

Categorizing Recommendations

After each subgroup has ample time to meet, analyze and dialogue, and make discoveries, the larger Self-Assessment Team reconvenes. At this time, the Self-Assessment Team looks at ALL discoveries across subgroups, identifies themes, and creates final recommendations. These recommendations inform the Self-Assessment report.

Recommendations may be categorized as (one or more of the following):

- **Progress on goals and objectives:** They reflect progress toward an established goal.
- **Systemic issues:** They are related to the “big picture” of how your program operates or they have program-wide implications.
- **Innovations:** They are cutting-edge practices or new avenues that will benefit your program.