



Learning that works for Michigan

Office of Career and Technical Education

2013—2014 Initiatives

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The following regions will be visited for Technical Review, Assistance and Compliance (TRAC):

- Region 4—Alpena Public Schools; COP ISD
- Region 11—Tuscola ISD; Huron ISD; Lapeer ISD; Sanilac ISD
- Region 20—Kalamazoo RESA; St. Joseph ISD
- Region 24—Detroit City School District
- Region 16—Macomb ISD; St. Clair ISD

The following agencies will be visited for Civil Rights Compliance Reviews:

- ◆ Anchor Bay School District
- ◆ Birmingham City School District
- ◆ Charlevoix Public Schools
- ◆ Cheboygan Area Schools
- ◆ Davison Community Schools
- ◆ Delta-Schoolcraft ISD
- ◆ Menominee Area Public Schools
- ◆ N.I.C.E. Community Schools
- ◆ Northwestern Michigan College
- ◆ Traverse City Area Public Schools

NAVIGATOR GROWTH

Navigator is the electronic curriculum system for Michigan's Career and Technical Education community (state/regional/local administrators and instructors). The system provides real-time access to Michigan's state-approved CTE program standards and resources. The web-based, online database can be used for managing the technical standards, career cluster content, segments, resource content, and academic alignment results for all of Michigan's CTE program areas.

- ◆ More teachers and administrators using the system
- ◆ Added the common core for ELA and math for programs to do academic alignment while going through review and revision
- ◆ The electronic CIP Self Review continues to be used by more programs and reporting for the OCTE CIP Summary that is due in June
- ◆ All programs that are being monitored are using the electronic CIP Self Review to submit their documentation

CTE TECHNICAL SKILLS ASSESSMENTS

Initial Selection Process/Field Test

- ◆ Architecture and Construction
- ◆ Manufacturing (Welding)
- ◆ Hospitality and Tourism Cluster
- ◆ Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources Cluster
- ◆ Health Science Cluster—all CIPs (review)
- ◆ Information Technology—all CIPs (review)

Field Test and Finalize Selection

- ◆ Collision Repair Technician Program
- ◆ Arts, A/V Technology & Communication Cluster
- ◆ Marketing, Sales, and Service Cluster
- ◆ Medium/Heavy Truck Technician Program

Assessments In Implementation

- ◆ Finance Cluster—52.0800 CIP
- ◆ Business, Management, Administration Cluster—52.0299 CIP
- ◆ Education & Training Cluster—13.0000 CIP
- ◆ Automotive Technician—47.0604 CIP
- ◆ Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security—43.0100 CIP

PERKINS GRANTS

2013-14 Perkins Grant Application is due: **April 1, 2014**

SPECIAL PROJECTS

- ◆ Collaboration with MEDC on K-12 STEM, Entrepreneurship, and Soft Skills Initiatives
- ◆ Implementing Dual Enrollment Changes
- ◆ USDOE Green Ribbon Schools Recognition Program
- ◆ Closing the Achievement Gap in CTE Programs
- ◆ Early/Middle College Expansion
- ◆ Exploring Statewide Articulation/Credit Agreements. Identify process, Subgroup to work on template agreement. Begin work in one or two program areas or clusters
- ◆ Review 61a(1) Funding Formula

INSTRUCTIONAL

- ◆ Review and Revision will be completed on:
 - 01.0903 Animal Health & Veterinary Sciences
 - 12.0400 Cosmetology
 - 19.0605 Home Furnishings Equipment Installers and Consultants
 - 19.0906 Fashion Design
 - 26.0102 Biotechnology Medical Science
 - 26.1201 Biotechnology
 - 28.0301 Army (JROTC)
 - 51.0000 Therapeutic Services
 - 51.0707 Health Informatics
 - 51.1000 Diagnostic Services
- ◆ Continue the review of CIPs for high skill, high wage, high demand requirements
- ◆ Continue standards/segmenting implementation with teachers
- ◆ Focus on CIP Self Review Summary Data for program improvement and technical assistance
- ◆ Increase technical assistance to teachers through OCTE Director's updates, presentations at professional conferences, listserv messages
- ◆ New program application **October 1–December 6, 2013**
- ◆ Coordinate with postsecondary institutions to develop and expand programs of study and statewide articulation

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2013-2014 Events

- New Administrators Workshop - TBD
- CTE New Teacher Academy - September 17-18, 2013
- New CTE Program Meeting - October 2, 2013
- Fall OCTE Update - November 7, 2013
- Perkins Grant Workshop and Closing the Achievement Gap - January 2014
- Career Education Conference - February 12-13, 2014
- Spring OCTE Update - March 12, 2014

