

## UPR Aguadilla Self Study Addendum Report

### Standard 5. Provided Quality, Continuous Improvement and Capacity

#### **Title: Quality and Strategic Evaluation**

A. Evidence in need of verification or corroboration

(1) Verify how EPP assessments follow the Evidence Guide Principles.

The assessments were validated under NCATE standards and have been aligned to the CAEP standards.

#### **Title: Continuous Improvement**

A. Evidence in need of verification or corroboration

(1) Verify how the EPP regularly and systematically identifies patterns across preparation programs and investigates differences.

This is part of our improvement plan.

(2) Verify how the EPP addresses areas of apparent areas for improvement and makes appropriate changes in preparation.

At the moment the changes undertaken have been related to individual course syllabi, not the curriculum. Mostly, methodology, clinical practice, and assistive technology based on the regulations of the Department of Education of Puerto Rico.

(3) Verify how the EPP uses and shares widely the CAEP 8 outcome and impact measures through an analysis of trends, comparisons with benchmarks, examples of how changes have been made in preparation.

The data collected is shared on our website <http://caep.uprag.edu/>

(4) Verify the role of stakeholders in decision-making, evaluation and continuous improvement.

We have an Advisory Committee with educational professionals.

B. Excerpt from SSR to be clarified or confirmed

C. Questions for EPP concerning additional evidence, data, and/or interviews

(1) Interview with Assessment Committee: How is stakeholder input used for decision-making, evaluation and continuous improvement?

The Advisory Committee meets once a semester to discuss possible changes to the EPP.