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UPDATES TO STUDENT OUTCOME REPORTING

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Reporting Policy Revisions

- 1) Focus on *graduates* instead of number of *certificates*
- 2) Job Upgrade, Continuing Occupational Education: COE definition
- 3) Secondary student courses must align with postsecondary certificates
- 4) Stand-alone course approval clarified
- 5) Community interest course provisions clarified
- 6) Completion & other rates calculated per need & context



Outcome Reporting

Program Length (hours)	Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training		Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
				Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		
1-599	GPL HC/MH	G*	HC/MH	HC/MH	HC/MH	HC/MH	Not Reported
600-899	GPL HC/MH	G*	HC/MH	HC/MH	HC/MH		
900-2000	GPL HC/MH	G*	HC/MH	HC/MH	HC/MH		

*Secondary Students Who Earn COE Accredited Post-Secondary Program Certificates

G = Graduate

P = Placement

L = Licensure

HC = Head Count

MH = Membership Hours



Certificate-seekers

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

Students enrolled in educational programs designed to provide educational and skill development experiences leading to workplace competencies. This mission-related, postsecondary training is approved by and reported to the Council on Occupational Education (COE).



Certificate-seekers *(continued)*

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

- **Graduate:** A student who has demonstrated required competencies and has been awarded an accredited postsecondary credential by the institution.
- **Placement:** A postsecondary student employed in a field related to instruction, enrolled in additional postsecondary education, or serving in the military.
- **Licensure:** State or federal industry licensure exam is required for employment in the field of instruction pursued.



Secondary Training

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

- Secondary students participating in accredited post-secondary programs.
- Minimum enrollment of one term as defined by the secondary education provider.
- Mission-related training designed to direct students toward an accredited program certificate (exceptions must be approved by the Commissioner of Technical Education).

Job Upgrade

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

Education providing individuals with the specific credentials, knowledge, and skills needed for career *advancement* (as opposed to maintaining one's current occupation). This mission-related, postsecondary training is approved by and reported to COE.



Continuing Occupational Education

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

- Individual courses that assist with *maintaining* one's current occupation (as opposed to advancing in one's career; *Example: annual licensure renewal*).
- Participants have previously attained a basic level of education, training, or experience in the occupational area in which they are enrolling.
- Courses are individually approved by the college instructional officer.



Other Training

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

- Students enrolled in basic skills courses required for entry into a certificate program (e.g., math, language arts, computer literacy)
- Students seeking training for reasons unrelated to a career (i.e., personal interest)
- Senior citizens

Self-Supported Community Interest

Certificate Seekers	Secondary Training	Short-Term Occupational Training		Other Training	Self-Supported Community Interest
		Job Upgrade	Continuing Occupational Education		

- Non-CTE activities designed to introduce the community to training opportunities at the college.
- Examples include Ballroom Dancing, Holiday Chocolate, etc.
- *These activities are not included in reported annual totals.*
- Courses are financially self-supporting and are offered only when similar community offerings are limited [UCA 53B-2a-106(2)(c)].





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THANK YOU