

## ETQA INFORMATION SESSION



## **Accreditation Updates**

#### **Key Discussion Themes**

- New INSETA Accreditation Policy
- Feedback on accreditation application processing
- Monitoring Feedback
- System Enhancements
- Advocacy of the ETQA Function
- Update on Partnerships formed



## Accreditation U

#### **Accreditation Policy**

The INSETA accreditation policy has been reviewed and updated. An updated policy has been published and is <u>effective as of the 29 May 2018.</u>

#### Key policy sections to note:

Section 7: Requirements for Accreditation

Section 9: Accreditation conditions (clauses 9.1, 9.2 - 9.3)

Section 11: Requests for Reaccreditation

Section 12: Roles and Responsibilities of Skills Development Providers

Section 13: Suspension of Accreditation

Section 15: Lapse of Accreditation

Section 16: De-accreditation

## Accreditation Upd

#### **Full Accreditation Criteria**

An SDP must have successfully met all of the requirements of <u>Provisional Accreditation, including a successful monitoring visit,</u> <u>successful verification of learning and upload of learner</u> <u>achievements onto the INSETA Learner Management System</u>

#### Requests for renewal of accreditation

- Requests must be made in writing three (3) months prior to accreditation expiry
- The INSETA will remind SDPs to renew an award of accreditation

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## An SDP must ensure the following in the state of the stat

- Apply to INSETA for the Verification of learner achievements within 30 days of learning completion.
- Upload learner enrolments onto the INSETA Learner Management System within 7 working days of learners commencing their studies.
- Upload learner achievements onto the INSETA Learner Management System within 21 working days after receipt of a signed endorsed Verification NLRD.
  - Ensure that Administrators employed by the SDP attend training on the INSETA's Learner Management System.

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#### **Lapse of Accreditation (reason**

- No written application to renew accreditation has been received by INSETA
- No proof of current training against INSETA awarded learning programme scope
- No proof of current training against Primary SETA issued learning programme scope in the case of secondary providers

#### **Suspension of Accreditation**

 Any identified irregularity, non-performance (that includes learner pass rate that is lower than 60% )and non-compliance with accreditation criteria

## Accreditation Updates

#### Feedback on current applications

The receipt of new applications closed on the 30<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

The ETQA is currently closing off accreditation processes for all applications older and newer received pre the 30<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

The majority of providers have completed mandated accreditation processes with interviews for some SDPs pending.

## Accreditation Updates

#### **Provisional Accreditation Development Plans**

Will require that the SDP successfully provide the following prior to being allowed to implement INSET/ quality assured learning programme (s):

- Marketing Brochures
- A generic learner induction guide
- Training plans and notional hour schedules
- Facilitator, assessor and moderator guides aligned to the INSETA's assessment and moderation criteria and guidelines

## Monitoring Up

- Scheduled provider monitoring was successfully implemented during the 2017/2018 financial reporting year. Monitoring was conducted across providers located in Gauteng, Western Cape and Kwa – Zulu Natal.
- Monitoring reports have been issued to the majority of provider's monitored.
- Provider compliance is noted regarding the submission of evidence required to ensure closure of monitoring and evaluation processes.
- Providers will be formally notified of mandated and or prescribed monitoring required as detailed in the current accreditation policy.
- Please note: The Provider contact person(s) involved in the monitoring process must be consistent. The ETQA must be notified if there is a change in personnel who will be engaged in monitoring processes.

## System Enhancements

- Methodology Tab Live
- Provider Accreditation SOR In development
- System generated Public Accreditation List detailing qualifications In development, Excel list detailing provider qualification scope to be uploaded onto the INSETA website in the interim

## Advocacy of the ETO

- INSETA E- learning Guideline Review (Focus Group discussion, Feb 2018)
- ETQA Provider Information Session (July 2018, Gauteng)
- INSETA MIS Training (Ongoing)
- Targeted emerging provider capacity building workshops (TBC)

# Strengthening and Formation of Strategic Partnerships

Number of TVET Colleges awarded with new <u>initial</u> accreditation (provisional):

- Buffalo City TVET College , East London, Eastern Cape
- South West Gauteng TVET College, Johannesburg, Gauteng
- Ekurhuleni West College , Ekurhuleni, Gauteng
- Majuba TVET College, Newcastle, Kwa- Zulu Nata
- Gert Sibande TVET College , Mpumalanga

#### **TVET Lecturer Development**

TVET College lecturers were successfully trained during the 2017/2018 financial year. The ETQA has commenced with recruitment processes to enable the training of lecturers for the 2018/2019 financial year.

#### General

**Accreditation and Monitoring** 

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# QUESTIONS

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