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Student Housing

There are two primary student-housing options. Both facilities are located within walking distance from MCC and shopping, banking, dining, and entertainment facilities.

The first is Hale Haumana, an alcohol/drug free two-story apartment-style facility with space for 44 students. Each apartment is fully furnished with a kitchen, living room, bath and two bedrooms. Utilities, except telephone, are included. Central laundry and recreation facilities are available. Priority is given to students from Lana'i, Molokai, and outlying areas of Maui to attend classes on our Kahului campus. Mainland and international students are also welcome to apply.

The cost for residing in this facility is \$1,846 per semester for a two-person bedroom. There is a \$150 reservation-security deposit and a \$10 application fee. Priority application deadlines are June 1 for Fall semester and December 1 for Spring semester.

📌 For more Hale Haumana information or for an application, call 808 242-6920 or write to the MCC Student Housing Office, 820 Kaahumanu Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732.

The second option is Kulanaa'o, a new, alcohol/drug free, privately owned and managed, state-of-the-art four-story apartment-style facility with space for 400 students. Each fully furnished apartment is designed to accommodate four students in two bedrooms with single beds and two bathrooms. Each apartment includes a shared living room and kitchen. Each unit features a balcony, utilities (water & electricity), high-speed internet service, basic cable, and phone and cable outlets. Other amenities include interior courtyard, study areas, lounge and recreational areas, front desk with mail distribution, coin operated laundry facilities, bike racks, elevators, and on-site resident advisors.

📌 For more Kulanaa'o information or to fill out an on-line application, visit the website at www.kulanaao.com or contact

the Student Housing Coordinator, Prudential Iwado Realty at 808 877-9000 (office), 808 877-5058 (fax), or 800 478-7727 (toll free office number).

Educational Opportunity Center

The Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) provides access to post secondary education for all Maui County residents, with emphasis on assisting people from low-income families and those whose parents did not graduate from college. EOC is located in Ho'okipa on the Kahului campus and on Molokai.

EOC services include career assessment and educational information, college catalog information for Hawai'i and mainland schools, financial aid and information and application assistance for grants, loans, and scholarships. Weekly outreach visits are made to local high schools and community agencies.

• Pre-Admission Counseling

Counseling is available to help prospective students make appropriate educational decisions by assessing their educational needs, career interests, and academic qualifications.

📌 Call EOC at 984-3286, or EOC on Molokai at 567-6231.

Counseling

The College offers counseling services throughout the academic year and summer months. A comprehensive program of individual and group counseling is provided for students, to enable each individual to develop to his or her fullest potential while realizing educational and career goals.

📌 Call to schedule an appointment for counseling at 984-3306.

Academic Counseling

Counselors assist students in planning their program of study and selecting courses. Information is provided about transfer, course sequence, placement, prerequisites, and registration.

Personal Counseling

Counselors assist students with personal, social, or college-related problems and help them assess personal growth and development.

Graduation Application Assistance

Counselors are available for assistance in applying for graduation. It is highly recommended that prior to the final semester students make an individual appointment for this important check of their academic progress toward completing requirements for the degree or certificate.

Transcript Evaluation

Counselors review past academic records to assess applicability toward degrees and certificates offered at the College. Students must have official transcripts sent directly to the MCC Admission & Records office, then make an appointment for an official evaluation. Students may need to provide the prior college catalog, course descriptions, and other information.

College Transfer Information

Counselors provide information regarding transferring to other colleges. Early discussions with a counselor result in a detailed list of requirements for later degrees. Often this process involves a blend of career, academic, and personal counseling and planning so MCC courses will transfer and fulfill requirements at subsequent institutions.

Po'okela Project

The Po'okela Project works to promote student academic, career, and cultural development through an array of support activities, instruction and curriculum development. The project works directly with a cohort of thirty Hawaiian students in Career and Technical majors per semester. Student cohort activities include academic advising, internships, student stipends and a variety of instructional based academic, career, and cultural development opportunities.

Po'okela also works with high school students through summer bridge programs. The summer bridge model integrates academic rigor with personal, career, and educational development and cultural responsiveness. Using career and technical education as a vehicle, the ultimate goal of the summer bridge is to motivate students to realize their potential and *kuleana* (privilege, right, or responsibility) as Hawaiians and promote positive and productive lifestyles.

🌿 Call program coordinator, Kaleikoa Kaeo, at 984-3369.

Liko A'e

The Liko A'e Native Hawaiian Scholarship program provides scholarships for Hawaiian students pursuing college degrees in Hawai'i or on the mainland. The program has sites at Maui Community College, Kaua'i Community College, and Hawai'i Community College. The goal of the program is to increase the enrollment of Native Hawaiians pursuing and completing post-secondary degrees.

🌿 For more information, call 984-3366 or log on to www.likoae.org

Na Pua No'eau

In the Hawaiian language, *Na Pua* (the flowers) refers to the talents of children as they blossom on their journey toward self-discovery. Na Pua No'eau is an innovative enrichment program for Native Hawaiian children in grades K-12. Na Pua No'eau encourages students from an early age to prepare for college.

🌿 Call Na Pua No'eau at 984-3364, or on Molokai at 553-9933.

Student Support Services Program Pai Ka Mana

The mission of the Student Support Services Program (SSSP) is to assist low-income, first generation, and disabled program participants in obtaining the knowledge and skills necessary to successfully complete a baccalaureate degree.

Selected liberal arts majors at the College receive services including a freshman year experience, group and individual



tutoring, financial aid counseling, preferred registration, cultural and educational explorations, and assistance in transferring to an upper division four-year institution.

🌿 Call SSSP at 984-3574 or on Molokai at 553-4490, x39.

Upward Bound

The Maui County Upward Bound program is designed to prepare low income, potential first generation high school students for post-secondary education. Tutoring, counseling, academic advising, career planning, and a six-week summer residential program are offered during the year.

The MCC summer residential program offers classes in English, mathematics, natural science, foreign language, and computer science. Science workshops, cultural and historical field trips, career and college exploration, study skills, and recreational activities are also offered.

🌿 Call Upward Bound at 984-3299.

Services for Students with Disabilities

Students with disabilities, either permanent or temporary, may be provided with the following services: personal, academic and career counseling; admissions and financial aid applications and registration assistance; campus orientation;

tutorial, reader, note taker, interpreter, and/or other academic support services as needed; campus accessibility map; and specifically designed auxiliary equipment to meet the needs of the disabled students.

In accordance with Section 84.4 of the federal rules and regulations governing Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, no qualified individual with a disability shall, on the basis of their disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity which receives or benefits from federal financial assistance.

🌿 Students desiring special services are advised to call the special needs coordinator at 984-3306 as early as possible so that services may be arranged on a timely basis.

Services for Hearing Impaired

Deaf and hard of hearing individuals desiring information may contact the College by calling the TDI number 984-3325, or by using the text telephone relay service at 643-8833. A TTY pay phone, 242-9869, is located at Ka Lama.

🌿 Call the special needs coordinator at 984-3306 to obtain information about the programs, services, activities, and facilities available to persons with disabilities.

Safe Zone Program

The Safe Zone program exists to create and maintain a positive social, academic, and employment environment at the University of Hawai'i for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered, and intersex faculty, staff, and students. Trained volunteers who serve the program are nonjudgmental, understanding, and trustworthy advocates for those seeking help and advice, or simply a place to talk story. The Safe Zone program insures the enforcement of Hawai'i State Law (Chapter 386) and established University of Hawai'i policy (Section 105 of the Board of Regents Bylaws and Policies) that explicitly prohibit harassment and discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation. The Safe Zone program also sponsors networking meetings and community building activities on campus.

Orientation

Orientation sessions acquainting new students with College services, programs, and courses are conducted prior to each semester. These sessions include a campus tour. During the first two days of classes, faculty and staff assist students at "Ask Me" information tables.

For information, call 984-3434.



Student Life

Student Life is an integral part of the College's educational and curricular programs. It supports a wide spectrum of activities that promote students' involvement in college governance and provide opportunities for students to enhance their personal, cultural, social, recreational, and leadership skills.

For information, call 984-3434.

Campus Activities

The Office of Student Life and the ASMCC Student Governance Council sponsor a variety of campus activities. Events include personal and educational growth workshops, food, and games.

For information, call 984-3434.

Student Government

The Associated Students of Maui Community College (ASMCC) is the official students' organization. The ASMCC Student Governance Council, the representative governing body of the ASMCC,

is responsible for administering Student Activity fees and for developing and providing programs, services, and activities to meet student needs. The Governance Council also serves as the collective voice for students in student-related issues. Students are invited to participate in the College's development by serving on Council committees.

For information, call 984-3434 or 984-3552.

Student Publications

The Board of Student Publications (BOSP) serves in an advisory role in the publication of the student newspaper, *Ho'oulu*, and other student publications.

To participate on the board or in the production of any publication, call 984-3552.

Lost and Found

The Student Services office coordinates the lost and found.

For information, call 984-3267.

Student Right to Know Act

As required by the Student Right to Know Act, institutions that participate in any HEA Title IV program must provide graduation and completion rates of the institution's student population of first-time, full-time degree-seeking undergraduates.

University of Hawai'i Average Graduation & Persistence Rates -- Fall Cohorts

| | | Graduated | Still Enrolled |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|
| Six years after entry, 1991-2000 cohorts: | UH Manoa | 53% | 11% |
| | UH Hilo | 30% | 7% |
| Three years after entry, 1994-03 cohorts: | UHCC | 15% | 20% |
| | Hawai'i CC | 22% | 14% |
| | Honolulu CC | 14% | 18% |
| | Kapi'olani CC | 11% | 26% |
| | Kaua'i CC | 19% | 17% |
| | Leeward CC | 12% | 24% |
| | Maui CC | 17% | 16% |
| Windward CC | 11% | 18% | |

Success rate is the percentage of students who have either graduated or are still enrolled at a campus. Average success rates are 64% at UH Manoa, 37% at UH Hilo, and 35% at the UH community colleges.

Graduation rates for the most recent cohort are 51% at UH Manoa and 32% at UH Hilo for the Fall 2000 cohort six years after entry, and at the UH community colleges for the Fall 2003 cohort three years after entry: 13% overall, 23% at Hawai'i CC, 11% at Honolulu CC, 11% at Kapi'olani CC, 17% at Kaua'i CC, 11% at Leeward CC, 19% at Maui CC, and 10% at Windward CC. UH West O'ahu is an upper division institution with no first-time students, so it is not included in this chart. *This information is provided for the Student-Right-to-Know Act, Public Law 101-542. It provides a partial description of the graduation and enrollment patterns of students and describes averages for groups of students. It should not be used to infer or predict individual behavior.*

Source: Institutional Research Office, University of Hawai'i; March, 2007.