Assessment: Assessment Plan



Operational (Acad Affairs) - Library

GBC Mission: Great Basin College enriches people's lives by providing student-centered, post-secondary education to rural Nevada. Educational, cultural, and related economic needs of the multi-county service area are met through programs of university transfer, applied science and technology, business and industry partnerships, developmental education, community service, and student support services in conjunction with certificates and associate and select baccalaureate degrees.

Unit Mission: The mission of the Great Basin College Library is to support teaching and learning for the Great Basin College community by providing outstanding resources and superior services that meet the educational, informational, and recreational needs of our community. The Great Basin College Library's services and educational programs promote information literacy and lifelong learning and research skills for students, faculty, and the college community.

Outcome: Collection Management

Review of physical collection of items and review of electronic subscriptions with Faculty input on decisions. With change of 'system' that manages collection, and the process of migrating items in the collection, the library decided to evaluate the collection and make sure that physical items still provide utility to students and faculty. Also, shift to distance and online education has likely contributed to the decline in physical item circulation while increasing electronic item use. Finally, the library and Elko faculty would like to repurpose the library facility in some way. The first step to re-purposing is a review of the collection.

Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2018-2019, 2019-2020, 2020-2021

Start Date: 02/06/2018

Assessment Measures

Report/Audit - Internal - Electronic Subscription-- With the growing cost of electronic subscriptions and no increase in Library budget for acquisitions, the library will review current subscriptions. The goal is to seek faculty input on a preferred resource. (Active)

Criterion: Faculty has input on Library decision for cutting electronic subscription and physical collection has been reviewed.

Faculty participation in review of Physical Collection through Deaccession Reception

Remove VHS items from search results

Internal Tracking - Physical Collection-Goal is deaccess collection with instructional faculty participation. (Active)

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Internal Tracking - Deaccess VHS collection (Active)

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Outcome: Institutional Effectiveness – Graduate satisfaction with Library resources and staff

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Outcome Status: Active Assessment Year: 2018-2019 Start Date: 07/02/2019

Assessment Measures

Survey - The Library will track satisfaction with Library resources and staff through the Graduate Satisfaction Survey and the Noel-Levitz bi annual survey. (Active)

Criterion: The mean graduate satisfaction ratings of Library resources and staff remain improve or remain similar.