

## **Appendix L: Credit for Prior Learning Ambassador Brief**

## Indiana Credit for Prior Learning Program Ambassador Talking Points and Program Highlights

As an Indiana CPL Program Ambassador, you will be serving as your institution's subject mater expert on behalf of the Commission in growing CPL program initiatives and will aid in statewide program implementation.

Your role as a CPL Program Ambassador is essential in advocating the importance of a CPL program at your institution, and you will represent the program positively in supporting its growth and expansion. This CPL Ambassador strategy will aid the Commission in conveying the program purpose, values, and content to institutional administrators and faculty, aiding program implementation. In addition to raising awareness on campus, you may also provide feedback to the Commission, feedback that supports new program initiatives that may have been overlooked, or further program enhancements, modifications, and growth strategies for implementation.

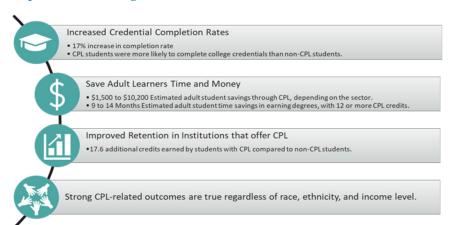
Here are some key Indiana CPL Program highlights and talking points to aid you in this role.

- 1. Every public institution participated in the development of this statewide CPL program and model policy guidance.
- 2. All public institutions within Indiana will administer a Credit for Prior Learning Program.
- 3. Every student will have access to their respective institution's CPL program.
- 4. The CPL Model Policy Guidance provides for minimum program standards and supports consistency among the institutions.

- 5. Each institution will comply with these minimum program standards but also has the authority to exceed these minimum standards. It is not the intent of the Commission to override current institutions CPL policies and practices. The Commission does encourage institutions to keep the Commission informed of their policy modifications. The Commission is also available to assist institutions in policy development.
- 6. Each institution's CPL program and policies currently are available on CHE Clearinghouse website. This central repository serves to aid all learners in accessing CPL opportunities. The Clearinghouse repository site will continue to evolve as CPL program modifications, enhancements, new institutions coming on board (private), training videos for faculty, etc., are established. The Clearinghouse will serve as an important tool for promoting and expanding access to the many CPL opportunities across the state.
- 7. All institutions will be responsible for collecting program data for quality assurance purposes and may be requested to submit this data for state reporting purposes and enabling the Commission to stay abreast of the program implementation and progress.
- 8. Further guidance will be forthcoming from the Commission in supporting CPL program implementation, including CHEDSS data collection processes, Clearinghouse 2.0 needs, professional development in support of the CPL program.
- 9. Institutional CPL program implementation needs should be addressed with the Commission's Adult Strategy division by contacting: Dr. Stacy Townsley, stownsley@che.in.gov
- 10. Integrating CPL program, policies and practices is key to fostering access and equity in post-secondary atainment and achievement.



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#### Phase III Credit for Prior Learning Final Report

#### **CPL Program Ecosystem and Benefits**

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