

BERGEN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Assessment Report for(Department and/or Program): SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

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**1. Intended Outcome (Goal ):**

The surgical technician graduate will attain the knowledge of a surgical technician.

**2. General education requirements to which the intended outcome relates:**

**1. Written and Oral Communication - (Communication)**

Students will communicate effectively in both speech and writing.

**4. Technological Competency or Information Literacy – (Technology)**

Students will use computer systems or other appropriate forms of technology to achieve educational and personal goals.

**3. Sections of the Strategic Plan to which the intended outcomes relates:**

**Goal 3: We will expand and improve our key programs and processes.**

3.2 Support the development of the School of Virtual Studies and the College's new learning management system.

**4. Means of assessment, sources of data, and desired result:**

1. Computerized evaluation through the new software program we are incorporating into the program (NorthstarLearning.)

2. Sources of data from Northstar include:

- Tracking student's progress and usage of the program by reviewing the individual results of each student.
- View a list of topics that they need improvement based on the results reviewed.
- Achievement report on how well the student did relative to other students nationally

We will analyze the data for this year's cohort to track their results. We are looking to improve the pass rate on the National Certification exam of 57% from the last cohort by 5%. The students will answer at least 119 out of 200 questions correctly.

**5. Summary of Results:**

**6. Recommendations for improvement:**