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PDAC Technical Assistance (TA) Credential Committee Telenet Minutes June 12, 2018 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Attendees:

Joan Longtin Julie Lindstrom *denotes co-chairs Karen McCarthy Lisa Downey* Molly Nord Sandy Young Sharyl Robin* Tami O'Daniel

Welcome

• Sharyl Robin and Lisa Downey welcomed attendees to the meeting.

Approval of April 10, 2018 Minutes

- Motion to approve made by Joan Longtin.
- Motion seconded by Karen McCarthy.
- Motion passed and minutes approved.

Entitled Route Pilot Schools move to Competencies

- With the shift to competencies, all pilot institutions have been asked to renew Gateways TA entitlement using competencies.
- The Technical Assistance Credential Committee previously approved Rasmussen College as a pilot institution for the Technical Assistance Credential.
 - We are not asking the committee to approve anything, but to look at the application and see if you have any questions or concerns.
- Rasmussen College realigned their current coursework to the TA Credential competencies in the Entitled Application (Attachment A) as well as submitting updated course syllabi.
 - Competencies build upon each other and all competencies are required to be assessed.
 For instance, since Rasmussen is entitled for Level 5, they would need to meet both
 Level 4 and Level 5 competencies.
 - Level 4 orange
 - Level 5 blue
 - Level 6 purple
- Since the overall program layout has changed for this pilot institution, the application will need to go through the entitled review group process for approval.

Technical Assistance Credential Committee sun-setting/next steps

- This is the final Technical Assistance Credential Committee meeting. Lisa Downey shared a timeline (ATTACHMENT B) put together by INCCRRA staff, highlighting the work that the TA Credential Committee has accomplished over the last four years.
 - Thank you to all that have served on this Committee and helped to shape the Technical Assistance Credential. A special thank you to Lisa Downey and Sharyl Robin for guiding the Committee in this work. Your dedication will long be remembered.

- The Technical Assistance Credential Ad-hoc Committee work is concluding, but Committee members will still be a part of the overall Professional Development Advisory Council and Qualifications and Credentials (QC) Committee.
 - TA Credential Committee members are encouraged to stay with QC or move to another PDAC committee.
 - QC is still meeting and we encourage you to use your talents on that committee. The field is ever changing and evolving, and we need everyone's input to keep work moving forward.
 - Any questions should be directed to Julie Lindstrom.

Adjourn

**These minutes were approved via email on June 18, 2018 by Karen McCarthy. **



