Guided Pathways
Scale of Adoption Self-Assessment (SOAA)
Questions and Answers Session

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Q&A Themes

- Timeline
- Reporting Progress
- Shared Governance and Approvals
- Equity Considerations
- NOVA Submissions
- SOAA Resources

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Timeline

- Why is the deadline March 1st? This timeline is difficult to get through shared governance.

- What if we need an extention or cannot submit the SOAA on time?

- When is the final date that we can spend our Guided Pathways funds?

Reporting Progress

- What if we do not meet our anticipated progress goals by the timeline listed in the SOAA?

- How much should we include in progress and next steps? What is expected?

- Doing the SOAA takes a lot of time, how can we reduce the amount of time it takes?

- We filled out the SOAA in Spring of 2019. Can we turn that version in for this submission?

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Shared Governance and Approvals

- Is Participatory Governance and BOT approved required for this SOAA? Why?

- For multi-college districts, does the district/chancellor have to approve it?

- Does the SOAA require Board President signature?

- Does the BOT approve first or the College President and AS President?

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Equity Considerations

- We want to capture equity information in our SOAA, where do we put in our disaggregated data?

- Will there be an equity narrative required for any/ all of the sections?

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NOVA Submission (Pt. 1)

- Can NOVA allow us to submit graphics or charts?

- Will NOVA include a character limit in the responses?

- How will I know if I missed a section before I try to submit?

- If we are planning to scale, what do I select for the timeline?

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NOVA Submission (Pt. 2)

- When you share the file in Nova, what format will the recipient get it (PDF, DOCX, etc)?

- When I submit the SOAA in Nova, will the College President and AS president automatically get an email for approval?

- How many people can access or edit in Nova at the same time?

- What answer do I select if we are in between two metrics?

SOAA Resources

- How do we find the latest version of the SOAA that will need to get board approval?

- Where can I find resources like the webinar, FAQs, and other SOAA information?

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Thank You!