PROGRAM GOALS

Oklahoma technology center student services report program goals through the guidance team self study. Looking at guidance team self studies statewide, the most goals were written to address the following five criteria.

**Guidance Services 1**
Providing career exploration and planning services/activities to middle school/junior high school students.

**Responsive Services 1**
Counseling students through a variety of situations, i.e., tardies, absences, behavior problems, study skills, decision making, etc.

**Guidance Services 5**
Providing placement and employability skills to all students.

**Responsive Services 5**
Providing individual and group crisis intervention strategies.

**System Support 1**
Developing and annually using student and instructor needs assessment.

ATTENDANCE DATA
Among the technology center student service programs that compiled attendance data (about half), attendance has improved.

**POINTS OF INTEREST**
ODCTE Career and Academic Staff read, reflected and provided feedback on each guidance team self study about program goals.

**2015-16 SCHOOL YEAR**

- **67%** schools wrote a measurable goal
- **52%** met their goal

*ODCTE's goal is to bring the 67 percent measurable goal rate up to 75 percent.*
INTERESTING POINT
Through the guidance team self-study, we also see that in addition to serving 10th-, 11th- and 12th-graders, technology centers are also offering career development services and outreach to students in lower grades:

6th Grade: 20%
7th Grade: 12%
8th Grade: 95%

GUIDANCE & COUNSELING ADVISORY COMMITTEES
83% included school counselors
63% consisted exclusively school counselors
12% community members were included
12% administrators were included
2% instructors were included
17% unknown

THESE WERE THE MOST POPULAR STRATEGIES TECHNOLOGY CENTERS INDICATED THEY WOULD USE TO MEET GOALS:

- Provide professional development.
- Provide career development outreach.
- Increase attendance/enrollment.
- Develop needs assessments/satisfactions surveys.

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