Department Learning Outcomes Assessment Report

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Assessment Cycle	2021-2022
Department	Social Work
Date of Departmental Approval	
Name of Submitter	Andy Reynolds

Programs of Study Assessed by the Department in the Current Assessment Cycle

Which programs of study are you reporting on during the current assessment cycle? Please list those programs of study below. Submit a Program of Study report for each program.

- 1) Social Work
- 2)
- 3)

Add additional programs as needed

Implications for Department Budget and Resources

Consider the programs of study that you have reported on during the current assessment cycle and the action steps you have planned in order to address challenges in student learning. In light of the mission, goals, and plans of your department and the university, which one or two challenges in student learning that will require resources to address, are the most important for you to address in the year ahead?

Describe the one or two PLO challenges, the programs of study with which they are aligned, and the budgetary reallocations or requests that will be needed in order to respond to the challenge(s). If applicable, describe other resources, services, partnerships across campus, etc. you will need in order to address the challenge(s).

To address the social work program's challenge, it requires no resources.

Action Steps that Have Improved Student Learning

Improving student learning in a program of study requires implementing action steps and assessing student learning over time. If you have evidence from the current assessment cycle that the action steps you have been implementing have been successful, please describe the PLO, the action steps, and the pattern of assessment evidence that indicates a clear improvement or a promising trend in student learning.

Student learning continues to meet CSWE chosen benchmarks for Generalist level social work competencies.

Communicating Key Strengths to Relevant Audiences

Select one or two key strengths to share with relevant audiences. The strengths can come from any of the programs that you are reporting on during the current assessment cycle. Describe a plan for making this happen.

Our senior level students continue to meet benchmarks of competency for CSWE's Generalist level social work practitioner.

Naming and Submitting the Report

Each department will submit one **Department** Learning Outcomes Assessment Report

- Length of report is 1 to 2 pages
- Follow this example to name your file: 2022 Bus Tech -- Dept LOA Report
- Save report in PDF format
- Email PDF attachment to Sara Burke (<u>sburke@malone.edu</u>), Director of Institutional Reporting and Data Management OR submit via Google folder

Submitting Assessment Evidence

All documents that you reviewed to assess programs of study are stored in a centralized location in the Office of the Provost. These documents include but are not limited to raw data, results of quantitative or qualitative data analyses, tables, and graphs.

Paste or drag a copy of your assessment evidence documents into the folder for your department within year folder for the current assessment cycle. The folder structure is as follows:

Annual Assessment Reports > <u>Departmental Data</u> > Year > Department Name