

## UNIT REPORT

**FY24 Assessment Plan**

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**Department Mission****Description:**

The Dean of Students office is committed to student success. We advocate for students as they navigate personal and educational challenges, educate to promote a respectful and safe campus environment, and engage parent and family members as partners in the educational process.

**Date last revised:****Department Vision****Description:**

The Dean of Students office will establish itself as the premier campus leader in creating opportunities to engage and support students and their families in a meaningful Cougar experience that positively impacts student success.

**Date last revised:****1 Recidivism Rates of Students in the CARE and Student Conduct Process**

**Program/Service Being Assessed:** The Student Conduct Process and Student Outreach and Support Services.

**Assessment Method:** Both (quantitative and qualitative)

**Description of Assessment Activity:**

DOS will assess the recidivism rates of students that are referred to the Dean of Students Office for both alleged behavioral student conduct violations and wellbeing concerns that were referred to the CARE team in comparison to students that only go through the student conduct process.

The goal is to assess if the layer support reduces the number of repeat student conduct violators in an academic year.

**Frequency / Timeline of Assessment Activity:**

The data will be analyzed after spring 2024. The assessment will be completed by August 2024.

**Connection to Goals/Mission:**

This activity relates to our commitment to student success by examining if DOS and Student Outreach Services layered together have a greater impact in helping students navigate personal and educational challenges.

**2 Commuter Students Mentor Program**

**Program/Service Being Assessed:** Commuter Students Mentor Program

**Assessment Method:** Both (quantitative and qualitative)

**Description of Assessment Activity:**

Assess if mentees in the Commuter Services program who attend five or more engagement/educational opportunity in the Commuter Services program will achieve a higher grade point average and higher credit hour accumulation for the academic year in comparison to mentees that attend four or less engagement/educational opportunity in the program.

**Frequency / Timeline of Assessment Activity:**

This will be a reoccurring assessment . The data will be analyzed by the conclusion of spring 2024 and completed by August 2024.

**Connection to Goals/Mission:**

This goal advances student success and will provide high impact educational experiences which aligns with the DOS mission.

**3 Benchmarking: Student Conduct Standard of Conduct and Sanctions**

**Program/Service Being Assessed:** Student Conduct Code

**Assessment Method:** Qualitative

**Description of Assessment Activity:**

Assess if the UH Student Conduct Code standards and sanctions are aligned with best practices in the Big XII and peer universities.

**Frequency / Timeline of Assessment Activity:**

Assessment will be completed by July 2024.

**Connection to Goals/Mission:**

This aligns with DOS commitment to promote a respectful and safe campus environment.

