

Educational Outcomes Committee Meeting
July 16, 2009
Meeting Minutes

Present: Drs. Abbott; Marhefka; Mlynarek; Sanchez-Anguiano; and Wathington, and M. Sebti and B. Kennedy

Meeting called to order at 10:05 a.m.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were approved.
2. Results of Summer Comprehensive Exam were discussed:
 - Action: Query students, using the Comprehensive Exam Evaluation form, to determine the year each Core Course was taken and whether the core course was taken online or in the classroom.
 - There was interest in whether the College's Comprehensive Examination questions correlate with the new Public Health Certification Exam. There was discussion whether to ask Dean Petersen to read the Comprehensive Exam to determine whether it meets the Public Health Certification exam level; and to query students who have taken the Public Health Certification Exam to determine whether their coursework and/or the Comprehensive Exam prepared them for the Public Health Certification Exam. There was also discussion on how best to contact students who take the exam after graduation since they will no longer have their USF Health email accounts. One possibility would be to request personal e-mail addresses from the Graduation Information Form. No action taken.
4. Dr. Wathington discussed with the Committee the extent to which the Core Courses cover the ASPH MPH Competencies.

Action: Dr. Wathington will forward the URL for the Competencies to the EOC committee representatives, and will post a template online for department representatives to review.

Next meeting: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, November 18, 2009 - EPB Conference Room

Meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m