

Vernon College
Assessment Activity/Report Communication Form
2019-2020

Higher Education Regional Council

Title: (HERC)

Date of completion: April 13, 2020

Highlights of data: Public community colleges shall submit all off-campus lower-division courses proposed for delivery to sites outside their service areas for review per THECB. Each Higher Education Regional Council (HERC) shall make recommendations to the Commissioner regarding off-campus courses and programs proposed for delivery in accordance with the consensus views of Council members. For the 20-21 year, VC expects to offer courses only within the service area except for out-of-state clinical sites for Nursing and EMS. Additional clinical sites were added but all are in VC's service area. This report was approved at the Region 2 HERC meeting on May 28 via a virtual meeting due to COVID-19 (meeting is usually in April but due to COVID-19, it was moved to May).

Use of data: VC is part of Region 2 as outlined by THECB. A report is submitted electronically for the HERC members in VC's region to review and discuss. VC is then able to see if another community college is offering courses in VC's service area. A meeting with all Region 2 colleges and universities is held in April or May each year to review and approve all the submitted plans.

How associated to Student Success? VC wants to make sure that students in our service area are provided, when available, the courses and programs they desire to take.

Where the report can be found: Dean of Instructional Services

Submitted by: Shana Drury **Date:** 4-13-2020
(Responsible Party)

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* To be shared with the Student Success Data and College Effectiveness Committees as well as Vernon College constituents.