# UND SMHS Strategic Plan Individual Unit Report for 2022 GOAL 2 for Chose or type your unit name here

### **LEARNING**

One UND Strategic Plan Goal 2: Increase undergraduate, graduate, and professional graduation rates. UND SMHS Strategic Plan Goal 2: SMHS Units will expand their current systems of student support to ensure continued high graduation rates and improve student satisfaction with the overall quality of their education.

## 1. Describe if/how your unit has addressed this goal.

We have substantially enhanced our student support program in the medical program, including now mandatory meetings with career counselors at least three x / year with a structured template for the meeting and central monitoring that this is happening. Career counselors also provide academic counseling simultaneously in phases 2 and 3 of the curriculum while phase 1 is characterized by aggressive monitoring of student academic performance by the academic counselor. We have also introduced USMLE step 1 and step 2 prep programs.

## 2. Describe how your efforts are being assessed.

We have had no student fail the USMLE step 1 exam in three years. We had one step 2 failure, which is markedly improved from previous. We monitor student satisfaction with student support via the GQ and mid-year survey which have shown some improvements. This is still a work in progress and we look forward to this year's midyear survey.

### 3. Describe how your unit analyzed these data and what assessments were determined.

Mid year survey last year showed some improvement and our GQ results came up a bit, but we still have considerable room to improve. We await this year's mid-year survey results to see how our latest improvements have impacted this.

4. Describe how your unit will implement any further changes and what barriers may exist.

We are awaiting the mid=year survey results and feedback from students to determine what other changes should be made.

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