

# **Presentation to the Massachusetts Board of Elementary and Secondary Education**

## **Online Teaching and Learning**

### **From Educational Technology Advisory Council**

#### **Research to Inform Policy**

Where can we find useful research on online teaching and learning? Some examples:

- Class Connections: High School Reform and the Role of Online Learning, Babson Research Group (2010) [http://www3.babson.edu/ESHIP/research-publications/upload/Class\\_connections.pdf](http://www3.babson.edu/ESHIP/research-publications/upload/Class_connections.pdf)
- Evaluation of Evidence-Based Practices in Online Learning: A Meta-Analysis and Review of Online Learning Studies, U.S. Department of Education (2009) <http://www.ed.gov/rschstat/eval/tech/evidence-based-practices/finalreport.pdf>
- K-12 Online Learning: A 2008 Follow-up of the Survey of U.S. School District Administrators, Sloan Consortium (2009) [http://www.sloanconsortium.org/publications/survey/pdf/k-12\\_online\\_learning\\_2008.pdf](http://www.sloanconsortium.org/publications/survey/pdf/k-12_online_learning_2008.pdf)
- Keeping Pace with K-12 Online Learning: An Annual Review of Policy and Practice (2010) <http://kpk12.com/reports/>
- e-Learning for Educators: Effects of Online Professional Development on Teachers and their Students, Boston College (2010) [http://www.bc.edu/research/intasc/PDF/EFE\\_Findings2010\\_ExecutiveSummary.pdf](http://www.bc.edu/research/intasc/PDF/EFE_Findings2010_ExecutiveSummary.pdf)
- The International Association for K-12 Online Learning (iNACOL) website: <http://www.inacol.org/>
- Online Success for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Students, Plymouth Public Schools <http://www.plymouth.k12.ma.us/tv?q=3SfVi13wT7QIKzExGiQhg%253d%253d>