EVALUATION SYSTEM



> YOUTH PROGRAM QUALITY INTERVENTION (YPQI)

The Oklahoma 21st Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) program utilizes the YPQI process to assess the quality of funded programs in the state. Using the Program Quality Assessment (PQA) tool, this three-step process, Assess-Plan-Improve, was developed by the David P. Weikart Center for Youth Program Quality. The PQA tool is used for both self and external assessments.

> FEDERAL REPORTING SYSTEM

The U.S. Department of Education (USDE) requires data to be reported by all 21st CCLC programs. Oklahoma grantees collect and report data through an online data portal, OK_ExLS (**Ok**lahoma's **Ex**panded **L**earning **S**ystem). This system was developed to provide grantees access to manage data in real-time, and to provide a clean and accurate report to USDE.

SURVEYS

Surveys are conducted with parents, students, staff, and program directors to include their experience with the 21st CCLC program. This information is included in both the site-level and statewide evaluation reports.

MONITORING

Monitoring of the 21st CCLC grants is required by USDE to ensure compliance within federal regulations. The monitoring is accomplished through site visits and claims audits. Additionally, the OSDE uses the monitoring to assess program strengths and challenges, and to identify areas for training and needed technical assistance. Monitoring visits are conducted with second through fifth year grantees based upon an annual risk assessment process.

