

Team Charter
Student Success Alliance
Barton Community College

Context: In the fall of 2019, Barton began participation in the Higher Learning Commission’s Student Success Academy. The Student Success Academy was a three-year structured project “designed for institutions seeking to establish sustainable structures that support students’ achievement of their higher education goals.” The result of the Student Success Academy was the creation of a three-year plan addressing strategic gaps in supporting student success at Barton.

Purpose: The purpose of the Student Success Alliance is to support the success of all students at Barton Community College through the implementation of Barton’s Student Success Plan and oversight of the institution’s completion, retention, and course success goals. This committee will provide leadership through the coordination of data-driven strategies as described in the institutional effectiveness framework.

Team Members: Membership shall be comprised of faculty, staff, and administration that provide representation for all campuses or venues. Representation from institutional divisions of Instruction, Student Services, and Institutional Research is required.

- **Founding Members – Leadership Team**
 - **Angie Maddy, Great Bend, Student Services**
 - **Stephanie Joiner, Great Bend, Academics**
 - **Lindsay Holmes, Grandview Plaza, Hazardous Materials & Emergency Management**
 - **Deanna Heier, Great Bend, Workforce Training & Economic Development, Faculty**
- **Institutional Researcher**
 - **Randy Thode, Great Bend, Institutional Effectiveness**
- **Faculty Council Representative**
 - **Kara Brauer, Great Bend, Nursing, Faculty**
 - **Chris Vanderlinde, Ft. Riley, Military Programs, Faculty**
- **Subcommittee Chairs & Members**
 - **Judy Jacobs, Great Bend, Student Services, Testing, Advisement, Career Services**
 - **Brandon Steinert, Great Bend, Academics, Faculty**
 - **Christy Huslig, Great Bend, Student Services, Advisement**
 - **Lee Miller, Great Bend, The Center for Innovation and Excellence, Innovation and Compliance**
 - **Jo Harrington, Great Bend, Academics, Faculty**
 - **Myrna Perkins, Great Bend, Student Services, Financial Aid**
 - **Amber Bebout, Ft. Riley, Academics, Faculty**

Boundaries & Limitations: -This Alliance operates within the requirements established by Barton Community College Policy and Procedures, Kansas Board of Regents rules and requirements, Kansas Statutes, Higher Learning Commission Principles and Federal Regulations.

Alliance members serve to implement Barton’s Student Success Plan and to recommend strategies, practices, policies and procedures as they apply to student success. Alliance members will collaborate

with other Institutional Teams such as the Academic Integrity Council, the Outcomes Assessment Committee, and the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Team in support of shared goals.

Duration and Time Commitment: The committee has been commissioned as a permanent institutional team. The time commitment varies but most team members will attend monthly meetings and serve on subcommittees as needed. Membership will review its effectiveness as a group at least once each year; discussions will include membership, outcome assessment, and strategic planning.

Expected Outcomes:

- I. Create a Student Success Team as a chartered Institutional Team modeled after Barton's Outcome Assessment Committee.
- II. Organize and schedule Annual Data Review of Student Success Metrics and communicate with institutional stakeholders
- III. Collaborate with Institutional Effectiveness and Outcomes Assessment Committee to host annual Data Summit
- IV. Create a regularly scheduled Program Review process for success initiatives and programs institutionalized student services departments
- V. **Barton Strategic Plan Alignment**

The Student Success Alliance will annually review progress toward stated goals and compile a summary report to be shared as described in the Alliance's [Strategic Plan Alignment](#) and published on Barton's [Student Success Alliance](#) webpage.

The Alliance will meet on the first Thursday of the month at 4 pm. For more information, contact: StudentSuccessAlliance@bartonccc.edu