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## Educator Preparation Information Update

### PRAXIS UPDATE

A price increase on Praxis assessments will go into effect on June 1, 2015. Students that register for a summer test date prior to June 1, 2015 will receive the current pricing. Individual Core tests and ParaPro assessments are increasing by five dollars each. The cost for additional score reports will increase by 10 dollars as candidates now receive four free score reports instead of three. Information resources and links are provided below.

[Fee waiver](#) information for students who may qualify due to financial need

[Accommodations](#) for students with disabilities or health-related needs

[Extended time](#) for students whose primary language is not English (PLNE)

[Apply](#) for an account with the ETS Data Manager to run Quick and Custom Data Reports or access Test Taker Score Reports (note: do this for the Praxis Series only and not GACE)

[Institution](#) sign up for Praxis Connections newsletter

[Online](#) computer test demo for your students to practice with computer screen navigation

[Achievement](#) Gap section of the ETS website

[Information](#) on the Praxis Performance Assessment for Teachers which goes operational in the fall

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## EVENTS, RESOURCES AND FURTHER READING

### Free Training Opportunities for Higher Education Faculty:

- The Ohio Leadership Advisory Council (OLAC) free webinars available [online](#)
- **Archived Webinar from the CEEDAR Center available at [Integrating Technology in Teacher Preparation](#)**

**OBR Educator Preparation Listserv.** Anyone interested in receiving notices about educator preparation is invited to join the announcement-only listserv. Faculty and stakeholders are encouraged to join. Click [here](#) to join.

**OBR Guidelines and Procedures for Academic Program Review.** The document can be found [here](#) on our website.

**ODE EDCONNECTION Site.** The webpage can be found [here](#).

**Updated Ohio Standards for Professional Development.** The Ohio Educator Standards Board updated the [Ohio Standards for Professional Development in 2015](#).

**Teaching and Learning in Higher Education Conference.** The conference is scheduled for June 5, 2015 at Franklin University in Phillips Hall. Click [here](#) for more details and registration.

## edTPA UPDATES

**More 2014-2015 Reporting Dates, 2015-2016 Submission and Reporting Deadlines Added.** Click [here](#) for more information.

**Handbooks for 2015-2016.** “Refreshed” handbooks will be available through the AACTE resource library. The changes incorporate clarity and understanding on directions, prompts, video recordings, and rubric language. A “change list” will be posted that explains all the edits.

## OHIO PROGRAM REVIEWS

**Summer 2015 Program Reviews.** A Summer 2015 Program Review Cycle is planned for programs going through the Limited State Review option only. The deadline for submission is June 1, 2015. Initial Inquiries are due on May 26, 2015.

**Fall 2015 Program Review Deadlines.** The Fall 2015 Program Review Cycle deadline for submission will be September 18, 2015. Initial Inquiries will be due on September 4, 2015. Beginning with the Fall 2015 Review Cycle, both Limited State Reviews and Full State Reviews can be submitted into the online submission system for review.

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## IMPORTANT DATES

### June

- 4 SUED Meeting Russell Room
- 4 P-16 Leadership Collaborative (1:30 p.m.)
- 5 Teaching and Learning in Higher Education Conference (Franklin)
- 12 OAPCTE Meeting (GoToMeeting 10 a.m.)

### August

- 6 SUED Meeting Russell Room
- 17 Metrics Reporting System Opens
- 17 Metrics Reporting System Training Webinar (information to come)
- 28 Stevie Chepko (CAEP) at The University of Cincinnati

### September

- 3 SUED Meeting Russell Room
- 17-19 CAEPCon (Washington, DC)

### October

- 1 SUED Meeting Russell Room
- 30 Metrics Reporting System Closes

### November

- 5 SUED Meeting Russell Room

### December

- 3 SUED Meeting Russell Room

