Part VIII. Closing the Loop
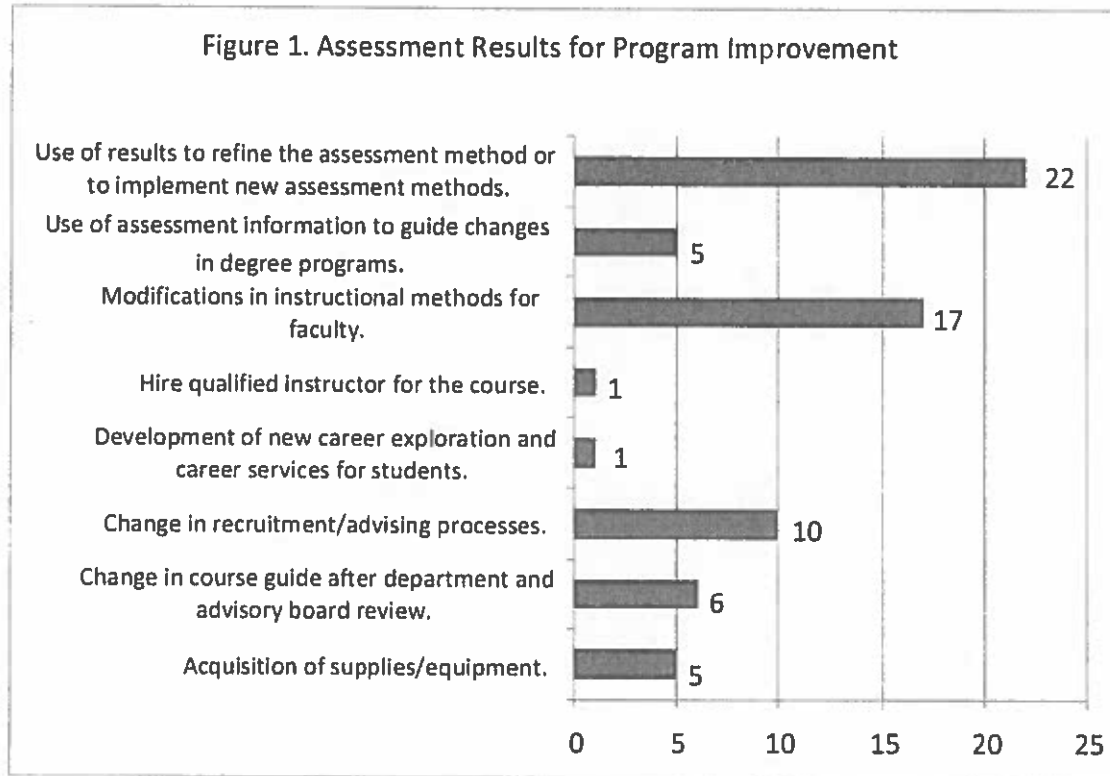
Figure 1 below provides information on how programs used their assessment results for program improvement.

Figure 1. Assessment Results for Program Improvement

As seen in Figure 1 above, the most frequently reported use of assessment results for program improvement is the *refinement of the assessment method or implementation of new assessment methods* (n=22), followed by *modifications in instructional methods for faculty* (n=17), *change in recruitment/advising processes* (n=10), *change in course guide after department and advisory board review* (n=6), *use of assessment information to guide changes in degree programs* (n=5), *acquisition of supplies/equipment* (n=5). Detailed examples of use and anticipated use of assessment results can be found in Appendix C.