

Do You Know the Score?

Things that Can Keep You above NSLDS's 90% Threshold

90%

Each month, the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) calculates a score based on the data it accepts through the NSLDS Enrollment Roster/Student Status Confirmation Report (SSCR) process. If your institution receives a score below 90 percent for "Percent Certified with Program Enrollment," and/or "Percent Program Certified with 2020 CIP Year," you may receive a compliance notice from Federal Student Aid (FSA). Paying attention to the items below can help you keep your score at 90 percent and above.



Report Complete & Accurate Program-Level Data

Confirm that your institution is accurately reporting program-level information to the Clearinghouse.



Reflect CIP Year 2020 CIP Codes

Submit program-level information reflecting CIP Year 2020 values instead of CIP Year 2010 (*see [Phase II of Clearinghouses CIP 2020 Enhancement Is Here](#)*).



NSLDS Enrollment Roster Errors

Submit student enrollment updates related to NSLDS Enrollment Roster errors using the Clearinghouse's NSLDS Error Response functionality.



COD-Related Discrepancies

Certify students with new program data reported to NSLDS by the Common Origination and Disbursement (COD) system. Contact NSLDS to resolve COD-related discrepancies.



Undeclared and Undecided Majors

Properly report CIP codes for students in degree-seeking programs, who do not have declared majors (*see the [current NSLDS Enrollment Reporting Guide](#)*).



Student Behavior

If a large percentage of your students are not in degree-seeking programs at your institution, contact NSLDS to inquire about a custom score threshold.



Consortium Agreements

Ensure that students who are attending under consortium agreements are properly reported by their home institutions.



Questions? Contact us at auditresource@studentclearinghouse.org.

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