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## Valencia Campus Program Review Worksheet for the Secondary Education Program

### I. Mission:

The program is designed to meet New Mexico state teacher licensing requirements for the first two years of study for prospective 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade teachers. Applicants need a minimum of 26 credit hours and a 2.5 overall GPA for admission to the UNM College of Education. All courses offered are accepted by the UNM College of Education and apply toward a bachelor's degree with teacher licensure for secondary school teaching. Students may also apply this degree to qualify to work as educational assistants in the public schools.

### II. Goals:

General education and core requirements will articulate with all New Mexico colleges of education. Completion of the Associate of Arts in Secondary Education enables students to obtain either a Bachelor of Science in Education, or a Bachelor in Arts in Education upon transfer to a 4-year institution. The Secondary Education program offers opportunities for students seeking a teaching license (7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade) and experienced teachers interested in a scholarly study of their practice.

### III. Assessment:

| Student Learning Outcomes   | UNM Student Learning Goals (Knowledge, Skills, and/or Responsibility) | Assessment Measures Incl. Measure Type (Direct or Indirect)* | Performance Benchmark                                  | Data Results*  | Data Analysis*   | Recommendations for Improvement/ Changes*                                 |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|---|
| <u>Students will acquire knowledge and skills related to writing, speaking, and foreign language.</u> | Knowledge and skills  | Final grades in ENGL 120 will be tracked.                    | All students will pass ENGL 120 with a C or higher     | 100% of students passed ENGL with a C or higher.   | Target goal was met.   | The next time this SLO is assessed, a more targeted measure will be used. |
| <u>Students will acquire knowledge and skills in mathematics and physical &amp; natural sciences.</u> | Knowledge and skills  | Final grades in MATH 111 will be tracked.                    | 80% of students will pass MATH 111 with a C or higher. | 100% of students passed MATH with a C or higher; however, 1 student withdrew from the class. If that student is considered non-passing, the success rate is 80%. | Target goal was met, even when including the one student who withdrew. | The next time this SLO is assessed, a more targeted measure will be used. |

\* Secondary Education was not assessed the last cycle; in the future, we will assess different SLOs in the three areas of Education for more conclusive data.

### IV. Trends:

|   | Fall 14 | Fall 15  | Fall 16  |
|---|---------|--|--|
| <b>Enrollment:</b> 15   | 15      |  | 14   |
| <b>Gender:</b> (1 missing)<br>Female: 5<br>Male: 9  |         | Female: 7<br>Male: 8   | Female: 8<br>Male: 6   |
| <b>Ethnicity:</b> (3 missing)<br>American Indian: 1<br>Hispanic: 10<br>White: 3<br>Unknown: 1 |         | American Indian: 1<br>African American: 0<br>Hispanic: 9<br>White: 5<br>Unknown: 0 | American Indian: 2<br>African American: 0<br>Hispanic: 7<br>White: 5<br>Unknown: 0 |
| <b>Graduates:</b> 25 * Data did not specify if these were in Secondary Education              | 9       |  | 4  |
| <b>Transfers to Main:</b> 13 * Data did not specify if these were in Secondary Education      | 1       |  | 0  |

**V. Funding:**

The Secondary Education Program has just one full-time, lecture-track faculty member with an MA in Education who specializes in ECME, so we do not have a full-time Elementary Education instructor. 60-61 out of the program's 60-61 credit hours are core courses from Writing, Mathematics, Physical and Social Sciences, Humanities, and Social Sciences. *Natural*

**VI. Articulation:**

The program aligns well with UNM requirements: The program is designed to meet New Mexico state teacher licensing requirements for the first two years of study for prospective 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade teachers. All courses offered are accepted by the UNM College of Education and apply toward a bachelor's degree with teacher licensure for secondary school teaching.

**VII. Summary:**

The Secondary Education Program is popular among our students, although the data suggests that there is a decrease in enrollment. In order to generate more interest in the program, Ms. Goodhue has been asked by our *Student Affairs* Student Services Director Hank Vigil, to work with local high school administrators to promote the program at an upcoming Teacher Licensure event. She has also been asked to communicate how UNM Valencia can support high-school students in their efforts, and potentially get some of our Education Majors employed in the field that they are studying.