ABHES SCHOOL GUIDE – PREPARING THE PROGRAMMATIC SER

HOW TO PREPARE THE PROGRAMMATIC SELF EVALUATION REPORT

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The Self-Evaluation Report is a document prepared in a narrative format that, along with the Exhibits, will demonstrate your institution's compliance with ABHES standards.

RECOMMENDED STEPS FOR PREPARING THE PROGREAMMATIC SER

- 1. Attend ABHES's Workshops.
- 2. Assign SER committee members.
- 3. Download ABHES's Programmatic SER template and review the Programmatic SER Instructions.
- 4. Share ABHES workshop information with the SER committee members.
- 5. Issue the school's Policies and Procedures Manual aligned with ABHES's standards.
- 6. Provide training to all personnel on newly adopted Policies and Procedures.
- 7. Committee members start working on the writing of the SER sections and Exhibits.
- 8. Conduct weekly SER committee meetings to confirm progress.
- 9. Ask committee members to provide feedback on SER sections assigned to other personnel.
- 10. All personnel must be involved with the SER and Exhibits: creation, data collection, and review.
- 11. Consult often with ABHES staff for clarifications and guidance.
- 12. Submit Draft SER as per the due date provided.
- 13. Make corrections to Draft SER as per the preliminary visit recommendations.
- 14. Submit the Final SER as per provided deadline and instructions.

PROGRAMMATIC SER SECTIONS

- 1. Cover Page
- 2. Program Information
- 3. Chapter II Eligibility and Classifications
- 4. Chapter V Educational Programs Standards (one per program)
- 5. Chapter VI Degree Program Standards (one per each degree program)
- 6. Chapter VII MA Medical Assisting Standards
- 7. Chapter VII MLT Medical Laboratory Technology Standards
- 8. Chapter VII ST Surgical Technology Standards
- 9. Chapter IX Distance Education Standards
- 10. Exhibits

REFERENCES

- ABHES Instructions for the Programmatic Self-Evaluation Report.
- ABHES Accreditation Manual.

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