

Education & Training Career Cluster

- 1. Apply communication skills with students, parents and other groups to enhance learning and a commitment to learning.
 - <u>ED 1.1:</u> Provide information using motivational and engaging communication techniques. *Sample Indicators:*
 - *Identify data and explain relevance to audience and context.*
 - Explain the significance of the tone, volume, rate and clarity of voice in communication.
 - *Use concise, coherent organization.*
 - Use language, terminology and complexity suitable to audience and sensitive to culture and gender.
 - Address multiple intelligences and modalities through use of multiple mediums.
 - <u>ED 1.2:</u> Enlist stakeholder commitment using persuasive communication techniques. *Sample Indicators:*
 - Create awareness of problem and explain relevance to audience and context.
 - Propose needed action and the role of the audience in that action.
 - Create visualization of effects of proposed action.
 - ED 1.3: Use non-verbal communication to enhance verbal communication.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain the congruency between non-verbal and verbal communication.
- Describe intentional use of appearance, gesture and tone of voice.
- ED 1.4: Customize communication messages to fit the audience members.

Sample Indicators:

- Describe audience characteristics.
- Explain alignment of communication components to audience characteristics.
- ED 1.5: Recognize and address barriers to oral communication.

Sample Indicators:

- Address language barriers.
- Explain alignment of communication components to audience characteristics.
- ED 1.6: Give clear verbal directions.

- Organize steps logically.
- *Use language, terminology and complexity suitable to audience.*
- Reference prior knowledge and experience of audience.



- Address both content and processes.
- *Use appropriate volume, rate and clarity of voice.*

ED 1.7: Utilize feedback to improve communication.

Sample Indicators:

- Interpret verbal and non-verbal feedback.
- Allow appropriate response time based on audience and context.
- Adapt communication based on feedback.

ED 1.8: Utilize discussion skills.

Sample Indicators:

- Construct objectives for the discussion.
- Describe evidence that participants actively contributed.
- *Maintain focus on discussion topic.*
- Explain evidence that participants' understanding of the topic advanced after discussion.

ED 1.9: Utilize questioning skills.

Sample Indicators:

- Describe evidence that participants' understanding of the topic advanced after participation.
- Create questions that are suitable for audience and context in terms of Bloom's Taxonomy of higher-order thinking.

<u>ED 1.10:</u> Apply listening skills to enhance learning and stakeholder investment in learning organization.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain components of active listening
- Describe barriers to effective listening.

ED 1.10: Follow verbal directions.

Sample Indicators:

- Follow directions completely and precisely
- Demonstrate appropriate response to directions

2. Demonstrate effective oral, written and multimedia communication in multiple formats and contexts.

ED 2.1: Write informational correspondence to stakeholders in the learning environment.

- Use language, terminology and complexity suitable to audience.
- *Use concise, coherent organization.*



- Explain the significance of the tone of the correspondence and the need for sensitivity to culture and gender.
- ED 2.2: Write summative reports regarding the learning environment.

Sample Indicators:

- Recognize data.
- Address both positive and negative aspects of the topic.
- <u>ED 2.3:</u> Write requests for funding, resources and services in the learning setting.

Sample Indicators:

- Describe required formatting and components.
- Use language and terminology suitable to audience.
- Recognize data.
- Use persuasive communication.
- <u>ED 2.4:</u> Employ graphic communication to enhance learning and stakeholder investment in learning organization.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain relevance to audience and context.
- Use complexity suitable to audience.
- <u>ED 2.5:</u> Write business communications, reports and position papers on issues affecting learning environments and/or educational organizations.

- Recognize data.
- Synthesize multiple sources of information.
- *Use coherent organization.*
- *Use language and terminology suitable to audience with sensitivity to culture and gender.*
- 3. Use critical thinking to process educational communications, perspectives, policies and/or procedures.
 - <u>ED 3.1:</u> Analyze the diversity of objectives and perspectives of multiple stakeholders. *Sample Indicators:*
 - Demonstrate respect for multiple viewpoints.
 - Explain underlying assumptions of multiple viewpoints.
 - *Identify common ground among multiple viewpoints.*
 - <u>ED 3.2:</u> Analyze educational, public and organizational policies and procedures. *Sample Indicators:*



- Predict the impact of policies and procedures on educational facilities, instructional strategies and goals.
- Explain options for aligning educational facilities, policies and procedures with instructional goals.
- 4. Evaluate and manage risks to safety, health and the environment in education and training settings.

<u>ED 4.1:</u> Evaluate equipment and facility safety within the learning environment. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify potential hazards related to equipment and building codes.*
- Explain procedures for documenting and reporting hazards to appropriate authorities.
- Explain appropriate corrective actions for equipment and building hazards.
- Describe system for monitoring compliance with relevant equipment and facility safety procedures.

<u>ED 4.2:</u> Control risks to individual health and safety in the learning setting. *Sample Indicators:*

- Identify appropriate infection control procedures and assess strategies/methods to control risks.
- Describe universal precautions for blood-borne pathogens and the procedures for responding to and reporting exposure.
- Explain procedures related to recognition of and responses to controlled substance risks.
- *Describe safe body mechanics relevant to the learning setting.*
- Describe safe ergonomics relevant to the learning setting.
- Explain procedures related to criminal background checks, if appropriate to the learning setting.
- *Identify governmental regulations regarding worker and learner safety.*
- Describe fire precautions and response procedures.
- Describe procedures for responding to violent and threatening behaviors, health risks and fire emergencies.
- Describe procedures for documenting and reporting violent and threatening behaviors, health risks and fire emergencies.
- *Identify risks to psychological health in the learning setting.*
- Explain appropriate responses to psychological risks.
- Monitor compliance with relevant individual health and safety regulations and procedures.
- Identify types of bullying and develop appropriate strategies/methods for dealing with bullying.

ED 4.3: Control environmental health and safety in the learning setting.

- *Identify potential hazards.*
- Inspect the setting for environmental safety hazards.
- Describe corrective actions for potential hazards.



- Explain safe practices for the storage and use of hazardous materials.
- Monitor compliance with relevant environmental health and safety regulations and procedures.
- Describe procedures for documenting and reporting environmental hazards to appropriate authorities.

5. Demonstrate group collaboration skills to enhance professional education and training practice.

ED 5.1: Employ interpersonal skills to enhance professional practice.

Sample Indicators:

- Use collaboration skills.
- Use compromise skills.
- Use conflict resolution techniques.
- Use consultation skills.
- Use mentoring skills.
- *Use motivational strategies.*

ED 5.2: Employ group processes knowledge and skills to enhance professional practice.

Sample Indicators:

- *Use parliamentary procedure.*
- Conduct productive and efficient meetings.
- Build consensus among stakeholders.

6. Analyze ethical and legal policies of professional education and training practice.

ED 6.1: Explain major laws that govern behavior within learning settings.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain major laws affecting a variety of issues in learning settings.
- Explain personal and organizational liabilities associated with major laws.
- *Identify regulatory agencies.*
- *Identify sources for updating information on legal boundaries.*
- *Identify sources for obtaining assistance in interpreting legal responsibilities.*
- Explain consequences of non-compliance.

ED 6.2: Analyze ethical responsibilities in professional practice within learning settings.

- *Identify sources of applicable ethical codes.*
- Analyze applicable ethical codes.
- Explain personal and organizational liabilities associated with ethical codes.
- *Identify regulatory agencies.*
- *Identify sources for updating information on ethical boundaries.*



- Identify sources for obtaining assistance in interpreting ethical responsibilities.
- Explain consequences of non-compliance.

<u>ED 6.3</u>: Explain institutional policies and procedures that relate to ethical and legal behavior.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain rationale for policies and procedures.
- Analyze expected effects of compliance and non-compliance.
- Explain consequences of non-compliance.

7. Explain legal rights that apply to individuals and practitioners within education and training settings.

<u>ED 7.1:</u> Explain major laws that govern behavior within learning settings.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain rights of expression.
- Explain nondiscrimination rights.
- Explain rights to due process.
- Explain privacy rights.

ED 7.2: Explain legal rights of professional practitioners within learning settings.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain rights of expression.
- Explain nondiscrimination rights.
- Explain rights to due process.
- Explain privacy rights.

8. Demonstrate ethical and legal behavior within and outside of education and training settings.

ED 8.1: Perform work duties according to legal boundaries.

Sample Indicators:

- *Comply with applicable law.*
- Document, record and report required information.
- Comply with financial audit requirements.

ED 8.2: Perform work duties in accordance with legal rights of stakeholders and coworkers.

Sample Indicators:

- Comply with applicable law.
- Encourage others to comply with applicable law.

ED 8.3: Perform work duties according to ethical boundaries.



- Explain how decision-making and actions taken are aligned with commitments to learners and the profession.
- Analyze ethical dilemmas.
- Propose responses to ethical dilemmas.
- Maintain confidentiality.
- 9. Describe state-specific professional development requirements to maintain employment and to advance in an education and training career.

ED 9.1: Complete professional development requirements.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify appropriate sources of professional development.*
- *Identify timelines*.
- Obtain documentation from issuing institutions/agencies.
- Develop a continual improvement plan through professional development, technical workshops, conferences and/or college coursework and involvement in professional organizations.

ED 9.2: Complete assessments of knowledge and skills.

Sample Indicators:

Identify timelines.

- Complete applicable internal assessments.
- Complete applicable external assessments.
- Obtain documentation of successful completion.
- 10. Apply organizational skills and logic to enhance professional education and training practice.

<u>ED 10.1:</u> Employ record keeping skills to enhance professional practice and meet accountability standards.

Sample Indicators:

- Apply various strategies.
- Explain alignment of strategies to educational objectives.
- 11. Demonstrate group management skills that enhance professional education and training practice.

ED 11.1: Explain conditions that contribute to a receptive working climate.

- Explain the role of trust among those working together.
- Explain strategies for establishing trust among individuals.
- Explain the role of respect among those working together.
- Explain strategies for establishing respect among individuals.



<u>ED 11.2:</u> Use environment to enhance work productivity, efficiency and quality. *Sample Indicators:*

- Explain ways that spatial arrangements enhance productivity, efficiency and quality of work.
- Explain ways that environmental conditions are engineered to meet needs of those working in the environment.

Administration & Administrative Support Career Pathway (ED-ADM)

1. Use research-based practices to develop, communicate and enlist support for a vision of success for all learners.

<u>ED-ADM 1.1:</u> Develop and communicate a vision of success to inspire all learners and stakeholders. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify learning goals appropriate for different societal groups.*
- Integrate needs and characteristics of diverse learners.
- Describe the educational organization as a complex social, cultural and economic system.
- Apply theories and strategies of social and organizational change.
- Explain the ways that data-based research strategies and strategic planning inform the vision.
- Employ multiple means of communication.

<u>ED-ADM 1.2:</u> Develop plans, strategies and processes to implement vision that is promoted with stakeholder involvement.

Sample Indicators:

- Formulate motivational strategies.
- Interpret data that predicts success of implementation plans and processes.
- *Create positive relationships with families and caregivers.*
- Create productive relationships with community partners.
- Design short-and long-term plans.
- Develop and maintain records regarding progress with vision.

<u>ED-ADM 1.3:</u> Employ a vision of success plan that motivates all learners and stakeholders to share the vision.

- Practice persuasive communication.
- Formulate a data-driven system for monitoring and evaluating realization of vision.
- Revise vision based on data-based evaluation.
- Express commitment to continuous and sustainable improvement.
- Monitor and evaluate progress and revise plans.



2. Identify behaviors necessary for developing and sustaining a positive learning culture.

ED-ADM 2.1: Define strategies to assess the learning climate.

Sample Indicators:

- Create culture of collaboration, trust, learning and high expectations.
- Collect and analyze data and information pertinent to the educational environment.
- Analyze subgroup data.

ED-ADM 2.2: Select context-appropriate strategies to capitalize on diversity.

Sample Indicators:

- Support understanding, appreciation and use of the community's diverse cultural, social and intellectual resources.
- Review and evaluate language diversity.
- Review and evaluate disabilities.
- Review and evaluate gender differences.
- Review and evaluate race and ethnicity differences.
- Review and evaluate the impact of socioeconomic status.

3. Create instructional programs to meet the learning organization's objectives.

<u>ED-ADM 3.1:</u> Construct an organizational profile to describe learner needs.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain diverse needs of learners.
- Explain performance standards.
- Create a comprehensive, rigorous and coherent curricular program.
- Manage time spent on quality instruction and correlate success via data.

ED-ADM 3.2: Evaluate instructional programs to determine alignment with organizational objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- *Utilize multiple measurement and assessment strategies.*
- Explain alignment with organizational objectives.

<u>ED-ADM 3.3:</u> Use technology and information systems to meet instructional objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Integrate use of technology and information systems into each instructional program.
- Utilize technology and information systems to monitor success of instructional programs.

ED-ADM 3.4: Utilize appropriate resources to support instructional programs.

- Discuss with instructional staff concerning program needs.
- Identify multiple sources of resources.



4. Identify instructional practices that meet the learning organization's objectives.

ED-ADM 4.1: Construct a profile of learner performance to assess needs of learners.

- Sample Indicators:
 - *Utilize appropriate research strategies.*
 - Analyze differences among subgroups.

<u>ED-ADM 4.2:</u> Employ strategies to promote research-based instructional practice.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify data-based, effective practice strategies.*
- Explain alignment between practices and human development theory.
- Explain alignment between practices and learning theories.
- Explain alignment with individual differences.

<u>ED-ADM 4.3:</u> Support instructional staff in understanding and applying effective practices for teaching and learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Consult with instructional staff regarding needs for increased knowledge and skills.
- Plan in-service opportunities.
- Explain alignment between in-service topics and organization vision.
- Explain alignment between in-service topics and reflective practice research.
- Explain alignment between in-service topics and learner performance data.
- Explain alignment between in-service processes and adult learning theory and practice.
- Monitor implementation of effective practices following in-service opportunities.
- Express a commitment to lifelong learning.

<u>ED-ADM 4.4:</u> Define and use appropriate resources to support effective practices for teaching and learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Discuss with instructional staff regarding needed instructional resources.
- *Identify multiple sources of resources.*

5. Model leadership skills for personnel in order to improve the performance of the learning organization.

ED-ADM 5.1: Plan strategies to enhance personnel performance.

- Explain alignment with organizational and personal objectives.
- *Identify past performance.*
- *Employ authentic problems and tasks.*
- *Identify learner performance.*



- *Utilize multiple strategies.*
- Explain alignment with adult learning theories and practices.
- Develop evaluation methods to monitor individual progress.

ED-ADM 5.2: Prepare personnel to meet organizational and personal objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- *Define high standards.*
- Describe a commitment to the worth of all individuals.
- Communicate expectations clearly to personnel.
- Communicate clearly to personnel the positive and negative consequences of behavior.
- Apply positive and negative consequences of behavior fairly and consistently.

6. Identify operations to meet the learning organization's objectives.

ED-ADM 6.1: Use data to make decisions.

Sample Indicators:

- Collect qualitative data.
- *Collect quantitative data.*
- Analyze data.
- *Interpret research.*
- *Identify multiple options for action.*
- Formulate action based on data.

ED-ADM 6.2: Construct a strategic plan to guide use of resources.

Sample Indicators:

- Recognize needs assessment.
- Consult all personnel.
- *Utilize consensus-building processes.*
- Utilize conflict-resolution processes.
- Analyze costs and benefits.
- Prepare written procedures and policies.

ED-ADM 6.3: Plan facilities to meet organizational objectives.

- *Identify safety and security.*
- Explain alignment with organizational objectives.
- Explain alignment with educational goals.
- Explain adequacy of facilities.



ED-ADM 6.4: Arrange adequate resources to meet organizational objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain organization finance structures and models.
- Justify strategies to secure adequate funds.
- Justify strategies to recruit personnel.
- Justify strategies to retain personnel.

7. Plan strategically to meet the learning organization's objectives.

ED-ADM 7.1: Develop stakeholder partnerships to meet organizational objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Select diverse stakeholders.
- Apply community relations models.
- Employ marketing strategies and processes.
- *Utilize a variety of outreach methods.*
- Construct a plan for media relations.

ED-ADM 7.2: Recognize stakeholders' needs and interests to engage their participation.

Sample Indicators:

- Analyze needs and interests of stakeholders to utilize in developing plans of collaboration.
- Construct a plan for visibility.
- Identify various strengths of diverse stakeholders.

8. Apply internal and external resources to meet the learning organization's objectives and learner needs.

<u>ED-ADM 8.1:</u> Employ stakeholder resources that assist in meeting organizational objectives. *Sample Indicators:*

- Utilize resources of multiple stakeholders.
- Communicate and explain mutual benefits to stakeholders, organization and learners.
- Construct plans to meet special needs of the organization.

ED-ADM 8.1: Use resources that address learner needs.

Sample Indicators:

- Utilize multiple resources.
- Explain mutual benefits to society, organization and learners.
- Construct plans to encourage offerings of new resources.

<u>ED-ADM 8.1:</u> Recognize and manage community issues or joint concern using organizational resources.



- *Identify concerns of multiple stakeholders.*
- Explain mutual benefits to stakeholders, organization and learners.

9. Describe advocacy strategies to promote the learning organization's needs.

<u>ED-ADM 9.1:</u> Respond to community issues of joint concern using organizational resources. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify concerns of multiple stakeholders.*
- Explain mutual benefits to stakeholders, organization and learners.

<u>ED-ADM 9.2:</u> Explain the relationship of political, social, economic, legal and cultural contexts to organizational objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain intersection of larger contexts and institutional objectives.
- Analyze causes of contextual barriers to organizational vision.
- Explain related contextual norms and values.
- Analyze ways that policies of larger contexts affect organization's vision.

<u>ED-ADM 9.3:</u> Influence political, social, economic, legal and cultural contexts that promote realization of the organization's vision.

Sample Indicators:

- Describe contextual issues, trends and potential changes.
- Communicate contextual issues, trends and potential changes to stakeholders.

<u>ED-ADM 9.4:</u> Monitor political, social, economic, legal and cultural contexts that promote realization of the organization's vision and objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Engage decision makers representing larger contexts in dialogue.
- Engage stakeholders in advocating for organization-friendly political, social, economic, legal and cultural policies.

Professional Support Services Career Pathway (ED-PS)

1. Identify strategies, techniques and tools used to determine the needs of diverse learners.

ED-PS 1.1: Formulate learner needs using multiple strategies.

- Utilize observation.
- Utilize interviewing.
- *Utilize consultation.*
- Utilize testing.



• Utilize review of documents.

ED-PS 1.2: Evaluate the appropriateness of assessment tools.

Sample Indicators:

- Evaluate multiple assessment tools.
- *Identify process to align assessment tool(s) to learner need and characteristics.*
- Explain alignment to learner characteristics.
- Explain alignment to assessment purpose.
- Identify learner input.

ED-PS 1.3: Use appropriate assessment tools to determine needs of learners.

Sample Indicators:

- Utilize multiple tools.
- Define standardized measures.
- Define qualitative measures.
- Define quantitative measures.

ED-PS 1.4: Interpret assessment results to determine needs of learners.

Sample Indicators:

- Evaluate multiple data sources by triangulation.
- Explain assessment-related statistical concepts.
- Justify conclusions.

ED-PS 1.5: Explain assessment results to stakeholders.

Sample Indicators:

- Discuss with learners.
- Collect learner input in assessment profile.
- Monitor understanding of information.
- Develop prototype assessment plan.

<u>ED-PS 1.6:</u> Prepare stakeholders to participate in developing an action plan for facilitating individual learner success.

Sample Indicators:

- *Utilize appropriate resources for learner success.*
- *Identify strategies for learner success.*
- *Identify current data on learner success.*
- Define required standardized measures of success.

ED-PS 1.7: Recognize when a learner needs proactive support for learning.

Sample Indicators:

• *Identify multiple strategies for recognizing needs.*



- Explain benefits of proactive support.
- *Identify research-based data to support benefits of proactive actions.*
- Explain potential resources for support.

ED-PS 1.8: Identify existing barriers to learning.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify multiple strategies for recognizing barriers.*
- Explain benefits of intervention.
- *Identify and explain potential resources for intervention.*

ED-PS 1.9: Justify the need for increased resources to meet needs of learners.

Sample Indicators:

- *Utilize persuasive communication.*
- Explain mutual benefits to society, organization and learners.
- Summarize learner successes.
- Select stakeholders and recognize their input during the process.

2. Implement methods to enhance learner success.

ED-PS 2.1: Identify appropriate resources that meet a specific learner's needs.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify multiple resources.*
- Explain availability of resources.
- Explain alignment of resources with learner needs.
- Explain alignment of resources with learner characteristics.

ED-PS 2.2: Develop a personal or group action plan for educational success.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify multiple sources of data to document need and potential success.*
- Interpret data correctly.
- Engage appropriate stakeholders in the process.
- Explain educational goals.
- Explain alignment of goals to the means.
- Record plan in writing.

3. Identify resources and support services to meet learners' needs.

ED-PS 3.1: Refer learners to appropriate resources.

- *Identify multiple resources.*
- Explain alignment to client needs.



- Explain alignment to client characteristics.
- Explain locations, costs, services and procedures clearly.
- Plan follow-up contacts to determine outcomes.

<u>ED-PS 3.2:</u> Conduct group meetings with appropriate stakeholders in the learning organization regarding supporting individual learner progress.

Sample Indicators:

- Employ principles of group dynamics.
- Explain purposes of meetings clearly.
- Explain goals.
- Identify responsibilities.

ED-PS 3.3: Provide and support specialized services to enhance learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain alignment of services and support to learning theory.
- Explain alignment of services and support to principles of academic, career and personal/social development.
- Explain alignment of services and support to client need and characteristics.
- Explain goals.
- Explain principles of support and service processes.

4. Identify resources and support services available in the learning organization to enhance the learning environment.

ED-PS 4.1: Refer learners to appropriate resources.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify multiple resources.*
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- Explain alignment to client characteristics.
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- Explain principles of support and service processes.

<u>ED-PS 4.4:</u> Evaluate outcomes of the sources and support services used to enhance learning. *Sample Indicators:*

- Align measured outcomes with a pre-constructed plan for support or services.
- *Utilize appropriate data-collection strategies.*
- Analyze data accurately.
- Justify conclusions.
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- Analyze data accurately.
- Justify conclusions.

ED-PS 4.5: Recommend future support services that enhance learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Record learner input.
- *Identify and explain recommendations.*
- Record action strategies.
- Include learner input.
- Support recommendations.
- Include action strategies.

<u>ED-PS 4.6:</u> Evaluate outcomes of the sources and support services used to enhance learning. *Sample Indicators:*

• No sample indicators.

<u>ED-PS 4.7:</u> Recommend future support services that enhance learning. *Sample Indicators:*

• No sample indicators.



Teaching & Training Career Pathway (ED-TT)

1. Use foundational knowledge of subject matter to plan and prepare effective instruction and design courses or programs.

<u>ED-TT 1.1:</u> Use resources and professional development to update knowledge and skills on an ongoing basis.

Sample Indicators:

- Reference multiple sources of information and learning methods.
- Utilize analytical skills while evaluating instructional resources and program materials.
- Evaluate alignment to instructional goals.
- Evaluate alignment to learner characteristics.
- Evaluate comprehensiveness, accuracy and literacy characteristics.
- Explain major concepts, assumptions, debates, principles and theories central to the subject matter.
- Test hypotheses and use methods of inquiry and standards of evidence appropriate for the subject matter in order to generate knowledge and skills.
- Demonstrate a commitment to lifelong learning.

<u>ED-TT 1.2:</u> Identify prerequisite knowledge that will provide a bridge between past and future knowledge for learners.

Sample Indicators:

- *Test learner's prerequisite knowledge as a foundation in instructional plans.*
- Explain learner misunderstanding in terms of lack of prerequisite knowledge.

ED-TT 1.3: Apply principles of scope and sequence while planning instruction.

Sample Indicators:

- Order content from simple to complex.
- Connect various elements of content.

<u>ED-TT 1.4:</u> Integrate various content to make explicit the connections to other subject matter and explain connection to life and career applications.

Sample Indicators:

- Integrate multiple subject matter into instructional plans and real-world applications.
- Make connections logical, accurate and meaningful to learners.

ED-TT 1.5: Analyze standards, organization goals and learners when selecting content.

- Align content as appropriate to National, State, Business and Industry and Regulatory standards.
- Customize content to learners' abilities, interests and future objectives.



<u>ED-TT 1.6:</u> Use assessment tools when determining needs of learners and organizations.

Sample Indicators:

- Utilize self-assessments.
- *Utilize a variety of methods.*
- Develop assessment tools.

2. Employ knowledge of learning and developmental theory to describe individual learners.

ED-TT 2.1: Locate theory-based information to describe individual learners.

Sample Indicators:

- List multiple and diverse characteristics of individual learners.
- *Identify resources for locating information.*

<u>ED-TT 2.2:</u> Apply learning and developmental theory to relate individual characteristics to the learning process.

Sample Indicators:

- Explain the relevance of individual characteristics to the learning process.
- *Identify typical characteristics.*
- *Identify exceptional characteristics.*

3. Use content knowledge and skills of instruction to develop standards-based goals and assessments.

<u>ED-TT 3.1:</u> Use knowledge of learners to align goals with learners' developmental level, abilities, interests and future objectives.

Sample Indicators:

- Address intellectual, social, career and developmental needs.
- Explain the relationship of goals to the real world.
- Accommodate the needs of diverse learners.

<u>ED-TT 3.2:</u> Use National, State, Business and Industry, or Regulatory standards to establish learner performance standards.

Sample Indicators:

- *Use standards that challenge all learners.*
- *Use standards that are applicable to contexts that are meaningful to learners.*

<u>ED-TT 3.3:</u> Identify multiple learning goals that establish performance standards for learners. *Sample Indicators:*

- Explain learning goals for multiple content areas or multiple strands of a content area.
- Explain knowledge goals.



- Explain skill mastery goals.
- Explain thinking process goals.
- Explain learning goals for multiple content areas or multiple strands of a content area.

<u>ED-TT 3.4:</u> Select appropriate assessment/evaluation strategies while applying assessment theory. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify the purpose of the assessment.*
- Explain the alignment of selected assessment strategies to educational goals.
- *Identify multiple strategies.*
- Describe learner self-assessment strategies.

<u>ED-TT 3.5:</u> Select appropriate assessment/evaluation strategies using knowledge of content and teaching/learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Assess/evaluate multiple goals.
- Assess/evaluate content goals.
- Assess/evaluate process goals.
- Identify clearly the criteria and standards to be used to assess/evaluate.
- *Identify the alignment of instruction to standards.*

4. Identify materials and resources needed to support instructional plans.

<u>ED-TT 4.1:</u> Identify materials and resources needed to enhance instruction and aid learners in learning. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify personal and organizational resources.*
- *Identify community resources.*
- Explain how identified materials and resources support educational goals.

5. Establish a positive climate to promote learning.

<u>ED-TT 5.1:</u> Establish respect and rapport to foster positive social and intellectual interactions. *Sample Indicators:*

- Demonstrate respectful interactions between instructor and learners.
- Demonstrate respectful interactions among learners.
- Demonstrate fairness.
- Give recognition to learners' cultural backgrounds.

<u>ED-TT 5.2:</u> Explain the importance of content to promote interest in learning. *Sample Indicators:*

• Demonstrate enthusiasm for content.



• *Identify real-world connections.*

ED-TT 5.3: Establish challenging expectations for each learner.

Sample Indicators:

- Formulate standards of achievement on applicable National, State, Business and Industry and Regulatory standards.
- Explain standards to learners in a clear manner.
- Judge learner responsibility for learning.

<u>ED-TT 5.4:</u> Arrange space, equipment and furniture within learning settings to optimize learning and provide appropriate access and spacing requirements.

Sample Indicators:

- Arrange physical space, equipment and furniture to enhance instructional plan.
- Identify equitable access for all learners.
- *Utilize physical resources optimally.*
- Demonstrate fairness.
- Recognize learners' cultural backgrounds.

6. Identify motivational, social and psychological practices that guide personal conduct.

ED-TT 6.1: Document standards of conduct and expectations clearly.

Sample Indicators:

- Communicate positive and negative outcomes of behavior.
- Enlist participation of learners in determining expectations.
- *Utilize principles of conflict resolution.*
- *Utilize principles of democracy.*

ED-TT 6.2: Monitor learners' personal conduct using a variety of strategies.

Sample Indicators:

- Stay continually alert to learners' conduct.
- *Use appropriate intervention aimed at prevention.*
- *Use appropriate intervention aimed at correction.*

ED-TT 6.3: Respond to learners' personal conduct by providing appropriate feedback.

- Demonstrate consistent responses.
- Demonstrate respectful responses.
- Demonstrate responses reflective of learners' needs.
- *Utilize positive and negative outcomes of behavior fairly and consistently.*



7. Demonstrate organizational and relationship building skills used to manage instructional activities and related procedures.

<u>ED-TT 7.1:</u> Utilize engagement of learners to optimize benefits of instructional groups. *Sample Indicators:*

- Recognize learners consistently.
- Experiment with the structure of participants in groupings.
- *Utilize meaningful group tasks.*

<u>ED-TT 7.2:</u> Manage instructional transitions while employing time management skills.

Sample Indicators:

- *Utilize efficient transitions.*
- Plan instructional time for optimal use.

<u>ED-TT 7.3:</u> Employ organizational skills while managing instructional resources (i.e., tools, equipment, supplies and materials).

Sample Indicators:

- Utilize effective resource management systems.
- Plan instructional time for optimal use.

ED-TT 7.4: Demonstrate non-instructional duties.

Sample Indicators:

- Utilize efficient procedures.
- Explain expected procedural routines that learners must follow.

ED-TT 7.5: Supervise learners using organizational and relationship-building skills.

Sample Indicators:

- Manage learners to work independently.
- Manage learners to work productively.

8. Demonstrate flexibility and adaptability in instructional planning.

<u>ED-TT 8.1:</u> Use appropriate representations to make content meaningful to learners.

- Utilize various representations.
- *Utilize clear and accurate representations.*
- *Utilize representations that encourage critical thinking and problem-solving.*
- Connect representations to learners' prior knowledge and experience.
- *Collect additional representations from learners.*



<u>ED-TT 8.2:</u> Utilize learning activities and assignments to challenge and engage learners. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Utilize various activities and assignments.*
- Connect activities and assignments with learning goals.
- Appraise learners of the importance to initiate and adapt activities and assignments in order to enhance their understanding.

<u>ED-TT 8.3:</u> Utilize content and knowledge of teaching/learning while delivering instruction. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Provide adequate time for reflection and closure process.*
- *Utilize a consistent pace of instruction that is appropriate for learners.*

<u>ED-TT 8.4:</u> Utilize instructional materials, resources and technology to enhance learning. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Utilize community materials and resources.*
- Distinguish alignment of materials and resources with learning goals.
- Explain the importance for learners to choose, adapt and create materials and resources in order to enhance their understanding.
- Demonstrate literacy and skills for multiple technologies
- Distinguish alignment of technologies with instructional goals.
- Explain standards for determining the credibility of information.
- Analyze the advantages and disadvantages of use of technology for instruction.
- Evaluate technology-based instructional materials.

<u>ED-TT 8.5:</u> Utilize questioning techniques to encourage higher-order thinking skills. *Sample Indicators:*

- *Identify adequate time for responding to questions.*
- Assess answers to extend thinking.
- Develop learners' questioning ability.

ED-TT 8.6: Utilize discussion techniques to engage learners.

Sample Indicators:

- Develop learners' ability to initiate topics and to offer unsolicited contributions.
- *Utilize all learners in instruction.*

<u>ED-TT 8.7:</u> Use cooperative learning techniques to engage learners.

- Categorize groupings of learners and group tasks to learning goals, learner needs and characteristics.
- Demonstrate the importance of groupings and tasks in enhancing learners' understanding.



• Assess productivity of learning groups.

<u>ED-TT 8.8:</u> Use work-based and project-based learning techniques to extend learning. *Sample Indicators:*

- Apply knowledge and skills in real-world settings.
- Employ worksite, community and home applications of knowledge and skills.
- Apply cross-curricular knowledge and skills to real-world settings.
- Apply research and problem-solving skills.

<u>ED-TT 8.9:</u> Identify support for learning organizations and activities to extend learning opportunities. *Sample Indicators:*

- Arrange awards and recognition.
- Plan and advise organizations and activities.

<u>ED-TT 8.10:</u> Identify needed adjustments in instructional plans using an analysis of learner performance.

Sample Indicators:

- Assess responsibility for learner performance.
- *Identify new approaches to help struggling learners.*

<u>ED-TT 8.10:</u> Incorporate learner questions and interests to make instruction relevant and responsive to learners.

Sample Indicators:

- *Manage coherent instruction.*
- *Manage alignment of instruction to appropriate educational goals.*

<u>ED-TT 8.12:</u> Utilize spontaneous events to enhance learning.

Sample Indicators:

- Combine events into instruction.
- Relate alignment of instruction to appropriate educational goals.
- 9. Utilize assessment and evaluation tools and data to advance learner achievement and adjust instructional plans.

ED-TT 9.1: Utilize data to assess/evaluate learning.

- *Utilize multiple sources of data and interpret correctly.*
- Utilize learner self-assessment and authentic assessment.
- *Utilize appropriate technology.*



ED-TT 9.2: Utilize feedback provided to learners to enhance learning.

Sample Indicators:

- *Identify accurate, substantive, constructive and specific feedback.*
- Prepare learners in interpreting progress.
- Relate the importance of learners using feedback to enhance their learning.

<u>ED-TT 9.3:</u> Plan adjustments in instruction that reflect assessment and teaching/learning theory. *Sample Indicators:*

- Organize alignment of adjustments to assessment data.
- *Identify and describe adjustments in terms of data-based effective practice.*

<u>ED-TT 9.4:</u> Collect accurate records through the use of organization skills in order to monitor and guide learner progress.

Sample Indicators:

- Collect and maintain complete, orderly and timely records.
- State the availability of records to appropriate stakeholders.

ED-TT 9.5: Utilize an organized system for recording non-instructional data.

Sample Indicators:

- Collect and maintain complete and timely records.
- State the availability of records to appropriate stakeholders.

10. Evaluate teaching and training performance indicators to determine and improve effectiveness of instructional practices and professional development.

<u>ED-TT 10.1:</u> Construct an active philosophy of instruction to form criteria for assessing effective instructional practice.

Sample Indicators:

- Prepare a written philosophy of instruction.
- *Identify research-based, effective practice.*
- *Interpret efficacy*.
- Revise current philosophy regularly.

<u>ED-TT 10.2:</u> Employ various strategies while systematically monitoring effectiveness of instruction. *Sample Indicators:*

- Discuss with colleagues.
- Discuss accuracy of instruction.
- Identify supporting data.

ED-TT 10.3: Develop instructional practice based upon analysis of past actions.



- Describe a commitment to continuous improvement.
- *Identify multiple alternative actions.*
- Explain merits of alternative actions.

<u>ED 10.4:</u> Utilize participation in professional associations to improve knowledge and skills. *Sample Indicators:*

- Practice membership in professional organizations.
- Utilize services of professional associations.

ED-TT 10.5: Employ in-service education to improve knowledge and skills.

Sample Indicators:

- Formulate a written personal growth plan.
- *Identify multiple resources.*
- Utilize technology.
- *Utilize observations of colleagues.*
- Explain applications of in-service learnings.

11. Implement strategies to maintain relationships with others to increase support for the organization.

ED-TT 11.1: Use an organized system for recording learner assignments.

Sample Indicators:

- Maintain complete, orderly and timely records.
- *Make records accessible to appropriate stakeholders.*

ED-TT 11.2: Use an organized system for recording learner progress.

Sample Indicators:

- Maintain complete, interpretable and timely records.
- Make records accessible to appropriate stakeholders.

ED-TT 11.3: Use an organized system for recording non-instructional data.

Sample Indicators:

- Maintain complete and timely records.
- Make records accessible to appropriate stakeholders.

ED-TT 11.4: Advocate for needs of learners, organization, community and profession.

- Explain mutual benefits.
- Assess needs of all categories of stakeholders.
- Cite supporting data.



ED-TT 11.5: Seek opportunities to promote instructional program.

Sample Indicators:

- Communicate frequently.
- Provide accurate program descriptions.
- Address the goals of stakeholders.
- Cite outcome data.

ED-TT 11.6: Seek opportunities to engage stakeholders in organization vision.

Sample Indicators:

- Engage stakeholders frequently.
- Discuss the role of parental support.
- Give recognition to stakeholder contributions to program.

ED-TT 11.7: Provide information to meet appropriate accountability standards.

- Follow policies on organizational reporting.
- Respond to concerns of stakeholders.
- Report both positive and negative outcomes.
- Provide accurate information.