Outcomes Assessment Implementation Summary (Diesel/Heavy Equipment Certificate)

Complete a separate table for each degree and certificate program.

	Academic Year 2009-2010		20000 0040
Assessment information	2007-08 1) survey of graduates	20008-09 1) survey of graduates	20009-2010 Data still being collected – slow
collected			return rate.
			Low graduation rates of students
Conclusions drawn from the	1) 90% employment	1) 90% employment	
information collected above	2) 28% certificate completion 3) Student satisfaction high	2) 47% certificate completion3) Student satisfaction high	Informal data indicates >80% employment rate and student on-the-job satisfaction with skills learned in class
Curricular changes resulting from conclusions drawn above	Need to change class schedules and hours courses are offered. Low student interest in Academic classes needed for certificate	Need to reorganize welding class schedules and embed English and Human Relation for higher rate of certificate completion.	Added Welding to Wintermester to increase student access to welding classes and thus increase graduation rates