

# NEW MEXICO HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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## Data Advisory Group

### Agenda

10 – 11:30 a.m.

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1. Welcome
2. Approval of Minutes from 01-11-21 Meeting
3. Approval of Minutes from 02-01-21 Meeting
4. Creating an Active/Inactive Degree/Certificate Program Inventory

*We have a list of all approved programs by level and CIP code, but we don't maintain data on the program name actually used at the institution, the specific degree or certificate awarded, and whether or not the program is still active or accepting new students. We're often asked for a list of programs at our colleges and universities, but we aren't able to provide an accurate list.*

5. Can we identify five specific topic areas for data development that the NMHED should focus on between now and the beginning of the next legislative session?

*For example:*

- *headcount, with a focus on demographic categories;*
- *FTE and/or credit hours (use the formula criteria of a grade being awarded?);*
- *degrees and certificates granted (total awards or awardees, as used in the funding formula);*
- *transfer (can a version of momentum points be useful here)*
- *retention and graduation rates (possibly compared to peer grouping of like institutions, as determined from IPEDS data analyses);*
- *job placement of graduates and job retention and salaries over time;*
- *other ideas?*

6. Next meeting
  - a. May 3, 2021 @ 10:00 AM
  - b. Are there specific topics that should be added to the agenda?