

Call for Member Recommendations for the 2019 CAUDIT Benchmarking data collection

The Benchmarking Advisory Committee [BMAC] is continually looking to refine the benchmarking system to ensure the annual CAUDIT Benchmarking data collection continues to meet the needs of the CAUDIT membership. BMAC is seeking recommendations from its members on new areas or changes in the current data element coverage for the 2019 CAUDIT Benchmarking System.

For the 2018 data collection, member CISOs recommended the newly introduced cybersecurity section of 2017 be expanded to include vital information on Endpoint Protection Platforms, Email Security Services and Cybersecurity Awareness and Training. Also, another two systems, Research Data Management and Research Data Repository systems were also added to the Primary Systems listing.

Would you like to suggest a new area or data elements to be included in the CAUDIT Benchmarking System?

If you have idea for something that would benefit all members, please forward your suggestion to your CIO/Director, quoting this CAUDIT Newsletter item or email Steven Wojnarowski, Director, Analytics and Strategic Initiatives by COB Monday 4 March 2019 via benchmarking@caudit.edu.au.

All suggestions will be put forward to the Benchmarking Advisory Committee at its mid-March 2019 meeting for consideration in the 2019 data collection.

Nominating new topic or item

In nominating a new topic or item for inclusion please include the following details:

1. A brief, precise title of your proposed item.
2. A definition of the proposed item (this will ensure correct interpretation by CAUDIT members when they are providing the data).
3. A brief description of the value to CAUDIT members of the proposed item and how knowing this could be applied.

Please note: as Information on the proposed item needs to be readily available for reporting by ALL CAUDIT members would you please also identify:

4. the source (e.g. system) of this information within an institution if not within the IT section (noting that this may vary dependent upon structure)
5. When the required information for the proposed will be available AFTER the end of the calendar year being reported (noting that this may vary dependent upon individual institution's practices)
6. Identify whether the information is 'calendar-year' based or reported at a specific point in time during the year.

Whether this information is currently available across the CAUDIT membership and is likely to continue to be available over time in order to enable trend analysis are key considerations in .

We look forward to your suggestions!