

## **Criterion 1**

The lists of questions are not all-encompassing; they are categorized only to act as helpful questions used to prepare the campus prior to the meetings with the HLC visit team.

When preparing answers to the criterion team's questions, please consider incorporating the themes expressed in UAFS's Mission and Vision Statements, as well as its Commitments and Strategic Plan.

### **Criterion 1. Mission**

**The institution's mission is clear and articulated publicly; it guides the institution's operations.**

#### **Core Components**

**1.A. The institution's mission is articulated publicly and operationalized throughout the institution.**

**1.B. The institution's mission demonstrates a commitment to the public good.**

**1.C. The institution provides opportunities for civic engagement in a diverse, multi-cultural community. As you understand it, what is the institution's mission?**

**2. How do you know where you would find the official mission statement?**

**3. How is the spirit of the mission reflected in what you do and in your daily life?**

**4. What do you see as the strongest evidence that the institution knows and follows its mission?**

**5. In what ways is the institution accomplishing its mission? In what ways is it not?**

**6. Does your college have a mission statement? (Also, department, administrative, or service unit)**

**7. Are your department and divisional policies and procedures consistent with the institution's mission?**

**8. How was the mission developed (what was the process)?**

**Who had input?**

**Why was this appropriate for our campus?**

**9. How is the mission reviewed?**

**How often?**

**Who is involved to ensure mission and purpose are aligned?**

7c. How does the mission inform academics (curriculum and instruction, student support services, other endeavors)?

9. Does the UA System Board of Trustees support the mission of UAFS?

29. How does UAFS support the community at large?
30. What do you believe have been the major accomplishments of UAFS over the last ten years?
31. What are UAFS's problem areas?
32. What concerns do you have about the future of UAFS?
33. Are marketing materials accurate and up to date?
34. Is there anything you would like us to know that we have not asked or covered