

PROGRAM REVIEW STEERING COMMITTEE

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COMMITTEE FEEDBACK REPORT

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SECTIONS	Initial	Evolving	Established	Comments
Section I: Program Overview and Update	X			The program provided minimal information regarding its recent accomplishments.
Section II: Assessment & Student Achievement				
A.Student and Program Learning Outcomes Assessment	X			The program noted that SLOs are being revised. It did not note any assessment results from previous SLOs or action items for the program.
B.Student Achievement		X		The program noted differences in success rates by demographic group and student-level factors that may impact success. It did not identify any program-level factors that may be contributing to equity gaps.
C. Distance Education		X		The program discussed its distance education and on-campus success rates but did not discuss specific mechanisms for ensuring regular and effective contact.
Section III: Previous Goals	X			The program did not identify or report on any previous goals.
Section IV: New Goals	X			The program did not identify or report any new goals.
RESOURCE REQUESTS LINKED TO PROGRAM REVIEW GOALS				

Commendations: The Committee commends the program on its higher-than-average online course success rates.

Recommendations: The Committee recommends that the program identify overarching goals for the duration of this program review cycle that are informed by data, assessment findings, or labor market information. The Committee also recommends the program identify specific program-level action steps to address equity gaps in course success.

Additional Comments: