Example Advising Metrics

How to Use This Tool

- Design individual advisor performance evaluations by measuring success metrics within each advisor's caseload
- Assess the overall performance of advising by measuring success metrics for the overall student body

Who Should Use This Tool

- The most senior leader who oversees academic advising (e.g., Director or AVP of Academic Advising)
- The most senior leader charged with assessing advising (e.g., AVP of Institutional Effectiveness or Director of Student Success Effectiveness)

Advising Success Metrics

% response rate to advisor emails, texts, or push notifications

% of students who had at least one advising appointment in the past year

% of early alerts or flags that resulted in an intervention by the advisor

% of referrals that resulted in a student meeting with the desired support service

% of students submitting a degree plan

% of students declaring a major on time

% of students whose GPA improved term-over-term

% credits earned (vs. credits attempted)

credits earned per year

% of students who received a passing grade in critical gateway or milestone courses

% of students registering for the next term

% of students who refiled the FAFSA

% of students who had an internship or job shadow

% of students who joined a student organization, volunteered, or played an intramural sport

of excess credits earned1 (by graduating students)