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Project Success has been designed to help assigned institutions to strengthen student outcomes as well as institutional performance. Through a collaborative approach with your institution, the high level goals of the project are to:

- Improve student retention and persistence
- Improve graduation rates
- improve cohort default rates

To demonstrate how student behavior and the above success metrics are impacted by various efforts throughout the student lifecycle, we have built a data warehouse and reporting suite. Effective execution requires data security safe guards, simple data transmission processes and regular reporting deliverables.

Benefits to your institution

The data warehouse will provide actionable data revealing the impact on student behavior of each of the Project Success services implemented. Once your data is uploaded, some reports will be available, and may potentially help guide your decisions about structuring future services.

Your data is secure

Data is securely transferred using a encrypted communication protocol. Systems and data access are managed in a FERPA compliant environment.

The data needed from your institution

Your institution will need to populate a .csv file based on a provided template in order to submit your institution's information via a secure web service on a term by term basis. Data contained in this file will include much of the detail behind the metrics you are already required to submit to IPEDS. A 5-year history will establish a baseline to compare remediation steps.

We will provide resources to assist your designated IT contact to create the .csv file. The data elements required are provided via an online data dictionary which can be found here:

<http://docs.projectsuccesdev.org/>

Data Submission Schedule

- January 15
- June 15
- September 15

The data warehouse enables ECMC to analyze student and institutional performance after using selected Project Success services. The actionable data will potentially provide insights for the institution and for the U.S. Department of Education on services or combinations of services that are positively impacting the institutions' retention, graduation and cohort default rate.

