.

Questions or Need Assistance?

If you have any questions regarding the aforementioned items or would like assistance in connecting with state legislators and/or their staff, please do not hesitate to contact Adrian Lopez, Director, State Government Relations. He can be reached at adnlopez@ucdavis.edu or by phone at (530) 752-9795.