

## Assessment, Improvement, Measurement (AIM): 12/20/2013

**Plan Year:** 2012-2013

**Unit:** Education

**Coordinator(s):** Clovis Perry Jr, Karman Wheeler, Jenny Jones

**Reviewer:** Jenny Jones

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**Program Health Review:** Use the Annual Program Health Review to evaluate student achievement and, if warranted based upon analysis of the results, make program changes to improve student achievement.

Identify expected student learning outcomes, assess the extent to which these outcomes are achieved, and provide evidence of improvement based on analysis of the results.

**Measure Text:** PROGRAM HEALTH REVIEW - LEVEL 1

1. Program Health Review - Refer to the attached Annual Program Summary for longitudinal information related to enrollment, graduates, employment, employer and alumni satisfaction, and licensure pass rates.

2. Student Learning outcomes

Three student learning outcomes – Plan an assessment for each outcome identified, and assess the extent to which these outcomes are achieved, and provide evidence of improvement based on analysis of the results.

**Achievement Target:** Program Health Review Target - Maintain a level 1 assessment with comments from program coordinator, assistant dean, dean and vice president according to attached time schedule.

Student Learning Outcome Target - Student learning outcomes are identified, assessed on level of achievement, and evidence of improvement are provided based on analysis of the results according to the attached time schedule.

**Results:** Program Coordinator:

1. Strengths of the Program

The Education Program now employs a full-time faculty member that is in the process of contacting all current program students to ensure their Academic Plan is correct and their coursework is applicable to the credential they are seeking with BCTC and associated transferring institutions.

The Program Coordinator is also serving on a system-level sub-committee to strengthen the program requirements to match those of the NCATE standards as suggested by the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board.

The Program Coordinator is providing Education Program advising assistance to any staff/faculty and reviews all enrollments into BCTC education courses to ensure program students are enrolling in applicable courses to complete their credential in the shortest time possible.

2. Items Requiring Continued Attention -

The Education Program Coordinator will continue to monitor program advising to ensure increased program completion rates, and serve on applicable committees/workgroups to ensure program courses are viable and transferable to four-year institution partners.

3. Document and provide evidence indicating how last year's program review resulted in improvements in the program/department.

Last year's program review has provided the Education Program improvements in its Student Learning Outcomes by including the new KY Common Core Standards content within each Education course. This will provide updated standards and teaching strategies to our program students that will maximize student's pedagogical content knowledge in any discipline.

**AD Comments:** With a new program coordinator who has a vested interest and will be teaching in EDU, we look forward to assessing the number of students in the program and better identify those students as Para-educators or 2+2 program.

**Dean Comments:** Agree with the comments per the Assistant Dean and the Coordinator. With a full time faculty this program should move forward.

**VP Comments:** Landrea has provided strong leadership for this program, and Clovis is poised to provide such leadership as well. The ratio of full-time equivalent students to full-time equivalent faculty for Education is a very strong 23.5.

**Findings:**

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