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SAUM provided an excellent opportunity for the United States Military Academy to look at its assessment program, learn from other institutions involved in the grant and make adjustments to its procedures. The most recent visit from the Middle States Commission on Higher Education made us rethink our program of assessment. Although we had established goals, collected data, and closed the loop by looking at our data and making necessary changes, our procedures were not formalized. Over the last two years we have refocused our efforts into writing clear measureable objectives. We have formalized the collection of this data and created a long range plan of which goals would be assessed each year. Our talk would discuss our new goals and outcomes, our plan to assess these goals and outcomes, and the changes that we have made thus far. (Received September 25, 2012)