The mission of the Purdue Technical Assistance Program (TAP) is to advance economic prosperity, health, and quality of life in Indiana and beyond. TAP supports performance improvement in Indiana companies and organizations through various programs and services that utilize faculty, students, and staff in nine statewide offices. Employers served include companies, hospitals, health departments, and governmental units throughout the state. Impacts are considerable, and since 1986 TAP programs and services have assisted over 14,000 organizations, trained over 43,000 employees, created or retained over $1 billion in sales, increased capital investments by $301 million, contributed to cost savings of $130 million, and created or retained over 14,000 jobs in the state, according to the organizations that were assisted.

QUICK FACTS FISCAL YEAR 2013-14

Funding and activity:
- $10,478,297 in funding from 257 sources
- Served 965 employers in 83 counties
- 8,842 employees trained
- 172 faculty, staff, student participants

Reported Impacts:
- Jobs added/saved 405
- Increased/retained sales $112.8 M
- Cost savings $9.6 M
- Capital investments $58.2 M
- Medicare and Medicaid electronic health records incentive payments earned (est.) $138 M
- Providers assisted with electronic health records since 2010 3,193