

## FAQ for Annual Program Review for Career Technical Education Programs:

1. When will schools be required to upload evidence supporting the self-assessments at the district level for pathways not being compliant?

The upload of evidence is required when a pathway must complete a corrective action plan due to a noncompliant status of three consecutive years, with FY 2016 starting the first year of the five-year noncompliance schedule.

2. What if a program was noncompliant but, due to transition to pathways, the program now exists under a new pathway. Does a self-assessment need to be completed?

If the program has transitioned to a new pathway due to the career field and pathway development the Office of Career-Technical Education has completed over the past four years, a self-assessment is required for the noncompliant pathway.

3. Some CTE students take courses in multiple districts. How are technical skill attainment and participation calculated for the student?

Student results will count for the relevant district. If they have the same program of concentration, the assessment and participation would be the same at each district. If the program of concentration is different, the assessment and participation would be mapped to each district based on required assessments.

4. How does a junior concentrator account in web exam documents and reporting?

The annual program review is only for concentrators who left school, so juniors would not show up until their class left school. Any assessment taken during their school career will count when they leave school.

5. How are special populations of students counted in the data?

Special populations (economic disadvantage and students on IEPs) must complete the required assessments.

6. How do “status unknown” students affect my post-placement pathway data?

The Status Known rate affects the Post Program Placement grade the same as on the CTE Report Card. Ninety-five percent or greater = a letter grade bump. Less than 85% known = a letter grade demotion. Between 85% and 95% no change.