Regional Research Convening

College Team Worksheet

College Team Activity 1a  |  Your College's Findings (10:30 – 11:30)

The purpose of this activity is to engage your team with your college’s findings and identify areas of further inquiry and exploration. Use the following questions as a guide and record highlights from your discussion in the box below.

1. Which of these findings resonate most with you and your work with students?
2. Do you believe these findings reflect the students at your college? If yes, how? If no, why not?
3. What, if anything, have you already done to act on or explore these findings at your institution?
4. What additional questions do these findings raise for you as you consider strengthening student support on your campus?

Discussion Highlights:

College Team Activity 1b  |  Student Success Factor Selection (11:30 – 11:45)

Based on your discussion of the college’s findings, identify one student success factor (i.e., Directed, Focused, Nurtured, Connected, Engaged, Valued) for deeper investigation.

Student Success Factor to be explored: _____________________________
College Team Activity 2 | Your College's Current Practice
(12:30 – 12:50)

Review the findings in your college report as they relate to the selected student success factor. Use the series of questions provided by your facilitator for your selected success factor to support your exploration.

Discussion Highlights:
College Team Activity 3  |  Student Suggestions for Action  
(12:50 – 1:10)

Review the student suggestions for action for the selected student success factor and determine which suggestions to explore further. Use the following questions to guide your exploration. Record highlights from your discussion in the boxes below.

1. What are your initial reactions to the students’ suggestions?
2. When you review these suggestions from students, which practices seem most actionable?
3. What opportunities and challenges do you see to being responsive to students’ suggestions?
4. In what ways could students’ suggestions be addressed in light of current budget constraints?
5. How do these suggestions relate to other high-priority success factors your college is hoping to address?

Discussion Highlights:
College Team Activity 4a  | Your Ideas for Action  
(1:10 – 1:30)

Based on your college’s current practices and student suggestions, brainstorm ideas for action related to the selected student success factor.

Discussion Highlights:
College Team Activity 4b | Your Next Steps
(1:30-1:55)

Given this convening process, what next step(s) will you take when you return to your campus?

Discussion Highlights: