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General Information

#	Question	Answer
1.	Confirm logged into the correct institution's report	Confirmed
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5a.	Provide the URL (link) from the college website to the section of the college catalog which states the accredited status with ACCJC:	http://www.canadacollege.edu/accreditation/Accreditation%20Status.php
5b.	Provide the URL (link) from the college website to the colleges online statement of accredited status with ACCJC:	http://www.canadacollege.edu/accreditation/Accreditation%20Status.php
6.	Total unduplicated headcount enrollment:	Fall 2014: 6,752 Fall 2013: 6,828 Fall 2012: 6,929
7.	Total unduplicated headcount enrollment in degree applicable credit courses for fall 2014:	6,195
8.	Headcount enrollment in pre- collegiate credit courses (which do not count toward degree requirements) for fall 2014:	1,801
9.	Number of courses offered via distance education:	Fall 2014: 79 Fall 2013: 67 Fall 2012: 99
10.	Number of programs which may be completed via distance education:	0
11.	Total unduplicated headcount enrollment in all types of Distance Education:	Fall 2014: 1,891 Fall 2013: 1,641 Fall 2012: 2,238

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12.	Total unduplicated headcount enrollment in all types of Correspondence Education:	Fall 2014: 0 Fall 2013: 0 Fall 2012: 0
13.	Were all correspondence courses for which students enrolled in fall 2014 part of a program which leads to an associate degree?	n/a

Student Achievement Data

#		Question	Answer			
14a.		t is your Institution-set standard for successful student course upletion?	70%			
14b.	Succ	essful student course completion rate for the fall 2014 semester:	69%			
	set s cert emp	tution Set Standards for program completion: While institutions ma standards, most institutions will utilize this measure as it is core to ificates include those certificate programs which qualify for financia ployment. Completion of degrees and certificates is to be presented eives one or more certificates or degrees in the specified year may	their mission. For purposes of definition, and, principally those which lead to gainful in terms of total numbers. Each student who			
15.	a.	If you have an institution-set standard for student completion of and certificates combined, per year, what is it?	degrees 580			
	b.	If you have separate institution-set standards for degrees, what is institution-set standard for the number of student completion of per year?				
	C.	If you have separate institution-set standards for certificates, what institution-set standard for the number of student completion of certificates, per year?	280 401			
16a.		ber of students (unduplicated) who received a certificate or ree in the 2013-2014 academic year:	650			
16b.		ber of students who received a degree in the 2013-2014 demic year:	330 421			
16c.		ber of students who received a certificate in the 2013-2014 demic year:	320 401			
17a.		ur college has an institution-set standard for the number of lents who transfer each year to 4-year colleges/universities, what ?	240			
17b.	Num 201	ber of students who transferred to 4-year colleges/universities in 3-2014:	251			
18a.		s the college have any certificate programs which are not career- nical education (CTE) certificates?	Yes			
18b.	If ye	s, please identify them:	-ESL-Preparation for Academic Scholarship and Success -Latin American Studies -Bilingualism and Biliteracy in English/Spanish -University Transfer Certificate of Achievement CSU/GE IGETC/CSU IGETC/UC			

						-Pa	thways to St	udent Success	
19a.	Number of career-technical education (CTE) certificates and degrees: 46								
19b.	 Number of CTE certificates and degrees which have identified technical and professional competencies that meet employment standards and other standards, including those for licensure and certification: 								
19c.	Number of CTE certificates and degrees for which the institution has set a standard for licensure passage rates: 1								
19d.	Number of CTE certificates and degrees for which the institution has set a standard for graduate employment rates: n/a								
	2011-2012 examination pass rates in programs for which students must pass a licensure examination in order to work in their field of study:							rder to work	
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20.		Program		CIP Code 4 digits (##.##)	Examina	tion	set standard (%)	Pass Rate (%)	
		Radiological Technology		51.09	nationa	al	100	% 100 %	
	2011-2012 job placement rates for students completing certificate programs and CTE (career-technology education) degrees:								
21.		Program	l		CIP Coo 4 digit (##.##	s	Institution set standard (%)	Job d Placement Rate (%)	
		Radiological Technology			51.09		0 %	6 87.5 %	
	Please list a	ny other instituion set standa	rds at	your college:					
22.	Criteria Measured (i.e. persistence, starting salary, etc.)			Definition			Institution set standard		
22.		Persistence	Fall to spring					59%	
		Success in GE	course success rate in GE cou					71%	
		Success in CTE Success in DE	course success rate in CTE co				S	80% 53%	
				ourse success rate in DE courses 53			L	<u> </u>	
Effective practice to share with the field: Describe examples of effective and/or innovative setting institution-set standards, evaluating college or programmatic performance related and changes that have happened in response to analyzing college or program performance approximately 250 words).						to student achie	evement,		
23.	The steps for the College to set institution-set standards are as follows. Step 1: Creation of the student performance benchmarks and goals. This Dashboard is used to create college wide dialogue about program performance and student learning. These conversations are								

Student Learning Outcomes and Assessment

Question Answer

	Courses					
	a. To	otal number of college courses:			599	
24.	b. N	b. Number of college courses with ongoing assessment of learning outcomes			599	
		Auto-calculated fie	ld: percentage of total:		100	
	Courses					
		otal number of college programs (all certificates a	nd degrees, and other		42	
25.		programs as defined by college):			42	
	b. outcomes Auto-calculated field: percentage of total:				100	
					100	
	Courses	;				
		otal number of student and learning support actividentified or grouped them for SLO implementation		13	11	
26.		umber of student and learning support activities v ssessment of learning outcomes:	vith ongoing	13	11	
		Auto-calculated fie	ld: percentage of total:		100	
27.	URL(s) from the college website where prospective students can find SLO assessment results for instructional programs: http://canadacollege.edu/programreview/instruction.p					
28.	B. Number of courses identified as part of the general education (GE) program:					
29.		of GE courses with ongoing assessment of GE g outcomes:	100%			
30.	Do your institution's GE outcomes include all areas identified in the Accreditation Standards?					
31.		of GE courses with Student Learning Outcomes d to GE program Student Learning Outcomes:	222			
32.	Number defined	of Institutional Student Learning Outcomes	5			
33.	Percentage of college instructional programs and student and learning support activities which have Institutional Student Learning Outcomes mapped to those programs (courses) and activities (student and learning support activities).		100%			
34.	Percent of institutional outcomes (ILOs) with ongoing assessment of learning outcomes: 100%					
	ILOs, d	e practice to share with the field: Describe effective ocumenting accomplishment of ILOs in non-instructs, and the public about ILOs, or other aspects of	uctional areas of the collect	ge, infoi	ming	college faculty, staff,
	Cañada College assesses its Institutional Learning Outcomes (ILOs) on an annual basis in order to assure institutional effectiveness and promote continuous improvement. The college uses multiple means of assessment: (a) Data from a survey of students petitioning to graduate with a degree or certificate; (b) Data from Student Satisfaction Survey (c) Analysis					

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35.	of student ePortfolios. The results of these assessments are discussed by our participatory governance bodies, including the Planning & Budgeting Council, and appropriate action plans are developed. Please click on the link for detail: http://www.canadacollege.edu/academics/iloassessment.php The outcomes of the analysis of the student ePortfolios: Critical Thinking (ILO 1) was assessed at the basic or above levels by nearly all students, with nearly half of the portfolios demonstrating proficiency. Selection of information sources was the primary element with the highest average score (1.74). Evaluation and analysis of evidence, as well as synthesis of evidence and use of logic, both scored a bit lower (1.54 and 1.57, respectively). Communication (ILO 3) ratings were similar, with an overall average of 1.62 for the three elements of this trait. About half of the posted work did not include documentation, so correct format for references could not be assessed.
min	n of the following narrative responses is limited to 250 words. As you develop your responses, please be dful of success stories that can be reported in the last question of this section. We look forward to including information from colleges in our report to the Commission and the field in June.
	Please discuss alignment of student learning outcomes at your institution, from institutional and course to program level. Describe your activities beyond crosswalking or charting all outcomes to courses in a program (often called "mapping"), to analysis and implementation of alignment in the planning of curriculum and delivery of instruction. Discuss how the alignment effort has resulted in changes of expected outcomes and/or how students' programs of study have been clarified. Note whether the described practices apply to all instructional programs at the college (1,250 character limit, approximately 250 words).
36.	Faculty aligned Course SLOs with Program LOs and ILOs, using the Tracdat software system. The alignment reports (PLO to ILO and SLO to ILO) are available for faculty to make the "mapping" analyses more amenable and meaningful. Currently, course requirements and sequences within Programs are determined by content, prerequisites, and transfer requirements. The state-mandated Transfer Model Curriculum (TMC) degrees are expected to influence our degree requirements, as each of these TMCs becomes approved. To ensure that students who complete its programs are prepared for their chosen degree, license or employment goal, Cañada College has developed student learning outcomes, program learning outcomes and institutional learning outcomes. Student learning outcomes have been developed for each course offered through the College. Furthermore, the program planning model that Cañada College uses requires every instructional program to annually document its assessment of student learning outcomes serves as the foundation for planning improvement in teaching and learning strategies.
	Describe the various communication strategies at your college to share SLO assessment results for usage by internal and external audiences. Explain how communications take into account how the information is expected to influence the behavior or decisions of particular audiences. Discuss how communication of student learning outcomes assessment information and results impacts student behavior and achievement (1,250 character limit, approximately 250 words).
37.	Students are informed of Course SLOs on their course syllabi and the public at-large is informed of Program and Institutional SLOs on the college website. Assessment results at the course and program level often contain student-identifying information and so are available internally through TracDat and/or a SharePoint site. Faculty and staff review assessment results and report on the impact of these assessments in their biennial Program Review. The resulting program review documents are posted on the college's website to be viewed by students, the public at-large, and the college's Instructional, Student Services and Administrative Planning Councils for making resource allocation decisions.
	Explain how dialog and reporting of SLO assessment results takes place at the departmental and institutional levels. Note whether practices involve all programs at the college. Illustrate how dialog and reporting impact program review, institutional planning, resource allocation, and institutional effectiveness (1,250 character limit, approximately 250 words).
38.	Faculty and staff periodically review course and program SLO results at scheduled Professional Development days, for which adjunct faculty are given stipends to promote their participation. Assessment results are part of the biennial Program Review process which involves all instructional, student services, and administrative programs. Program reviews and program plans are posted on the college's website and are used by the Instructional, Student Services, and Administrative Services Planning Councils to make recommendations regarding resource requests. Reports of resource allocations are submitted to the college's Planning & Budgeting Committee.

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Please share with us two or three success stories about the impacts of SLO practices on student learning, achievement, and institutional effectiveness. Describe the practices which led to the success (1,250 character limit, approximately 250 words).
 Achievement measures played a stronger role than student earning outcomes in terms of student success. (Retention, completion, persistence, degree/certificate awarded, and transfer, etc. See #23.) Course SLOs assessment results and dialogues have stimulated individual faculty to take a good look at what they do in the classroom and why, and promoted dialog among instructors about pedagogy. PLO assessment results include sample sizes too small to make valid conclusions, and the few numbers of grads per major may keep it that way for awhile. With new development of college data dashboard which contains student achievement data, faculty and staff have access to the college data dashboard and are able to drill down to disaggregated subgroups. This function and capacity are able to help faculty and staff create actionable strategies to improve student success.

Substantive Change Items

#	Question	Answer
40.	Number of submitted substantive change requests:	2013-14: 1 2012-13: 1 2011-12: 0
41a.	Is the institution anticipating a proposal for a substantive change in any of the following change categories? (Check all that apply)	No changes planned
41b.	Explain the change(s) for which you will be submitting a substantive change proposal:	Ν/Α

Other Information

#	Question	Answer
42a.	Identify site additions and deletions since the submission of the 2013 Annual Report:	N/A
42b.	List all instructional sites other than the home campus where 50% or more of a program, certificate, or degree is offered:	N/A
43.	List all of the institutions instructional sites out of state and outside the United States:	N/A

The data included in this report are certified as a complete and accurate representation of the reporting institution.

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