



PROGRAM SPONSOR ALERT

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Subject: Link to Title II reports for use by teacher preparation programs to fulfill requirements of AB2086

Summary

This alert provides information on how to add a link to the state Title II report to fulfill requirements of AB2086.

Background

As it pertains to the work of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (Commission), AB 2086 adds to the provisions relating to the California Education Information System Legislative intent that, as the California Education Information System is implemented over time, access to public information already available on various measures of the quality of teacher preparation programs be available in electronic format and be accessible to the extent practicable through downloadable pages and reports accessible to the public in a consolidated manner. This bill also requires all teacher preparation programs to provide information, as specified, to prospective candidates regarding the license examination passage rates of completers for the most recent available year, if that data is available electronically through the Commission's Internet Web. Finally, the Commission is required to provide all teacher preparation programs with the appropriate electronic link to comply with the information mandate above. To the extent feasible, the link may also include access to additional data from the Commission and from the California Longitudinal Teacher Integrated Data Education system regarding the types of programs offered and data on program effectiveness. This bill takes effect January 1, 2010.

Title II to fulfill requirements for AB2086

Title II of the Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA) mandates that US Department of Education (USDOE) collect data on state assessments, other requirements, and standards for teacher certification and licensure, as well as data on the performance of teacher preparation programs. The law requires the Secretary to use these data in submitting an annual report on the

quality of teacher preparation to the Congress. Institutional report cards and state report are due annually - April and October, respectively. At this time, 2008-09 report is the most recent state report available. Program sponsors submitted 2009-10 data to the state in April and staff will bring the 2009-10 state report to the Commission in October 2011. Once the commission approves, the state report will be submitted to the USDOE in October. So the 2009-10 state report as an agenda item will be available at the Commission's website in mid September and final report will be available in October 2011.

How to link State Title II report to your institution's website

AB2086 requires that all teacher preparation programs establish a link to the most recent data available. If you have not yet established a link to the 2008-09 state report, please follow the steps:

- Open Commission's website <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/>
- Navigate to Program Sponsor link
- On the right hand side, you will see a link to Title II
- Open the Title II link <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/educator-prep/Title2.html>
- Under What's New, you will find a section for AB2086
- 2008-09 state report is available at that section
- Open the 2008-09 state report, scroll down to Appendix A Pass Rate by Assessment (*Note: Appendix A-1, A-2, A-3, A-4) have assessment by program sponsors and by Traditional and Alternate Route*)
- http://www.ctc.ca.gov/reports/TitleII_2008-2009_AnnualRpt.pdf
- Make a link from the Title II pass rate to your institution's website

References

The Title II website at

<http://www.ctc.ca.gov/educatorprep/Title2.html>

Title II reports for the past ten years

<http://www.ctc.ca.gov/reports/all-reports.html>

Full text of the AB 2086 bill can be found at

<http://www.ctc.ca.gov/educator-prep/Title2/AB2086.pdf>

Contact Information:

The Professional Services Division provides a full list of topic specific dedicated email addresses as well as program areas with the most up to date Commission staff member's email address here <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/educator-prep/PSD-contact.html>.