

Mapping Student Learning Outcomes



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Definitions

- Student Learning Outcomes
 - Describe what students should know or be able to do after completing an assignment, course, program, or degree
- Curriculum Maps
 - Matrix that shows relationships between
 - curriculum and intended learning outcomes
 - different levels of learning outcomes
 - learning outcomes and activities/assignments/tests

Purposes

- Planning tool for creating or revising assignments, courses, or curricula
- Evaluation tool for examining alignment between expected outcomes and what is being taught
- Communication tool for helping students and other stakeholders understand what students are expected to learn

Relevance

- Why do gtPathways competencies and content criteria need to be included on the syllabus?
 - Reinforce consistency across multiple institutions, sections, and instructors
 - Ensure required transfer criteria are addressed
 - Guard against curriculum “drift” over time
 - Provide equitable opportunities for students to learn the required content and competencies
 - Communicate expectations for learning in gtPathways courses



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