**Fall 2017
Student Feedback:
Course & Faculty Evaluations**

AEFIS

Beginning fall 2017, the College of Dentistry will be using a new electronic evaluation system, AEFIS. This will replace the former system, ACE evaluations.

Why the Change?

AEFIS has allowed us to streamline the evaluation process and reduce the amount of surveys you will receive. Each course will only have one survey, instead of the individual surveys you received for each instructor. Additionally, we minimized the number of questions you will have to answer. Now it will take you less time to complete the surveys and we will receive more useful data!

Evaluation Process

Open Evaluation Period: All course evaluations will be open for a total of 14 days towards the end of the course end date. Many course directors are allocating time during the last week of class for you to complete the surveys.

Notifications: You will receive an email from dentistry-curriculum-map@uiowa.edu with a link to the specific course survey. You will receive additional reminder notices if you have not completed the survey. **NOTE:** *Please check your junk folder if you have not received an email notification by the last week of your course.*

Evaluating Faculty Teaching: You will have the opportunity to evaluate every faculty listed in a course. If you did not interact with an instructor, please DO NOT evaluate them. Simply select NO ANSWER.

Evaluation Results: Aggregate data (your individual responses are completely anonymous) becomes available to faculty after grades have been submitted.

Accessing Course Evaluations

In the email notifications there will be a link that will directly take you to specific course evaluations. You can also login directly into uiowa.aefis.net to access and complete any open course evaluation.

Why Is Student Feedback Important?

Constructive student feedback is imperative and valued for continual curricular improvements and faculty development. Course directors use your feedback to make adjustments to courses to improve for future classes. Faculty teaching data is used to help instructors teach more effectively.

Thank you in advance for your time and input!