



MEMORANDUM

To: Interested Parties

From: Florence Tate, Executive Director

Date: March 8, 2018

Subject: Request for Input on Accreditation Standards

Per Chapter 1, Section B, Subsection 3 of the *Accreditation Manual*, ABHES has a process for maintaining the adequacy and relevance of its evaluation standards to achieve its mission.

Each year, ABHES asks its constituencies to provide input and rate the adequacy and relevance (defined below) of the accreditation standards and guidelines for the parts of the *Accreditation Manual* as part of a five-year cycle.

This year, ABHES will be reviewing Chapters IV and V, the most commonly applied standards within the *Accreditation Manual*. Therefore, please review each standard within the survey and answer yes or no to the below questions.

Is the standard well defined with outcome specific goals? (Adequate)
(Before selecting yes or no, determine whether you deem the standard to be understandable, measurable, or assessable.)

Is the standard a reliable indicator of quality? (Relevant)
(Before selecting yes or no, determine whether you deem this standard enhances or supports the quality of education.)

If you select no, what, if any, changes would you make to this standard?

Please click on the below links to access each of the surveys. The surveys are open through March 18, 2018.

[Chapter IV](#)

[Chapter V](#)

Questions related to completing this survey? Contact Amy Rowe, Director of Institutional Review and Development via email at arowe@abhes.org or contact the ABHES office at (703) 917-9503.

