RESULTS

Results or findings are the information collected through the Measures that tell the program how well students are meeting the Target. The Results should be a succinct summary statement.

When identifying whether or not the program met its target for a particular result, please refer to the following explanations and use the term that is most appropriate:

- x Exceeded: All data reported significantly surpass the target set
- x Met: All data reported achieve or surpass the target set
- x Partially Met: A portion of the data reported do not meet the target set
    - o Example 1: When reporting findings for two or more groups, one or more group achieves or surpasses the target but other(s) do not.
    - o Example 2: When reporting multiple Meets Standard Criteria, one or more Meets Standard Criteria achieves or surpasses the target but other(s) do not.
- x Not Met: All data reported do not meet the target set

How to Report Results

Results should address the following questions:

1. Do the results report on the information described in the target (a. percentage of students; b. standard of performance)?
2. If using percentages or some other calculated final tally, what are the numbers involved in creating the final result? (e.g., 87/94=92.55%)
3. Did the program clearly state achievement of the target (target status)?

Examples

Example 1: Test score target for undergraduate program, outcome – applied learning

Target: 80% of the students will score 80% or higher on the applied learning section of the exam.

Results: [1a] 75% [2] (9/12) of the students scored [1b] 80% or higher on the applied learning