

Team Charter
Barton Community College
Open Pathways Team

Names of Teams/Sub-Team

Open Pathways Team (OPT)

Sub-Team: Accreditation Consultative Team (ACT)

Purpose of Teams/Sub-Team

Open Pathways Team: The Open Pathways Core Team works towards an institutional understanding of and compliance with the expectations of accreditation.

Accreditation Consultative Team (ACT): Responsible for a comprehensive understanding of accreditation requirements, ACT provides guidance and leadership to the Open Pathways Team and any sub-teams that arise. ACT will assist in identifying goals, review overall progress, and compile evidence in preparation for any accreditation-related activity or requirements, including but not limited to the next reaffirmation report and comprehensive visit.

Duration and Time Commitment

The team has been commissioned as a permanent institutional team. The time commitment varies but most team members will attend periodic meetings and also serve on sub-teams as needed.

Boundaries & Limitations

The Open Pathways Core Team's focus is accreditation.

Expected Results

- Oversight on and completion of HLC reports

- Review progress on HLC reports and other aspects of the accreditation process on a regular basis
- Ensure accreditation awareness and understanding at Barton
- Maintain/upload documents to the HLC Assurance System
- Participate in HLC site visits to Barton

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