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The NOAA EPIC program wants to find ways to better support our community through education and development. Please fill out this survey to let us know what has been your experience with the program and where improvements can be made to better serve the community. Thank you!

How clear are the overall goals of the EPIC program? *

- ☐ Not clear
- ☐ Somewhat clear
- ☐ Very clear

Please explain

Long answer text

EPIC intends to provide both containerized and non-containerized implementations of necessary code to run UFS-developed models. Are you familiar with utilizing container-based code and libraries? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No



A specific development timeline and structure is not required, but being able to adjust to different team and development structures will be invaluable in the UFS community. Will your organization be able to work with teams that use other development strategies (Waterfall, Agile)? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Maybe

EPIC will be using a variety of tools to assist with development, testing, and deployment of code for the UFS community, including Git, Jenkins and many others. What other tools do you think may be useful for EPIC to consider using for the CI/CD pipeline?

Long answer text

EPIC will also contain a community outreach and engagement team, to develop and track success metrics for the program as a whole as well as communicating with the UFS community. What sort of input do you think may be useful for EPIC to gather from the UFS community?

Long answer text

What other metrics do you think might be useful to track?

Long answer text

UFS code and community will be used by multiple different organizations; some will likely desire a more open code development structure. What has been done to allow for potential changes/improvements to UFS-provided code on a case-by-case basis (i.e. ease of modifying code for end users)?



Long answer text

What has your experience been with the EPIC program so far?

Long answer text

What do you think is going well?

Long answer text

What do you think needs some improvement?

Long answer text

Do you have any other input that may be useful for the EPIC team to consider?

Long answer text

