## **Institutional Effectiveness Weekly Report**



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

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The Office of Planning and Assessment will contribute to Texas Tech University's ongoing compliance with all external accrediting agencies and State of Texas mandates.

#### **QEP Survey Testing**

OPA has reworked the QEP survey to broaden the options for inputs from committee members. We removed the ranking feature and included two new sections. The first text entry asks for examples of current student wellness needs that are being addressed on campus, and the second asks for three student wellness needs that *should* be addressed. This allows us more context for the selected options based on the observation of the committee members and their awareness of current university programs for wellness and mental health. The second section requires committee members to provide three recommendations for the QEP. There is an open comment box at the end of the survey, similar to the previous design, asking for general questions, comments, or concerns. We are working on editing the language in the instructions and initial email and will also test the survey for clarity with other OPA and TTU staff. Our goal is to have the survey ready to distribute at the beginning of August so that we can perform a content analysis on all responses, making sure the analysis results are ready for our next meeting on August 23<sup>rd</sup>. You can preview the survey here and see a few screenshots of the survey in action below:



Thinking about student wellness, what are some examples of needs that are currently being addressed by TTU?

In light of the Wellness Committee report and current student wellness needs at TTU, please offer your three best recommendations for the QEP focus:

What are student wellness needs that you have seen on campus that should be addressed?

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Recommendation 1		
Recommendation 2		
Recommendation 3		



Texas Tech University faculty and staff will be well-prepared to meet OPA's faculty credentialing, assessment, and strategic plan expectations.

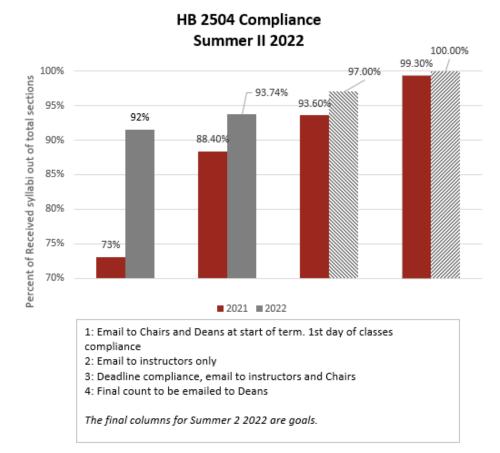
#### **Accreditation Across Campus Preparations**

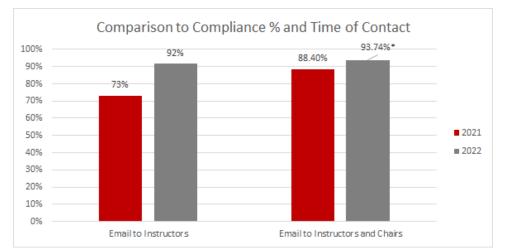
OPA maintains a list of institutional accreditations by department and program in accordance with SACSCOC Standard 14.4, "Accrediting Decisions of Other Agencies." This list was last updated in preparation for submitting the 2021 Fifth Year Report. OPA will begin contacting departments this summer to ask them to review the current accreditation information listed on our website and submit any updates. This process will be repeated again before the 2025 Reaffirmation to ensure the most accurate information.

#### Summer II HB2504 Update

#### The Summer II 2022 HB2504 deadline is July 13th

Summer II 2022 HB2504 reminders have been sent, and we are very pleased with the current status of missing syllabi. Our initial report saw just over 200 missing syllabi out of 2500 sections, representing just over 90% compliance. This is a huge improvement over 2021, which had a 73% initial compliance, and even 2020 before that, at 80%. We have already reached our ideal milestones for 2nd and 3rd contact after just our first reminder email, so this is a great thing to see!





The email to Chairs has not yet been sent. We expect this compliance percentage to improve slightly before our email to Chairs next week.



The Office of Planning and Assessment will continually monitor the university's compliance with laws, policy statements, and policies deriving from the State of Texas, THECB, and SACSCOC.

### **TxAHEA Registration Update**

As anticipated, registrations have slowed given that full-price fees have replaced the early bird discount. There are now 97 registrants in total. We currently have an institutional representation of 38 and have added 1 more corporate sponsorship. Invoices will go out to the 2 registrants that have yet to pay.

