

# **Nuventive User Guide for Program Assessment**

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### **GETTING STARTED**

 Enter the following URL into your Internet web browser (recommended browsers include Firefox and Google Chrome: Safari is not recommended): <u>https://wcutracdat.passhe.edu/tracdat/</u>

Please note, faculty do not automatically have a Nuventive account. New users should contact <u>SLAssessment@wcupa.edu</u> for account creation and activation.

Users can also access the login webpage by accessing the WCU homepage following path: WCU Home > Teaching, Learning, and Assessment Center > Student Learning Assessment > Nuventive

- 2. Log in using your username and password.
  - Username = 75 + WCU username without the @wcupa.edu
  - For example, if Tom Petty were WCU faculty, his username would be 75tpetty.
  - Password = current WCU password (this will automatically update as you update your WCU password)

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3. From the main drop-down menu at the top of the screen, under *Assessment Units*, select your program or unit (e.g., CSM Learning Outcomes Computer Science BS or CAH Program Goals History BA).

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A Home		CHS Learning Outcomes: Health Science BS 2014 CHS Learning Outcomes: Health Science General Sports Medicine Studies BS	

• If you do not see the required assessment unit in your drop-down menu, contact the TLAC Assessment Faculty Associate at SLAssessment#wcups.edu.

### GENERAL NAVIGATION WITHIN THE ASSESSMENT UNIT

1. Once you have opened your assessment unit, you will see the vertical navigation bar/main menu in the top left of the screen and your login context view. The login context view can be changed using the icons at the top of the navigation bar.

? i 🗲	? i CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA > Home					
🖀 Home		Unit Planning Summary				
Assessment Un	it 🗸	Outcomes	Assessment Methods			
🖋 Unit Plan	~	✓ URC 1: Public Governance	2			
Course Planning	g 🗸	✓ URC 2: Public Policy Process.	2			
👬 Mapping	~	✓ URC 3: Analysis, Synthesis and Critical Thinking	2			
Data Taola		✓ URC 4: Public Service Perspective	2			
	~	✓ URC 5: Communicate and Interact Productively	2			
Reports	$\sim$	✓ Mission-specific Required Competency:	2			
Documents	~	Information Literacy.				

2. Each component within the main menu has a drop-down menu that allows users to navigate within the component. See below for examples.

	A Home	
	🟦 Assessment Unit 🗸	Assessment Unit ~
😭 Home	Assessment Unit General Information	- General Information
in Assessment Unit ∨	Assignments	- Assignments - Personnel
	Personnel	Unit Plan Personnel
Genera	🖉 Unit Plan 🗸	Course Planning
Assignments	Plan	Outcomes Mapping
Personnel	Desulta	<ul> <li>Course Outcomes</li> <li>Mapping to Outcomes</li> </ul>
	Results	- Curriculum Mapping

- 3. The following sections explore the most widely used components of the main menu and those that are most relevant to the WCU Assurance of Student Learning (ASL) initiative:
  - Assessment Unit
  - Unit Planning
  - Mapping
  - Reports
  - Documents

The other components are available to users but are not currently utilized as part of the ASL.

**Assessment Unit:** The Assessment Unit tab houses General Information, Assignments and Personnel.

<u>ش</u>	Assessment Unit ∨
	General Information
	Assignments
	Personnel

*General Information*: When selected, the General Information tab shows the assessment unit or program's:

- Mission Statement,
- Student Learning Assessment Plan Narrative, and the
- Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) Rotation Schedule.

Each of these areas can be edited using the editing icon located in the top right of the screen.

? i 🖃 🍸	章 CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA > Assessment Unit > General Information	
🖀 Home	* 🏦 CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA	c (
🟦 Assessment Unit 🗸	Mission Statement: The Master of Public Administration (MPA) is a professional degree designed for individuals with professional work experience who desire to enhance their administrative and public management skills, as well as for pre-service students who do not have professional experience. Students who lack public service leadership experience will incorporate a relevant internship into their	
General Information	program.	

Once you have selected the editing function, you can select the blue question marks to see a brief explanation of what should be included in each area.



Assignments: Assignments are not currently used for ASL purposes.

*Personnel:* When selected, the *Personnel* tab shows which WCU personnel have access to the assessment unit.

**Unit Plan**: The Unit Plan tab houses the assessment Plan (including program goals, SLOs, assessment measures and rationales, and criterion for success) and Results (including action plans to close the feedback loop).

*Plan*: When selected, the Plan tab shows the assessment unit/program's Goal and SLOs. Please note the carrot icons that allow each section within the tab to be opened and closed.

🖀 Home		▼	•	
Assessment Unit	~	🕨 🍨 Universal Required Competency 1: To lead and manage in public governance. (Active)	8 B	
🖋 Unit Plan	~	This is a contribute to the public policy process. (Active)     O	C# @	
- Plan		The provide the set of the s	28	
Results Plan		this interval Required Competency 4: To articulate and apply a public service perspective. (Active)     (Active)	8 B	
Course Planning	~	•      The Universal Required Competency 5: To communicate and interact productively with a diverse and changing workforce and citizenry (Active)	88	
Mapping	~	• 👳 Mission-Specific Required Competency: To assess and evaluate multiple sources of information in order to analyze public problems and propose evidence-based solutions. (Active)	28	
🖽 Data Tools	~	* 🖲 Outcomes	0	
Reports	~	In the second	එ ම	
Documents	~	scudents will lead and manage in public governance by demonstrating an ability to appraise the organizational environment, both internal and external as well as the culture, points, and institutional setting.		
۵		Universal Required Competencies (URC) are dictated by the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (WASPAA), our program's external accrediting body. Our program-specific operationalization of these URC's are the basis for our student learning outcomes, which also reflect our program mission, disciplinary standards and praxis. Outcome Status: Attive: Assessing Outcome Types: Learning, Programmatic		
		GRC 2: Public Policy Process.           Students will participate in and contribute to the public policy process by demonstrating an ability to describe the policymaking process, including defining the problem, setting the agenda, formulating, maintermenting, and evaluating, policy.         CP 4	අ ම	

Opening individual outcomes reveals assessment measures, rationales, criteria for success and related program goals associated with each SLO.



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The green plus icons can be used to add SLOs or measures. The edit icons can be used to edit the text and substance of SLOs, rationales, and criteria.

**Mapping**: The Mapping tab is used to show each assessment unit's curriculum map. Within the tab, *Curriculum Mapping*, is the only function currently being used for ASL purposes. When selected, the Curriculum Mapping tab shows a curriculum map in the form of a grid. The left vertical axis lists the program's SLOs. The top horizontal axis lists the courses where assessment takes place.

俞	Assessment Unit	$\sim$		4				
<b>A</b> <sup>1</sup>	Unit Plan	~	CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administ 🔻	Courses A-Introduced, B-P	Practiced, C-Assessed			
	Course Planning	~	Outcome	PPA 500 - Foundations of Public Administration*	PPA 501 - Analysis and Decision Making I*	PPA 502 - Analysis and Decision Making II*	PPA 503 - Public Budgeting and Finance*	PP/ Hu Ma
÷	Mapping	~	URC 1: Public Governance Students will lead	~		✓	~	
	Outcomes Mapping		and manage in public governance by demonstrating an ability to appraise the	АВС		АВС	A B C	
	Course Outcomes Mapping to Outcom	es	URC 2: Public Policy Process. Students will participate in and contribute to the public	~		~	×	
	11 0		policy process by demonstrating an ability	ABC		ABC	ABC	
	Curriculum Mapping	3	URC 3: Analysis, Synthesis and Critical	~	¥		~	
⊞	Data Tools	~	Thinking Students will analyze, synthesize, think critically, solve problems and make	АВС	A B C		A B C	
	Reports	~	URC 4: Public Service Perspective Students	*		~	<b>~</b>	
C	Documents	~	perspective by demonstrating an ability to	ABC		A B C	A B C	
	«		URC 5: Communicate and Interact Productively Students will communicate and	*				

Courses included in the course list/horizontal axis are maintained by Nuventive. The TLAC Faculty Associate and Assessment Coordinators DO NOT have access to add or edit the course list. Requests for changes must be submitted to <u>SLAssessment@wcupa.edu</u> using the Course List Change Request form provided on the TLAC website.

**Reports**: The Reports tab includes two options, *Standard Reports* and Ad Hoc Reports. The *Standard Reports* function is currently the only one used for ASL purposes. Programs interested in exploring Ad Hoc Reports and/or developing program-specific reports should contact the TLAC Faculty Associate at <u>SLAssessment@wcupa.edu</u>.

Standard Reports: Once selected, the Standard Reports function offers two reporting options. The ASL initiative uses the Assessment: Assessment Unit Four Column Report for its annual review and scoring process. The first page of the report includes all the General Information provided in the Assessment Unit tab of the unit, i.e., mission statement, student learning assessment plan narrative, and student learning outcome rotation schedule. Following this information, the report is formatted into 4 columns that show Outcomes, Assessment Methods, Results, and Action Plans.

Outcomes	Assessment Methods	Results	Actions
URC 1: Public Governance - Students will lead and manage in public	Student performance on Post-	Reporting Period: 2020-2021	Actions: See rotation schedule.
	Instructional Portfolio Assignment	Result Type: Inconclusive	This SLO will be assessed in AY

Once selected, users can select their choice of format (i.e., PDF, HTML or Word) and can use various filters. The University Assessment Advisory Committee (UAAC) uses the Reporting Period filter to run a report that includes only the results and action plans of the assessment cycle under review. Running the report without this filter will results in a report that includes all of the unit's historical data.

**Documents**: The *Document Repository* is located within the Documents tab. The Document Repository is where programs upload any documents or data referenced within their Unit Plan, e.g., broad assessment plans, rubrics, departmental exams, and assessment results. Once uploaded to the Document Repository, these documents can be linked within the Unit Plan and the Assessment Unit Four Column Report. Additionally, the qualitative results of each year's ASL review are housed here (uploaded by UAAC).

### ADDING DOCUMENTS TO THE DOCUMENT REPOSITORY

1. Open the Documents tab in the main menu to reveal the option for the Document Repository.

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A Home	Document Repository	
▲ Assessment Unit ~	CESW Learning Outcomes: Early Grades Preparation BSEd	0
🖋 Unit Plan 🗸 🗸	L. D General	2
Course Planning ~		
Mapping V		
🔲 Reports 🗸 🗸		
🗅 Documents 🗸		
- Document Repository		

2. Use the green + icon the add documents from your files or to link a Url.

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Places documents into Files	General	\$	
		Click to browse for files	
Urls		* Required field	
* Name	* Url	Description	

### **RELATING DOCUMENTS TO ASSESSMENT METHODS**

 Select Unit Plan > Plan. Scroll down and open Outcomes. Open Assessment measures. Use the green wrench icon to Relate documents such as rubrics, exams, assessment data documents, to a particular measure.

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• III Assess	nent Methods	•
<b>•</b>	Student performance on Post-Instructional Portfolio Assignment for required courses. This direct measure of embedded course work is an assessment of student learning outcome achievement best practice. Assessment artifacts are collected every semester and evaluated using a 4-point rubric. Results reflect the averaged scores of all artifacts collected during the assessment cycle. (Active)	<i>C</i> එ û
	Criterion: More than 75% of students will receive an overall satisfactory score (3 or 4 on a four-point scale) on the rubric designed for this outcome. This criterion reflects thos used by other, similar programs in our discipline and is approved by our external accrediting body, NASPAA. Schedule: Explained in narrative	e commonly
	Date Added: 11/30/2012 Active: Yes	Relate Document
	▼ Related Documents	Ø
	URC 1 Rubric	\$3
	Assignment	<b>Ø</b>
*	Student perception of improvement using self-assessment tool. This indirect measure of a student self-assessment survey is an assessment of programmatic and student learning outcome achievement best practice The self-assessment is administered in the beginning and the end of each student's degree program. Results	ළ එ ම

2. Drag documents from the Document Repository into Related Documents.

### **ENTERING NEW RESULTS**

4. Once you have opened the appropriate *Assessment Unit*, select *Unit Plan* from the menu bar on the left side of the screen.

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🖀 Home				
â Assessment Unit	~	Course Pla	inning Summary - Owned	
💉 Unit Plan	~		Courses	Course Outcomes
Course Planning	$\sim$	~	COM 100 - Internship in Computerized	0
🚠 Mapping	$\sim$		Communication	
Paparts	~	<b>~</b>	COM 112 - Communication Media Practicum	0
Шкеронся	~	<b>~</b>	COM 200 - Communication Careers Planning	0
Documents	$\sim$		1	

5. From the Unit Plan drop-down menu, select Results.



- Program *Learning Outcomes* (as identified by department/program assessment committees and individual assessment coordinators) are provided to the right of the menu bar. Each can be expanded by selecting the triangle immediately to the left.
- 6. You will need to expand the *Learning Outcome* to enter new *Results*. Once expanded, you will see each *Assessment Method* (e.g., Embedded Course Assessment, Survey Instrument, etc.) associated with the selected *Learning Outcome*.



7. To enter new *Results*, expand the individual *Assessment Method* and select **Add Result** (green +) to the far right.



8. Once **Add Result** is selected, the following data fields will appear: *Result Date, Result, Reporting Period, Result Type,* and *Notes.* All fields except Notes are required to save the newly entered data.

International Students will recognize t	he global context and how it relates to managerial decisions.
Outcome Types: Learning	
Embedded Course Assessme interview of the selfected the main of the students we be a students we be a student of the st	nt Globalization Essay in MGT200. Essay in which students must identify ways that the internationalization of the business nager. This is scored on a common rubric. ill score a 75% or higher on the essay.
* Result Date	10/17/2017
* Result	
* Reporting Period	\$
* Result Type	¢
Notes	

- *Result Date*: The *Result Date* is auto-filled and will reflect the actual date the *Result* is entered, unless manually changed.
- *Result*: See the University Assessment Advisory Committee (UAAC) Assurance of Student Learning Rubric (Appendix A) for guidance on what information should be included as an appropriate *Result*.
- *Reporting Period*: This data field includes a drop-down menu. The *Reporting Period* reflects the time of data collection rather than the time the data is reported. For example, when reporting for the November 1, 2017 deadline, you would select 2016-2017 as the reporting period because the data were collected in Fall 2016 and Spring 2017.
- *Result Type*: This data field includes a drop-down menu with three options: *Criterion Met, Criterion Not Met,* and *Inconclusive*. Select the appropriate option based on your stated criterion.



- *Notes*: *Notes* are an optional field and can serve as a great place to provide clarifying information. Be careful not to enter *Results* or *Action Plans* in this field. See the UAAC Assurance of Student Learning Rubric (Appendix A) for guidance.
- 9. SAVE your newly entered Results!



• In some instances TracDat will prompt you to save any new data before leaving the page; however, it is always better to be safe than sorry!

#### **ENTERING NEW ACTION PLANS**

- 1. Follow Steps 1 6 in the ENTERING NEW RESULTS section of this user guide.
- 2. Once the required data fields are completed and saved, select **Add Actions** (green +), found below the *Results* data fields to the right.
- 3. Once **Add Actions** is selected, you will see a new screen that reflects the recently entered *Reporting Period, Result Type,* and *Result,* as well as two additional data fields: *Action Date* and *Actions*.

2020 This SLO is	0-2021 Inconclusive		10/28/2021
▼ Actio	ns		0
	Actions See rotation schedule. This SLO wi	l be assessed in AY 2022-23. (10/28/2021)	
	Follow-Up		+
	Assignment		8
<b>o i</b>	Public Policy Process Students will p	articipate in and contribute to the public policy process by demonstrating an ability to describe the policyr	making process,
inclu	ding defining the problem, setting the a	genda, formulating, implementing, and evaluating policy.	
	Student performance on Post-Ins	tructional Portfolio Assignment for required courses.	
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	Criterion More than 75% of stu	dents will receive an overall satisfactory score (3 or 4 on a four-point scale) on the rubric designed for this	outcome
	Schedule Explained in narra	ative	
	2016-2017 Criterion Met	1	0/17/2017
	Overall, 80% of students received a sa	tisfactory score (3 or 4 on a 4-point scale) on the Post-Instructional Skills Assessments for related courses.	
	* Antion Date		
	T Action Date	10/17/2017	
	* Actions	Although the criterion was met overall, scores in PPA 503 Public Budgeting & Finance (76%) were lower	
		than scores in PPA 502 Policy Analysis & Program Evaluation (84%). Faculty would like to see an improvement in the PPA 503 results. Students in all PPA 503 sections will be required to complete an	
		additional assignment analyzing the role of resource allocation in the public policy process.	

• Action Date: The action date is auto-filled and will reflect the actual date the Action is entered, unless manually changed.

### **Results for Learning Outcomes Not Measured in a Given Assessment Cycle**

Not all *Learning Outcomes* are measured in every assessment cycle/reporting period. This is expected and is considered an assessment best practice. In an effort to be responsive to WCU's external accreditors, the UAAC asks that a *new, Inconclusive Result* be added with a note of explanation.

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- Actions: See the UAAC Assurance of Student Learning Rubric (Appendix A) for guidance on what information should be included as appropriate Actions.
- If an identified action is "discussion at the department/program level" a finalized, targeted action needs to be included immediately post-meeting using the *Follow-Up* function.

ыI	Evaluation Form End of Semester Field Performance Evaluation (either 598, fall or 599, spring), Advanced Practice Student Self-efficacy	•
	103         2015-2016         Criterion Met         08/22/2016	
	Aggregate data from field evaluations and student self-efficacy surveys indicates that in AY 2015-2016, 83.1% of students exceeded standards and 16.9% of students met standards. [more]	C 🖞
	▼ Actions	•
	Actions The Department will continue to actively focus on professionalism in SWG 561 and monitor outcomes. (08/23/2016)	6
	Follow-Up	•
	Arsignment	

### **RELATING DOCUMENTS or URLs TO RESULTS**

- 1. To relate documents or a URL, start by entering a new *Result*. Once you have saved changes, select **Relate Documents** (green wrench symbol) below *Actions*.
  - Please see Appendix A: UAAC Assurance of Student Learning Initiative Rubric for guidance regarding the appropriate use of related documents.

2016-2017 Criterion Met	10/17/2017	,
ourses.	tisfactory score (3 or 4 on a 4-point scale) on the Post-Instructional Skills Assessments for related	<b>e</b> 1
Actions		•
Related Documents		6

2. Select **Relate Documents,** which will open your *Document Repository* below the *Result*.



- If the document or URL is already saved in your *Document Repository*, drag and drop the document or URL into *Related Documents* for that *Result*.
- If you need to add the document or URL to the *Document Repository*, select **Upload New Documents** (green + in top right corner of Document Repository).

Document Repository	•
- CAH Learning Outcomes: Communication Studies BA	
SI ASL Annual Report and Results	
► 🗅 BA Com reports from 2014-15	
BA-CapstoneAssessmentReport09-10	
►	
- West Chester University	
- ZZ-Program Assessment CAS	

• Once **Upload New Document** is selected, a drop-down menu with folder options for document placement appears as well fields to search your computer for documents and relevant URLs.

				🖺 Save and Relate	-	Cancel
Places documents into	2014-2015 Assessment Materials ✓ 2014-2015 Assessment Materials					
riles	ASL Annual Report and Results General		-			
Urls						
* Name	* Url		Description			
		* Deguized field				

- Select the appropriate folder, find the document or paste the URL, and **SAVE AND RELATE**.
- 3. After the document or URL is saved and related, return to the *Result/Document Repository* screen and select **Complete**.

### ACCESSING AND MANAGING THE DOCUMENT REPOSITORY

The *Document Repository* can also be accessed directly by selecting and expanding the *Documents* tab in the menu bar on the left of the screen.

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? i 🗏 🕇	CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA > Document Repository	
A Home	Document Repository	•
▲ Assessment Unit ∨	- CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA	
🥒 Unit Plan 🗸 🗸	► 🗅 2014-2015 Assessment Materials	
Course Planning ~	ASL Annual Report and Results	
👫 Mapping 🗸 🗸	└─   Administration MPA.xlsx (03/08/2017)  General	
🖽 Data Tools 🗸 🗸	• West Chester University	
Reports ~		
🗅 Documents 🗸 🗸		
Document Repository		

Once the Document Repository is open, follow the same **Upload New Document** process outlined above to add new folders, documents, or URLs. Please see Appendix A: UAAC Assurance of Student Learning Initiative Rubric for guidance regarding the appropriate use of related documents.

### **REVIEWING/EDITING RESULTS**

1. After entering and saving your *Result*, select **Return** to see your *Results* organized by *Learning Outcome*. Alternatively, select *Results* from the menu bar to the left and go directly to *Results*, organized by *Learning Outcomes*.

P CBPM Learning Outcomes: Public Administration MPA > Unit Plan > Results	
<ul> <li>Public Service Perspective Students will articulate and apply a public service perspective by demonstrating an ability to identify, explain and apply or</li> <li>to public affairs, administration, and policy.</li> </ul>	iteria appropriate
Student performance on Post-Instructional Portfolio Assignment for required courses.	Ð
III Student perception of improvement using self-assessment tool.	•

- Communicate Effectively Students will communicate and interact productively with a diverse and changing workforce and citizenry by demonstrating an ability to
  - Expanding the individual Assessment Methods will reveal all Results and accompanying information for that Assessment Method in reverse chronological order (i.e., starting with most recent).
- 2. Select **Edit Result** to edit the text or any other information.

Actions     Actions Per the NASPAA MPA Assessment Plan, this competency and related learning outcomes will be assessed in the 2015-2016     If I are a first or

- *Follow-Up* actions can also be added using these steps. Please see Appendix A: UAAC Assurance of Student Learning Initiative Rubric for guidance regarding the appropriate use of the *Follow-Up* function.
- 3. Save your edited information and Return to the Results page.



### **RUNNING REPORTS**

1. To run reports, select and expand *Reports* from the menu bar on the left. Select *Standard Reports*.



• The Assessment Unit Four Column Report is the most common report, and is the report used by the UAAC when evaluating department/program assessment plans. The contents of the Four Column Report are described above. The image below illustrates a Four Column Report.

nent Result Type: Inconclusive N/A. In accordance with the accreditation Network for Schools of Public Affairs and	Assessment Plan, this competency and related learning outcomes will
(NASPAA), the assessment of universal re- competencies, mission-specific competencies is sti concentration-specific competencies is sti	Administration be assessed in the 2015-2016 equired assessment cycle. (08/03/2015) incies and assessment cycle. (08/03/2015)
four- seven year period. Per the NASPAA MPA / gned this competency was not assessed in the 2 reporting period. (JR/J3/2015)	Assessment Plan, 2014-2015
	Related Documents:

- <u>The UAAC recommends running this report prior to their annual review to ensure that</u> <u>all assessment data is clearly and accurately presented.</u>
- 2. Once Assessment Unit Four Column Report is selected, you have a number of options regarding layout, filters and other preferences. The UAAC selects only the Reporting Period under review for its evaluation; however, different variations of this report can be beneficial for internal department/program purposes.

### ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

If you have any questions or concerns about your Tracdat access or the availability of particular features, contact Allison Turner, <u>aturner@wcupa.edu</u>.

For technical problems, you can contact Nuventive Support at <u>support@nuventive.com</u>. Selecting the Contact Us link on the Account Login page can access this address.

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Contact Us				
Support is offered Monday thru Friday from 8:30AM to 5PM EST via email. Email support: support@nuventive.com				
	Back to Account Login			

# Appendix A

# University Assessment Advisory Committee Assurance of Student Learning Initiative Rubric

STUDENT CENTERED LEARNING OUTCOMES				
1	2	3	4	Score
No outcomes stated.	Some (less than ½) outcomes present, but with imprecise verbs (e.g. know, understand). Vague description of content/skill/or attitudinal domain, and non-specificity of who should be assessed (e.g. students).	Most (more than ½) outcomes generally contain precise verbs, rich description of the content/skill/ or attitudinal domain, and specificity of whom should be assessed (e.g. graduating seniors in the Biology B.S. program).	All outcomes with clarity and specificity including precise verbs, rich description of the content/skill/or attitudinal domain, and specification of whom should be assessed	

CURRICULUM MAP				
1	2	3	4	Score
No courses listed.	Some (less than ½) courses	Most (more than ½) courses	All courses have outcomes	
	listed are not linked to	have outcomes linked to	linked to them.	
	outcomes.	them.		

Assessment Measures				
A. Types of Measures				
1	2	3	4	Score
No measures indicated for outcomes.	Outcomes assessed primarily via indirect (e.g.	Most outcomes assessed primarily via direct measures	All outcomes assessed using at least 2 measures of at	
	survey) measures and	although some have indirect	least 1 is a direct measure	
	measures are not attached.	only.	(e.g. test, essay). Program	
			attaches the respective	
			measures (i.e. rubric, exam,	
			or exam questions, survey)	
			for measures under review	
			for this cycle.	
B. Rationale for Measure		I	I	
1	2	3	4	Score
No information is provided	Some (less than ½)	Most (more than ½)	All data collection processes	
about data collection	information is provided	information is provided to	are clearly explained and are	
process or data not	about data collection such	understand the data	appropriate to the	
collected.	as who and how many took	collection process, such as	specification of desired	
	the assessment, but not	description of sample, testing	results (including but not	
	of the process (e.g. 25	protocol, testing conditions,	sample adequate	
	of the process (e.g. 35	However several flaws such	sample, adequate	
	seniors took the test).	as uprepresentative	trained raters for	
		sampling inappropriate	performance pre/post	
		testing conditions, one rater	design to measure gain.	
		for ratings, or mismatch with	cutoff defended for	
		specification of desired	performance vs criterion.	
		results.		
C. Criteria for Success				
1	2	3	4	Score
No criteria specification and	Some (less than ½)	Most (more than ½) desired	All desired result specified	
justification provided	statement of desired result	result specified and justified.	and justified (e.g. Regional	
desired results for	but no specificity.	Gathering baseline data is	accrediting body, disciplinary	
outcomes.		also acceptable for this	accrediting body, or previous	
		rating.	student work).	

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Results				
1	2	3	4	Score
No results presented.	Current year's results provided do not include all of the outcomes and measures as indicated in the rotation schedule AND results are superficial (indicates achievement of criterion only) or absent (Data is not explained or presented/attachments are not clear).	Current year's results provided for outcomes as indicated in the rotation schedule for both measures but are not clearly explained.	Current year's results provided for outcomes as indicated in the rotation schedule for both measures. Results clearly explained (i.e data is presented and/or attachments are offered and clear).	

Action Plans				
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No mention of how program used prior results to evaluate OR improve student learning.	Action Plan is not present for all outcomes as indicated in the rotation schedule AND actions lack specificity as it relates to documenting strengths of curriculum OR targeted actions to improve the curriculum. (i.e. program action focuses only on discussion).	Action Plan is present for each outcome as indicated in rotation schedule. However actions lack specificity as it relates to documenting strengths of curriculum OR targeted actions to improve the curriculum.	<ul> <li>Action is present for each outcome as indicated in rotation schedule. Plan addresses either:</li> <li>✓ The identification of strengths within curriculum or ancillary services (i.e. tutoring/mentoring at university/department level) contribute to outcome achievement <u>OR</u></li> <li>✓ Targeted action that will be undertaken as a result of the weaknesses identified. Inclusive of a timeline of when (i.e. dates) and where (what courses) in the curriculum the actions will impact.</li> <li>If an identified action is "discussion at department/program level" a finalized targeted action needs to be included immediately post-meeting using the follow up function.</li> </ul>	