

**Assessment : 2006 - 2007 : Educational Support :**  
**Educator Preparation Services**

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# GOAL: Quality Educator Preparation Services

## Objective

### Advisement

Provide initial academic advisement as students prepare to and enter the educator preparation program.

*Associated Goals:* Quality Educator Preparation Services

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Advisement

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with Advisement

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

Advisement Evaluation Results

Satisfaction with service in advisement rated at a mean score of 3.51 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

### Action

Modify to improve advisement service

Discuss advisement-related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. Increase connection and communication with other educator preparation service areas to share information and improve service to students.

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## Objective

### Educator Preparation Program

Facilitate student's application and admittance in the educator preparation program.

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Educator Preparation Program Admission  
Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

## Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with Educator Preparation Program Admission  
Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

## Finding

Educator Prep Program Admission Evaluation results  
Satisfaction with service in Educator Preparation Program Admission rated at a mean score of 3.77 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

### Action

Modify to improve program admission service  
Discuss program admission-related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. To improve communication, develop on-line orientation to program application and make available on website. Improve assessment and communication of student status in the Educator Preparation Program.

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## Objective

### Field Experiences

Facilitate sequential field experiences (Levels I, II, and III) for teacher candidates in public school settings

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Field Experiences

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with field experiences

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

Field Experience Evaluation Results

Satisfaction with service in Field Experiences rated at a mean score of 3.69 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

### Action

Modify to improve field experience facilitation

Discuss field experience-related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. Develop features and navigation of new website to facilitate communication with students and faculty. Determine, implement, and effectively communicate new procedures for field experience.

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## Objective

### Practice Examination

Facilitate student preparation and administer practice examination that help prepare students for state certification exams.

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Practice Examination Administration

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with practice examinations

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

Practice Test Evaluation results

Satisfaction with service in Practice Test facilitation rated at a mean score of 3.51 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

This objective has no actions associated with it.

# GOAL: Quality Educator Preparation Services

## Objective

### TExES Examination

Support teacher candidates by providing resources, practice examinations, and recommendation for required state educator certification examinations.

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Practice Examination Administration

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with practice examinations

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

Practice Test Evaluation results

Satisfaction with service in Practice Test facilitation rated at a mean score of 3.51 on a five point Likert scale.

## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Areas Of TExES Facilitation

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with TExES facilitation

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

TExES Facilitation Evaluation results

Satisfaction with service in TExES facilitation rated at a mean score of 3.38 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

### Action

Modify to improve TExES facilitation

Discuss TExES-related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. Incorporate TExES approval service into new Educator Preparation Services area.

### Action

Modify to improve practice exam facilitation

Discuss practice test -related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. Improve procedures for administration of practice examinations.

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## Objective

### Teacher Certification

Monitor and facilitate candidates completion of program requirements and resultant recommendation for certification to the State Board for Educator Certification.

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## Indicator

Candidate Satisfaction With Service Area Of Certification Facilitation

Candidate satisfaction expressed as mean score using a 5 point scale from survey of student teachers.

### Criteria

Candidate satisfaction with certification facilitation

Target of a mean score of 4.0 as expressed in survey of 2006-2007 cohort of student teachers.

### Finding

Certification Evaluation results

Satisfaction with service in Certification rated at a mean score of 3.09 on a five point Likert scale.

## Actions for Objective:

### Action

Modify to improve certification facilitation

Discuss certification-related data, determine strategies and implement plan for improvement in 2007-08. Incorporate certification recommendation service into new Educator Preparation Services area.