

University of Dayton
Premedical Programs
2011 Disciplinary Assessment Plan

Definition of the unit: The unit under assessment is Premedical Programs.

Mission and goals of the unit have not been developed. A primary goal for 2012 is development of the program mission and goals.

Outcomes included in this plan have been mapped to the following university-wide learning outcomes as listed in the University Assessment Plan:

Scholarship: All undergraduates will develop and demonstrate advanced habits of academic inquiry and creativity through the production of a body of artistic, scholarly or community-based work intended for public presentation and defense.

Community: All undergraduates will develop and demonstrate understanding of and practice in the values and skills necessary for learning, living, and working in communities of support and challenge. These values and skills include accepting difference, resolving conflicts peacefully, and promoting reconciliation; they encompass productive, discerning, creative, and respectful collaboration with persons from diverse backgrounds and perspectives for the common purpose of learning, service, and leadership that aim at just social transformation. Students will demonstrate these values and skills on campus and in the Dayton region as part of their preparation for global citizenship.

Definition of "players" – Dr. Kathleen Scheltens is responsible for all assessment related activities including the development of the assessment plan, as well as documenting and sharing assessment results.

Description of the process involved : Dr. Kathleen Scheltens develops the assessment plan, schedules assessment data collection including the following:

- Conducting the Senior Survey (April)
- Compiling medical school admissions data (October)
- Compiling MCAT results (October)

How assessment results will be used: Assessment results will be communicated to the Premedical Advisory Committee each year. Based on committee input, decisions will be made to either continue monitoring an individual learning outcome, revise the outcome or discontinue monitoring.

How assessment results will be communicated to constituents: Assessment results will be shared with Premedical Advisory Committee members and published on the Premedical Programs website.

How information will be reported to the University Assessment Committee: Assessment plans, revisions and reports will be submitted to the College of Arts and Sciences assessment coordinator for dissemination to the University Assessment Committee.

2011 Assessment Outcomes, Measurements and Schedule

Outcome #1: Graduates from the MED and DEN curricula will meet eligibility requirements to enter a medical, dental or other health professional school.

UD Core Student Learning Outcome: Scholarship

Measure 1: MED graduates will meet or exceed the national average on all sections of the MCAT.

Measure 2: MED and DEN graduates will have a 70% acceptance rate to professional schools.

Schedule: Data will be compiled and reported in October 2011.

Outcome #2: UD Graduates from majors other than MED/DEN who utilize the services and programs of the Premedical Programs Office will meet eligibility requirements to enter a medical, dental or other health professional school.

UD Core Student Learning Outcome: Scholarship

Measure 1: Graduates in other majors will meet or exceed the national average on all sections of the MCAT.

Measure 2: Graduates in other majors will have a 70% acceptance rate to professional schools.

Schedule: Data will be compiled and reported in October 2011.

Outcome #3: Graduates from the MED/DEN curricula will actively engage in community service.

University Level Learning Outcome: Community

Measure 1: 80% of graduating seniors will report that they have participated in community service during their undergraduate years.

Measure 2: 80% of graduating seniors will report that they have actively participated in a student organization or club.

Schedule: Graduate survey will be administered to graduating MED/DEN students in April 2011.

Data will be compiled and reported in Oct. 2011.