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- *The webcast will begin shortly.*
- *There is no audio being broadcast at this time.*
- *An archive of this webcast will be available on the WCET website next week.*

NC-SARA Enrollment Data Collection and Reporting

New - 2017 Reporting Guide

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- *Use the question box for questions and information exchange.*
- *Archive, PowerPoint, and Resources available next week.*
- *PowerPoint can be downloaded in the handouts pane.*
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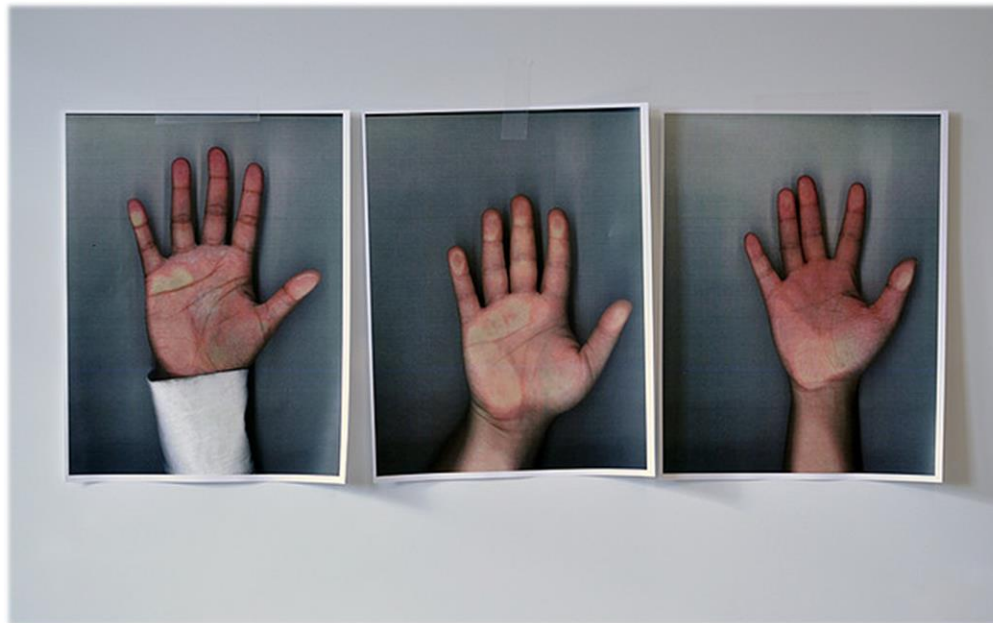
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Overview



Questions from the Audience

- *If you have a question during the presentation, please add your questions to the question box.*
- *We will monitor the question box and have time for Q&A at the end of each section.*



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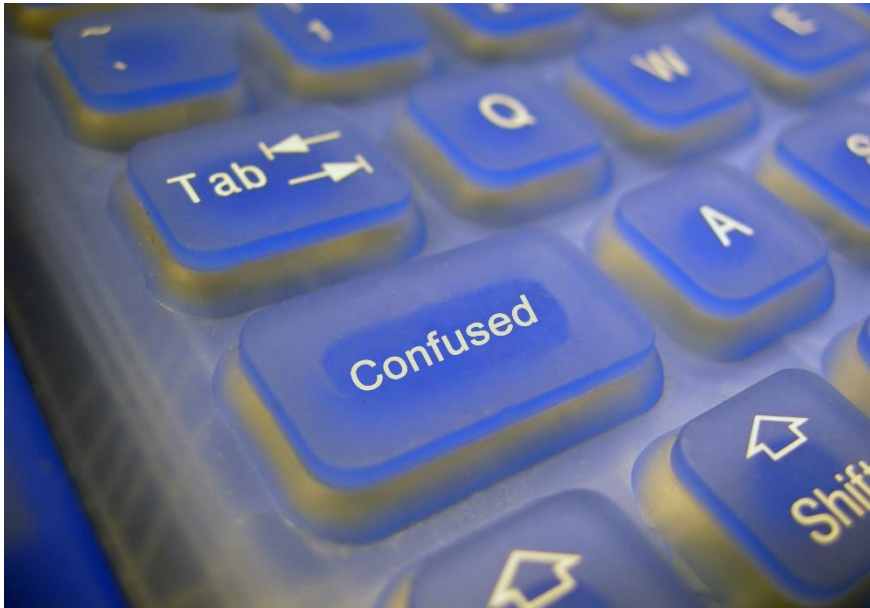
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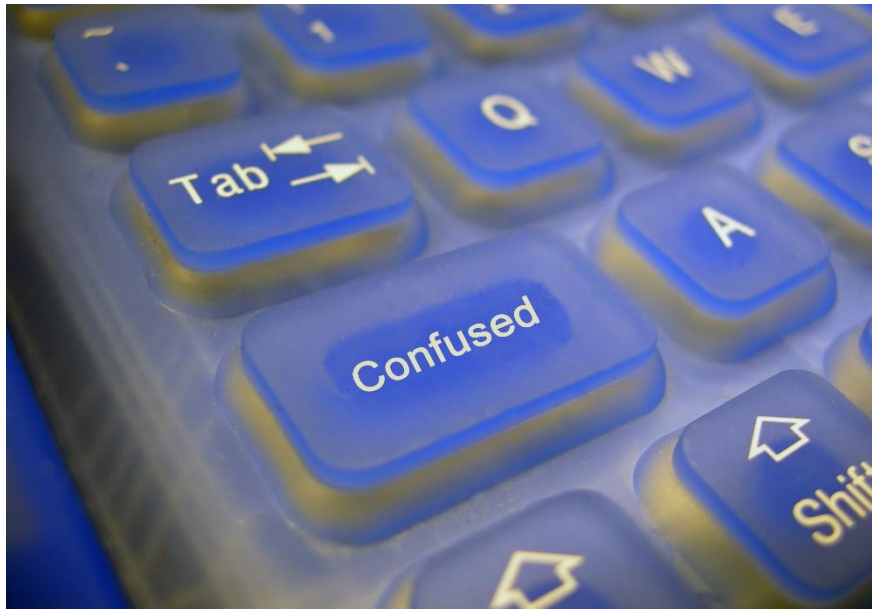
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Distance education course:

A course in which the instructional content is delivered exclusively via distance education. Requirements for coming to campus for orientation, testing, or academic support services do not exclude a course from being classified as distance education.

<https://surveys.nces.ed.gov/ipeds/VisGlossaryAll.aspx>

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NC-SARA Enrollment Reporting – The Basics

- **Who reports?**
 - All SARA institutions
- **When do institutions report?**
 - Between May 22-June 14, 2017
- **How do institutions report?**
 - Each institution's SARA contacts will be sent a URL link on or around May 22



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What do institutions report?

- SARA institutions will report the **number of students enrolled exclusively in distance education delivered outside the home state of the institution.**



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What do institutions report?

- The name/label/identifier for the relevant IPEDS field in which your institution reported that aggregated data for fall 2016 is:

“Students enrolled exclusively in distance education courses and are located in U.S. but not in same state/jurisdiction as institution” (EF2015A_DIST All students total).



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What do institutions report?

- The aggregated data you reported to IPEDS in that field for fall 2016 enrollments is the data you are to disaggregate by state, territory or district.
- Submit the data to NC-SARA between May 22 – June 14, 2017.



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What's different for spring 2017 reporting?

There is no longer a cell size limit on reporting enrollments; report actual enrollments in each state. **(In 2016 we instructed institutions to report “zero” for each state in which their enrollments were fewer than ten students. For 2017 there is no such directive. Report actual enrollment numbers for each state, regardless of number.) (We’re providing a legal opinion on this.)**



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What's different for spring 2017 reporting?

For spring 2017, DO NOT include experiential learning placements in the enrollment data you report. We plan to *encourage* such reporting in spring 2018 and *require* it (likely by two-digit CIP code) in spring 2019.

Additional guidance on experiential learning placement reporting will be provided for the 2018 and 2019 reporting periods.



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What's different for spring 2017 reporting?

Within the online form on which you will report your enrollments, we've added a space to briefly comment on any apparent anomalies in your data. Please do not ask questions here as this box will not be actively monitored in that respect.

Please email data@nc-sara.org directly for any questions.

When will the *NC-SARA Spring 2017 Enrollment Data Reporting Guide* be available?

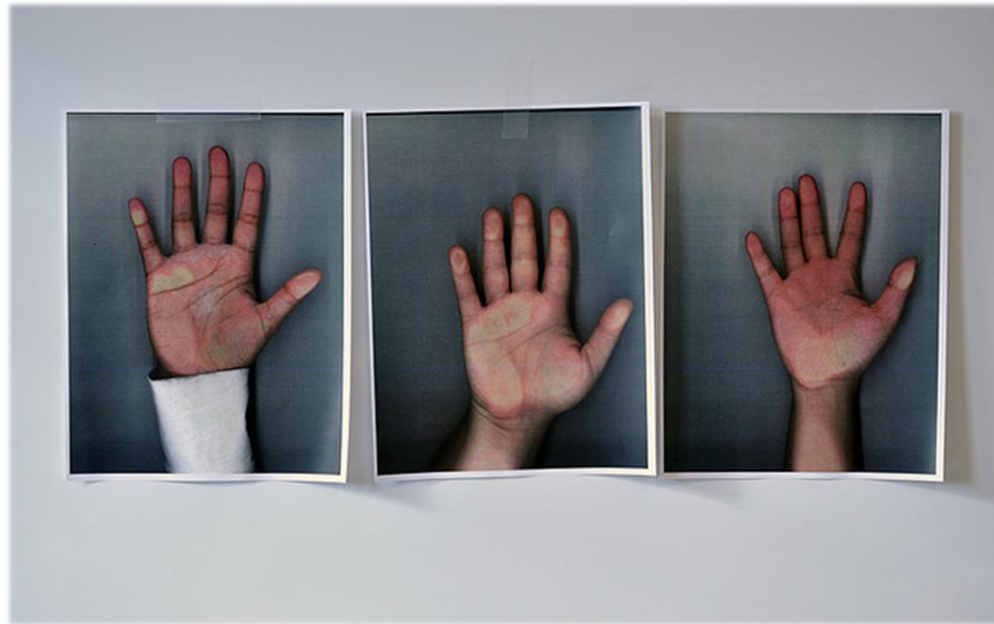
The *Guide* was sent to institutional SARA contacts and is available at www.nc-sara.org.



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