### **Do-It-Yourself MQI**

We provide below some sample categories and sample statements that you may want to use for your DIY MQI:

#### A. In-class teaching and learning:

- 1. The class is well organized overall (e.g., syllabus, class activities, Canvas site)
- 2. The lecture/class time is well organized
- 3. The class incorporates active learning (as pair/group work and activities) in ways that help me learn better
- 4. The instructor uses real-world examples, explanations, and demonstrations to support my understanding
- 5. The instructor uses visuals (e.g., videos, images, and diagrams) in ways that help me better understand the material
- 6. Student participation is encouraged and supported in this class
- 7. The lecture is delivered at a pace that supports comprehension (e.g., not too fast and not too slow)
- 8. The instructor presents clear expectations for homework and assignments
- 9. The amount of work in this class is appropriate
- 10. The teaching assistants help me learn in this class/lab

## **B.** In-class and out-of-class support for learning:

- 1. The class incorporates handouts, activity guides, notes, or other materials that support my learning
- 2. The class incorporates homework that supports my learning
- 3. The class incorporates practice problems, practice midterms, and/or other practice assignments that support my learning
- 4. The instructor provides helpful feedback on assignments
- 5. The class content is clear and understandable (i.e., not too hard and not too easy)

# C. Technology that supports learning:

- 1. The instructor uses available classroom technology (e.g., document camera, projector, board, lecture capture, etc) in ways that support my learning
- 2. The instructor uses new media (e.g., podcasts, YouTube videos, Ted Talks) in ways that help me learn
- 3. The instructor uses Canvas effectively to support my learning
- 4. The instructor uses clickers or other classroom response technology that support my learning

### D. Assessment and grading:

- 1. The exams cover the content presented in class
- 2. The exams are neither too easy nor too hard
- 3. The grading structure/breakdown is clear and understandable
- 4. The instructor provides rubrics and/or a scoring guide that supports my learning
- 5. The instructor provides examples and models for assignments and exams
- 6. The class incorporates instructor feedback and/or peer feedback

## E. Engagement, Equity, and Inclusion:

- 1. I am motivated to do well in this class
- 2. I feel engaged in this class
- 3. I feel encouraged by the instructor to participate in this class
- 4. I feel I belong in this class
- 5. I feel respected by the instructor
- 6. I observe that the instructor treats all students with respect
- 7. I feel that my unique attributes (e.g., traits, characteristics, skills, experience, and background) are valued by the instructor in this class
- 8. I feel that the instructional materials in this class are inclusive of my cultural background and/or experiences