Governors State University

Student Affairs and Enrollment Management: Reaching Vision 2020

Focus Area: Auxiliary Services & University Housing

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Implementation Year: 2019/2020

Goal 4: Support Enrollment Management recruitment and retention goals

Objective 1:	Collaborate with Enrollment Management to recruit prospective students by assisting with
	initiatives such as Admission Open Houses, Admitted Student programs, Signing Program,
	residential tours, orientation etc.
Action Items	1. Participation by ASUH staff in all Open Houses, Orientations, and Admission events.
	2. Establish protocol to hold sufficient space for new first year students and transfer students who
	want to live on campus.
	3. As occupancy permits, identify 4 bedroom apartment and semi-suite unit to serve as model
	housing units for prospective students and families to tour.
	4. Update Housing brochure and website information
Indicators and Data	1. Housing participation in all programs (presentations, resource table, tours of Prairie Place)
Needed	2. Plan for 2019/2020 created with numbers of spaces to hold for new students (FY & TR)
(Measures that will	3. Model 4 bedroom apartment and semi-suite unit available throughout summer and academic
appraise progress	year.
towards the strategic	4. Housing marketing materials updated to reflect pricing information for new academic year
objective)	
Responsible Person	1. ASUH team
and/or Unit (Data	2. D/Enrollment Management
collection, analysis	3. ASUH team
reporting)	4. Ashley/Marketing
Milestones	1. Fall/Spring/Summer
(Identify Timelines)	2.
Desired Outcomes and	1. Prospective students/families will have information about on campus housing & understand
Achievements	dates to apply
(Identify results	2. University Housing will guarantee housing for specific number of FY students & Transfer
expected)	students who apply by June 1.
emposites,	3. Model apartment and suite will be set up to provide prospective students and families the
	opportunity to see decorated unit types in Prairie Place.
	4. Housing brochure will reflect new brand with updated photos
Achieved Outcomes &	1.
Results	2.
Analysis of Results	1.

Objective 2:	Collaborate with the Office of International Services to conduct specific outreach to
	international students about living on housing

Action Items	1. Implement a plan to orient new international students living in Prairie Place
	2. Focus group with international students living in Prairie Place to solicit ideas on how to get
	more international students to live on campus.
	3. Involve OIS in RA Training to provide information on resources and train RAs on empathetic
	interactions with international residents
Indicators and Data	1. Prairie Place staff will meet at start of each semester with new international students living in
Needed	Prairie Place (cover policies, community standards, explain role of housing staff)
(Measures that will	2. Contact information for all international students living in Prairie Place
appraise progress towards	3. Invite OIS representative to RA Training, have a summer meeting to discuss learning outcomes
the strategic objective)	and desired residential impact
Responsible Person	1. AD/RHD
and/or Unit (Data	2. AD/D/RHD
collection, analysis	3. RHD
reporting)	
Milestones	1. August 26-Sep 8 and January 17- 26
(Identify Timelines)	2. Before end of Fall and spring semesters
	3. End of RA Training
Desired Outcomes and	 International students will better understand support services, policies and programs;
Achievements	international students will feel more welcomed and part of the PP community
(Identify results expected)	2. Focus group participants will share information about their experience & provide
	suggestions/ideas on how to increase international student interest to live in Prairie Place.
	3. Increase interactions between international residents and the RA staff
Achieved Outcomes &	1.
Results	
Analysis of Results	1.
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