Draft questions for possible inclusion in Program Review and/or New Program Proposal

At our meeting on January 10, 2020, E&E discussed potential prompts around industry
partnerships that might be posed during program review and/or on the “new program
proposal” form. The goal would be for program staff and faculty to reflect on ethical issues
students may face during their engagement with industry partners and reflect on any barriers
that may impact traditionally marginalized student groups.

Here are the questions we discussed:

1. What barriers to access do you anticipate this program would pose for students in
disproportionately impacted groups? (Adrienne)
2. What steps can you imagine the college might take to lower/eliminate those barriers to access?
(Patrick)
3. What steps you imagine you or the college might take to reduce the chance that the new
program will reproduce our collegewide racially predictable success patterns? (Adrienne)
4. What ethical concerns are presented due to the partnership with this industry and how does
this curriculum address these challenges? (Chris)
5. Did you look for partnerships with alternates that did not have those ethical issues? (Lené)

Ram suggests these are too many. Here are his suggestions for narrowing:

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