Curriculum & Assessment Committee Program Review Checklist

Program:

CIS

CAC Member:

Kathy Hayes

Date:

2/7/12

Please mark your response to the following statements (numbers before the statements represent the appropriate sections from the Appendix T Program Review):

Statement	Yes	NI (needs improvement or more information)	No
1. Program: The program is identified.	Х		
2. Review Period: The review period is identified. Generally, this is a	Х		
three-year period and is submitted in May, before the end of the spring semester.			
3. Submitted by & Date: The person directly responsible for completing	X		
the program review submits the review to the committee, through the			
division chair.			
4. Date submitted: Date submitted to supervisor.			Х
5. Program Mission: The approved program mission is included in the	Х		
 review. An effective program mission statement should be linked to the College mission statement and be written in a language so that students and parents can understand it. A mission statement might provide: A brief history of the program and describe the philosophy of the program The types of students it serves 			
• The type of professional training it provides			
• The relative emphasis on teaching, scholarship, and service			
Important characteristics of program graduates			
The mission should have previously been endorsed by the appropriate			
college committee and approved by the college President.			
a. Program Goals: The program would include skills the program seeks to	Х		
provide to the students in the program.			
b. Program History: This section describes the history of the program. This includes the date of implementation, significant milestones in the development of the program, and significant current activities.	Х		
c. Program Description: The program description describes the program, including its organization, relationship to other programs in the system, program design, degree(s) offered, and other significant features of the program.	Х		
d. Program Admission Requirements: This section describes the	X		
requirements for admission into the program and other requisites.			
e. Program certificate/degree requirements: This section specifies the	Х		
requirements for obtaining a certificate/degree in the program, including			
specific courses, credits, internships, practical, etc.			
f. Program courses and enrollment: This section lists courses offered in the program, including number of sections, and course enrollment.	Х		
g. Program Faculty: This section reports the faculty of the program,	Х		
including full-time and part-time faculty. The degrees held and rank are			
provided for the full-time and part-time faculty.			

h. Program outcome analysis: This section provides a concise analysis of the program health indicators data and assesses the extent to which the established outcomes have been achieved (Assessment worksheets #3, for three years). This is the most important part of the program evaluation. The health indicators data that will be collected and evaluated are the following:	X		
Program enrollment		X, but earlier years data is missing	
Graduation rate	Х		
Average class size			X
• Student's seat cost			Х
Course completion rate for the program	Х		
Students' satisfaction rate			Х
Employment data			Х
Transfer rate			Х
• Program's student learning outcomes (assessment worksheet #3, for three years)	х		
Student's learning outcomes for program courses (course level assessment reports)	Х		
i.a. Discussion of Findings: This section provides discussion of information discovered as a result of the evaluation such as problems or concerns with the program and what part of the program is working well and meeting expectations.	Х		
i.b. Recommendations: This section provides recommendations from the program on what to do to improve or enhance the quality of program and course learning outcomes as well as program goals and objectives.	Х		

Notes & Comments from Reviewers (refer to appropriate section of the program review)

Several health indicators missing: Average class size, student seat cost, student's satisfaction rate, employment data, transfer rate – no reference to it. Is this because there is no data available?