The Project health check is accessed through tools.apicollege.edu.au. The user is issued with a user ID and password to access their desired service. PH-Check performs the following functions:

- Creates an account for each user and archives project assessment results individually
- Assigns a time and sequence number to a new assessment
- Permits the user to select assessment type and categories, as well as targets
- Guides the process and furnishes tips through “Quick help” throughout the process
- Generates customised graphic and text reports (performance vs. targets and historical reports)

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- Assess fitness for purpose (strategic and business alignment)
- Assess implementation efficiency and effectiveness
- Get a status report vs. targets
- Benchmark to 5 levels of practice maturity
PH-Check is designed to diagnose the health of a project or program at any point in its life, applying 67 indicators that characterise 18 core functions on projects/programs. It assesses how a project or program is being managed, e.g. in terms of governance and leadership, planning and control, information & communication management as well as finance, customers and markets, stakeholders, technology, etc. The report displays managerial performance against defined targets. It can be benchmarked at different levels of practice. PH-Check can be used as a tool to manage complexity and risks effectively thus shortening delivery time and reducing costs.

- The rise in complexity, uncertainty and change affects all significant projects and programs making classical managerial approaches increasingly less effective
- Most current PM standards and textbooks tend to concentrate on project execution phase, applying a standard approach
- Research has shown that success in projects critically depends on dynamic management of the project, including the strategic and business factors
- The 9 knowledge areas of project management only cover a fraction of core project management functions in typical projects/programs
- Most project failures can be traced to poor management of business and strategic areas.
- PH-Check ensures a balanced approach to all project areas throughout project lifecycle
- PH-Check is a tool for management of project complexity and risks. Projects/programs are assumed as emergent systems and in need of regular intervention and alignment to steer to success (dynamic management)