

2017-2018 Assessment Cycle VPAF_Facilities Management

Mission (due 12/4/17)

University Mission

The University of Louisiana at Lafayette offers an exceptional education informed by diverse worldviews grounded in tradition, heritage, and culture. We develop leaders and innovators who advance knowledge, cultivate aesthetic sensibility, and improve the human condition.

University Values

We strive to create a community of leaders and innovators in an environment that fosters a desire to advance and disseminate knowledge. We support the mission of the university by actualizing our core values of equity, integrity, intellectual curiosity, creativity, tradition, transparency, respect, collaboration, pluralism, and sustainability.

University Vision

We strive to be included in the top 25% of our peer institutions by 2020, improving our national and international status and recognition.

College / VP and Program / Department Mission

Mission of College or VP-area

Provide the mission for the College or VP-area in the space provided. If none is available, write "None Available in 2017-2018."

We provide high-quality, cost-effective services in support of the research, education, and service missions of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

The Division is responsible for the University's physical environment and business operations that contribute to providing exceptional experiences for our students, faculty, staff, and visitors.

Mission of Program / Department

Provide the program / department mission in the space provided. The mission statement should concisely define the purpose, functions, and key constituents. If none is available, write "None Available in 2017-2018."

The Department of Facility Management is responsible for the overall maintenance and operation of the campus buildings, grounds and equipment on the UL Lafayette campus. In many ways, Facility Management acts as the backbone of daily campus operations. Our efforts ensure that students and faculty pursue their academic interests in a friendly, comfortable and attractive environment. These essential duties must be executed in a discreet and timely fashion in order to prevent the disruption of normal campus activities. We strive to provide such assistance while providing good relations with both the University and general public.

Attachment (optional)

Upload any documents which support the program / department assessment process.

Assessment Plan (due 12/4/17)

Assessment Plan (Goals / Objectives, Assessment Measures and Criteria for Success)

Assessment List

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Program / Department Assessment Narrative

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- 1) What strategies exist to assess the outcomes?
- 2) What does the program/department expect to achieve with the goals and objectives identified above?
- 3) How might prior or current initiatives (improvements) influence the anticipated outcomes this year?
- 4) What is the plan for using data to improve student learning and/or operations?
- 5) How will data be shared within the Program/Department (and, where appropriate, the College/VP-area)?

Assessment Process

Results & Improvements (due 9/15/18)

Results and Improvement Narratives

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Reflection (Due 9/15/18)

Reflection

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1) How were assessment results shared in the program / department?

Please select all that apply. If "other", please use the text box to elaborate.

Distributed via email

Presented formally at staff / department / committee meetings (selected)

Discussed informally

Other (explain in text box below)

Results were gathered and discussed by the various managers that oversee each criteria. We were able to establish a game plan to move forward in the upcoming year to meet or exceed the stated expectations.

2) How frequently were assessment results shared?

Frequently (>4 times per cycle)
Periodically (2-4 times per cycle)
Once per cycle (selected)
Results were not shared this cycle

3) With whom were assessment results shared?

Please select all that apply.

Department Head (selected)
Dean / Asst. or Assoc. Dean
Departmental assessment committee (selected)
Other faculty / staff (selected)

4) Consider the impact of prior applied changes. Specifically, compare current results to previous results to evaluate the impact of a previously reported change. Demonstrate how the use of results improved student learning and/or operations.

By looking at the changes from last year to this year we were able to identify areas where improvements could be made both in tracking the item we are assessing as well as the performance of the item. This will lead to more precise data and also help quantify the performance of our inhouse shops/employees.

5) Over the past three assessment cycles, what has been the overall impact of "closing the loop"? Provide examples of improvements in student learning, program quality, or department operations that are directly linked to assessment data and follow-up analysis.

We are able to see how productive our shops are and evaluate their performance of work. We are also able to see how our adjustments from previous years affect the performance of a particular goal which gives us data we can use in any future decision making processes.

Attachments (optional)

Upload any documents which support the program / department assessment process.