



Des Moines Area Community College

AQIP Pathway Eight-Year Cycle Transition Map – Reaffirmation in 2016-17

Academic Year (Cycle Year)	Institutional Activities		Peer Review		Commission Decision- Making ¹	
2014-15 (Year 6)	Submit Systems Portfolio ²	Annual Action Projects Filing 	Conduct Systems Appraisal	Annual Action Projects Response 		
2015-16 (Year 7)	Attend Strategy Forum ²					
2016-17 (Year 8)	Federal Compliance Filing & Comprehensive Quality Review with final review of Criteria for Accreditation			Conduct Federal Compliance Review and Comprehensive Quality Review		Action on Comprehensive Quality Review & Reaffirmation of Accreditation
2017-18 (Year 1)	Attend one Strategy Forum					
2018-19 (Year 2)						
2019-20 (Year 3)	Submit Systems Portfolio			Conduct Systems Appraisal		
2020-21 (Year 4)	Possible Comprehensive Quality Review			Conduct possible Comprehensive Quality Review		Action on possible Comprehensive Quality Review
2021-22 (Year 5)	Attend one Strategy Forum					
2022-23 (Year 6)						
2023-24 (Year 7)	Submit Systems Portfolio		Conduct Systems Appraisal			
2024-25 (Year 8)	Federal Compliance Filing & Comprehensive Quality Review with final review of Criteria for Accreditation		Conduct Federal Compliance Review & Comprehensive Quality Review		Action on Comprehensive Quality Review & Reaffirmation of Accreditation	

¹ The Commission will continue to review data submitted by the institution through the Institutional Update, will apply change processes as appropriate to planned institutional developments, and will monitor the institution through reports, visits, and other means as it deems appropriate.

² These requirements are one-time adjustments to the eight-year cycle, in which the institution would typically attend a Strategy Forum in Year 5 or Year 6 and submit a Systems Portfolio in Year 7. HLC made these adjustments to help ensure the institution's successful transition to the new cycle.