

Health Education SLOAC Review Comments

Thanks for filing an assessment plan with the SLOAC. We have the following comments for you to consider:

1. We're curious why there is no "knowledge" outcome. Consider developing an outcome related to student knowledge of health education principles, theories, or concepts.
2. SLO 7: We don't believe the PRAXIS II exam not measures the ability of health teachers to communicate needs, concerns, and resources. We have concerns that you cannot require students to take this exam, which would make it difficult to use as an assessment instrument.
3. SLO 6: In addition to just attending a conference presentation, we'd encourage the program to think about developing a rubric to assess whether students learned anything.
4. SLO 6: We're not confident that attending a conference presentation necessarily means that someone will be able to act as a resource.
5. Some of these SLOs seem that they would be difficult to assess.

We encourage you to think more about your assessment plan. We'll meet and determine how we might proceed to address some of these concerns. Your first report will be due October 31, 2007.

If you have questions at any time, please contact Tim Borchers at borchers@mnstate.edu.

Thanks!