B.S. in MORTUARY SCIENCE

THE LEADER

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ASSESSMENT
The Mortuary Science program established several interrelated learning outcomes for students. In order to capture each of these, the program used multiple assessment methods, including National Board Exam (NBE) scores and graduate and employer surveys, ensuring that all methods worked well together in a complementary fashion. Graduate surveys covered the NBE examination experience and touched on skills determined to be necessary for employers. In this way, the program could assess the skills and needs of the full range of its constituents.

IMPACT
The program's use of mixed, complementary assessments has allowed for cohesive change. Faculty members have been able to specifically target areas for curriculum revision and focus on National Board Exam demands. New faculty members have been supported in innovative teaching efforts, and students are better prepared for employment upon graduation.