

Support Service Department

Review Manual

2016-2017

Institutional Service & Program Review Committee

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Name of Program Under Review

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#### What is a review?

Our program review is a type of internal evaluation for academic, support and administrative groups.

#### What is the purpose of a review?

The primary purpose of a review is to foster improvement. The review process was designed to create a supportive climate for promoting continuous quality improvement. The review is intended to nurture innovation and viability. It will ensure the continuation of high quality programs and services at North Central State College. The review process of programs and non-instructional services support the College mission.

North Central State College exists for the citizens of its service region to attain the knowledge and skills to succeed in their chosen path of learning, work or enrichment, sufficient for the college to justify available resources.

However, the college must continuously adjust its menu of programs to fit local, regional, and state needs and requirements. Consequently, one must be aware that this review process may be used in administrative review that could lead to program change or even closure in rare circumstances.

#### The Institutional Service & Program Review Purpose and Charge

A review calendar was established in 2012 and is updated regularly and followed.

The Review Process was implemented to meet requirements established by the Ohio Board of Regents, but perhaps more importantly to help each area of the institution improve.

In 2013/14, President Diab, as part of a reorganization of the college's committee structure identified the following charge for this committee: "Evaluate progress of academic and student services programs or departments. Evaluate academic, support and administrative offices for mission congruence, fiscal stewardship, and interdepartmental integration and efficiency."

#### The Institutional Service & Program Review Committee (Program Review Committee)

#### **ROLE**

The Program Review Committee is convened by the College President and has the overall responsibility of initiating the review process and for providing necessary oversight, guidance and support to that process. The Committee maintains a calendar of reviews ensuring that all Programs and Non-instructional Services complete the review process within a 3year cycle. The Committee also establishes a schedule of reviews to be completed each academic year, establishing dates for a pre-review discussion with the program or non-instructional service, submittal of required reports and the Committee's response to the final report with recommendations to the submitters with a copy to his/her supervisor. The Program Review

Committee will be intentional about creating and maintaining a supportive climate for an attitude of continuous improvement to grow and flourish through the review process.

MEMBERSHIP

Chair and a Vice-Chair (a dean and a faculty member).

Members: One academic dean, Dean of Student Services, one faculty representative from each of the three academic divisions (Business, Industry and Technology, Liberal Arts, and Health Sciences), Director of Institutional Research, Accreditation Liaison, Chief Financial Officer, Controller, Chief Academic Officer, and Director of Marketing.

#### PRESENTING TO THE COMMITTEE

The Co-Chairs of the Committee will work with you to schedule your meeting and to help you prepare. The current Co-Chairs are Sara Rollo, <a href="mailto:srollo@ncstatecollege.edu">srollo@ncstatecollege.edu</a> (x4833) and Dr. Greg Timberlake, <a href="mailto:gtimberlake@ncstatecollege.edu">gtimberlake@ncstatecollege.edu</a> (x4740). Tom Prendergast of Institutional Research has been of tremendous help to all programs and services and is available at <a href="mailto:tprendergast@ncstatecollege.edu">tprendergast@ncstatecollege.edu</a> (x4712).

Please email your final report to Dr. Greg Timberlake, Co-Chair of the committee. Please also maintain appendix credibility by having pages mark the position of each appendix and have those appendices numbered or lettered appropriately.

On the day of your presentation to the Committee, we ask that you present a 5-15 minute summary highlighting strengths and opportunities identified in your report; following that the committee will ask questions; the entire session should last about an hour. A follow up report may be requested.

#### **GOOD LUCK and ASK QUESTIONS!**

Please feel free to point out typos or improvements you think would be helpful for this process or document at any time.

#### North Central State College Support Service Department Review

Department Title: Click here to enter text.

Date of Evaluation: Click here to enter text.

Date of Last Evaluation: Click here to enter text.

**Staff contributing to review:**Click here to enter text.

#### Directions for completing this review:

You are receiving the <u>INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE AND PROGRAM/DEPARTMENT REVIEW</u> <u>MANUAL</u>. Please address each Standard question(s) for your program/department. If an item does not apply to your department/program, please indicate it as "non-applicable" or "NA."

Please email the documents to Dr. Greg Timberlake, Co-Chair of the committee. Please also maintain appendix credibility by having pages mark the position of each appendix and have those appendices numbered or lettered appropriately.

This review is to be completed, including supervisor signature, and sent to Greg Timberlake one week prior to your review date.

#### How is the Program Review used?

- 1. To assess quality, effectiveness and relevance of the departmental/programmatic activities to the needs of stakeholders (2012).
- 2. To assess mission congruence (2014).
- 3. To assess fiscal stewardship (2014).
- 4. To assess interdepartmental integration and efficiency (2014).
- 5. To identify strengths and opportunities for continuous improvement (2012).
- 6. To develop and implement an action plans to address relevant opportunities (2012).3

**Note:** Beginning in Spring Term, 2016, we are asking both supervisors and those preparing reports to please make sure reports are well written in terms of grammar and sentence structure. Please seek help as needed from departmental or division administrative assistants.

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Supervisor Printed Name and Title		
Supervisor Signature	Date	

By signing, one insures that the supervisor has read the document and generally supports the contents or has had time to discuss this document with the principle author(s). The review can only go forward to the committee without supervisor's signature in rare cases and must include evidence that the supervisor has been engaged in the report. In these cases, the supervisor must sign the report within thirty (30) days after the presentation or the report must be re-done the following year.

**Note:** The fillable form may not compatible with the Apple version of Word. Please contact Linda Nicol, <a href="mailto:lincol@ncstatecollege.edu">lnicol@ncstatecollege.edu</a>, for an editable version of the document.

#### **WORKSHEET**

#### **Appendices:**

Please provide a list of appendices you have built into this report:

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#### **STANDARDS**

- I. Department's Purpose/Mission Statement and History:
  - A. Provide a succinct department mission statement and/or statement of purpose. The statement should be congruent with the College's mission statement of purpose and provide a framework for the goals and objectives of the department by addressing the desired outcomes of the ancillary support service department. Please state if your department does not have one.

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B. Provide a brief history of the department which might help us understand turnover issues or other changes that impact today's performance of the department.

#### **II.** Department's Programs and Services:

A. Insert the most recent Organizational Chart for your department.

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- B. Major functions and services
  - 1. List the major functions and services within the department.

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2. List services/functions that are needed which do not currently exist in the department and the reason why.

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C. What external developments, external agencies, and trends (such as legislation, demographic, professional practices) do you believe will have the greatest impact on the department's programs, services, and operation?

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#### D. Evaluation:

1. On a scale of 1-10, how would you describe the level of functioning (effectiveness, efficiency) of this department at this time? Explain your rating

Choose a value.

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2. For the past three years, summarize trends from the survey data provided by Institutional Research Department. (Place IR data for each trend being reported on in Appendix A)

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3. Describe and include how you collected survey data to evaluate the success of your department. (Place a copy of your survey tool(s) in Appendix B)

Note – if an evaluation process is not being used, please refer to the "Customer Service Survey Tool" document on the Institutional Service and Program Review Committee

website. The document provides sample customer service survey questions that may be helpful for developing an evaluation tool. The site can be found at <a href="https://sharept.ncstatecollege.edu/committees/l/program-review/SitePages/Home.aspx">https://sharept.ncstatecollege.edu/committees/l/program-review/SitePages/Home.aspx</a>

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a. What are the department's expected outcomes for general everyday responsibilities and how are they assessed?

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b. How do you respond to and incorporate recommendations and/or complaints from students, co-workers, or others?

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c. Describe any local, state, or national recognition the department received.

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4. What are the department's goals for this year and beyond (if any)?

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5. If applicable and in agreement between the department and VP, provide credible comparison data from other similar departments of other colleges.

## III. Personnel:

A. List all personnel by name and job title (full-time and part-time).

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B. List any personnel that are funded by grants or outside agencies.

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C. Describe any staffing issues facing your department.

# IV. Facilities and Equipment:

A. Describe adequacy of current facilities and equipment inventory. (If inadequate, out-of-date, or needs replaced (beyond repair), please describe).

# V. Finance: Contact the Chief Finance Officer for expense and/or revenue report place in Appendix C.

A. If applicable, from the data provided by the finance office, summarize the revenue generated by this department over the past three years.

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B. From the data provided, summarize the expenses of the department over the last three years.

# **VI.** Coordination with Other Departments:

A. With what other departments on campus does this department interact on a regular basis? Describe the interactions.

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B. What works well with these interactions? How are positive interactions fostered?

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C. What does not work? How would you suggest solving these problems?

## VII. Analysis, Recommendations, Actions, and Approvals:

A. What are the strengths of the Department?

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1. What plans are in place to build on the department's strengths?

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B. What are the challenges and/or areas of improvement for the department?

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2. What plans are in place to address the department challenges and/or areas of improvement?

# VIII. Comments

A. Comment on any other aspects of the department, its programs or services which you consider relevant to this review.