What They're Saying...

Indiana's Ivy Tech Report and Recommendations

"Ivy Tech plays an important role in preparing Hoosiers for our workforce. I am confident that the report will help provide Ivy Tech leadership with tools they need to continually improve and meet the needs of their students."

- Indiana State Senator Luke Kenley

"With today's workforce skills challenges, the importance of the Ivy Tech mission has never been greater. This evaluation of student outcomes and recommended program enhancements will only serve to increase the effectiveness of Indiana's community college system. Given the continuous improvement model that is essential for all educators and businesses, we applaud the work that has been done and we are confident Ivy Tech leaders will use the information to benefit its students and all stakeholders."

- Kevin Brinegar, President and CEO, Indiana Chamber of Commerce

"The Indiana Commission for Higher Education continues to be a committed leader in the efforts to boost success rates for students and close attainment gaps. This report provides recommendations that will further empower that work and strengthen collaboration with Ivy Tech as we all strive to better serve students. We are seeing great things in Indiana, and the Commission and Ivy Tech are poised to achieve dramatic results in their work together."

- Stan Jones, President, Complete College America

"Ivy Tech is critically important to Indiana's workforce. The recommendation that Ivy Tech use labor market data to help drive current and future academic offerings is exactly what our economy needs."

- Indiana Department of Workforce Development Commissioner Steve Braun

"Ivy Tech is well positioned to build upon the success of its first decade, and the Commission is confident the recommendations outlined in this report create a strong path forward for Ivy Tech and Indiana's workforce. These recommendations were developed in collaboration with Ivy Tech, and we look forward to continuing that partnership as these strategies are implemented across all Ivy Tech campuses."

Indiana Commissioner for Higher Education Teresa Lubbers

"We are pleased to see the Commission reinforce and recognize many of the success efforts and the improvements Ivy Tech has been making. After our first decade we recognize our unique mission here in Indiana and how we can continue to improve in the areas of completion, transfer, job placement and workforce training."

Ivy Tech Board of Trustees Chair Paula Hughes

*Read the full report with recommendations here.