9/15/2017 Accreditation Actions

Each profession in the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) system has a Committee on Accreditation (CoA) that consists of experts in the profession that are responsible for reviewing programs and making appropriate recommendations for accreditation to CAAHEP. CAAHEP reviews recommendations received from its CoAs in each profession, assures due process was followed, and takes final action on an accreditation status.

CAAHEP took the following actions at its 9/15/2017 meeting. Actions are identified by profession, action taken, and date of the next comprehensive evaluation. In some cases, the concentration and/or degree are also specified.

The following program was found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and was granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2021. This action requires no progress report and was approved on the consent agenda.

Medical Assisting
Altiereus Career College-Thornton, Denver, CO (Diploma)

The following programs were found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and were granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2022. These actions require no progress report and were approved on the consent agenda.

Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Columbus Technical College, Columbus, GA (General)
West Kentucky Community and Technical College, Paducah, KY (Vascular)

Emergency Medical Services-Paramedic
Athens Technical College, Athens, GA
Atlanta Technical College, Atlanta, GA
Blessing Hospital, Quincy, IL
Florida Gateway College, Lake City, FL
Garrett College, McHenry, MD
Lanier Technical College-Oakwood, Oakwood, GA
Rogers State University, Claremore, OK
Texas State Technical College-Abilene, Abilene, TX
University of Maryland Baltimore County, Baltimore, MD

The following program was found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and was granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2023. This action requires no progress report and was approved on the consent agenda.

Orthotist/Prosthetist
Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, KY

The following programs were found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and were granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2026. These actions require no progress report and were approved on the consent agenda.

Medical Assisting
East San Gabriel Valley ROP and Technical Center, West Covina, CA (Certificate)
The following programs were found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and were granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2027. These actions require no progress report and were approved on the consent agenda.

Cardiovascular Technology
Molloy College, Rockville Centre, NY (Adult Echocardiography, Associate)
Molloy College, Rockville Centre, NY (Noninvasive Vascular Study, Associate)
Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA (Adult Echocardiography, Associate)

Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI (General)
Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, RI (General)
Southside Regional Medical Center, Petersburg, VA (General)
West Kentucky Community and Technical College, Paducah, KY (General)

Surgical Technology
West Virginia Northern Community College, Wheeling, WV

The following programs were found to be in substantial compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines, with one or more Standards requiring a progress report to be submitted to the appropriate Committee on Accreditation (CoA). The programs were granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2022.

Emergency Medical Services-Paramedic
Arkansas State University-Mountain Home, Mountain Home, AR
Blue Ridge Community College, Flat Rock, NC
City College-Altamonte Springs, Altamonte Springs, FL
City College-Ft. Lauderdale, Ft Lauderdale, FL
City College-Gainesville, Gainesville, FL
City College-Miami, Miami, FL
Grayson College, Denison, TX
Howard County Department of Fire and Rescue, Columbia, MD
Lone Star College-Cy Fair, Cypress, TX
Los Angeles County Emergency Medical Services Agency, Santa Fe Springs, CA
Mohave Community College, Kingman, AZ
South Howell County Ambulance District, West Plains, MO
University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL
Weatherford College, Weatherford, TX
Yavapai College, Prescott, AZ

The following programs were found to be in substantial compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines, with one or more Standards requiring a progress report to be submitted to the appropriate Committee on Accreditation (CoA). The programs were granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2026.

Medical Assisting
Arkansas Tech University, Ozark, AR (Associate)
Atlanta Technical College, Atlanta, GA (Diploma)
Cabarrus College of Health Sciences, Concord, NC (Diploma)
Carteret Community College, Morehead City, NC (Diploma)
Central Carolina Technical College, Sumter, SC (Diploma)
Central Penn College, Summerdale, PA (Associate)
Chattahoochee Technical College-Appalachian Campus, Jasper, GA (Diploma)
College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, NV (Certificate)
Craven Community College, New Bern, NC (Diploma)
Davenport University-Lansing, Lansing, MI (Associate)
Georgia Piedmont Technical College, Clarkston, GA (Diploma)
Indian River State College, Fort Pierce, FL (Certificate)
Lakeland Community College, Kirtland, OH (Certificate)
McCann School of Business and Technology-Lewisburg, Lewisburg, PA (Associate)
McCann School of Business and Technology-Pottsville, Pottsville, PA (Associate)
McCann School of Business and Technology-Shreveport, Shreveport, LA (Associate)
Miller-Motte College-Wilmington, Wilmington, NC (Associate)
Miller-Motte Technical College-Clarksville, Clarksville, TN (Associate)
Mount Wachusett Community College, Gardner, MA (Certificate)
Southern Regional Technical College-Thomasville, Thomasville, GA (Diploma)

The following program was found to be in substantial compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines, with one or more Standards requiring a progress report to be submitted to the appropriate Committee on Accreditation (CoA). The program was granted continuing accreditation, with the next comprehensive evaluation to occur no later than 2027.

Surgical Technology
North-West College-Riverside, Riverside, CA

The following programs were found to be in compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines and were granted initial accreditation for a period not to exceed five (5) years. These actions require no progress report and were approved on the consent agenda.

Emergency Medical Services-Paramedic
Augusta University, Augusta, GA
Coastal Carolina Community College, Jacksonville, NC
Coastal Carolina Community College, Jacksonville, NC (Continuing Education)
Madisonville Community College, Madisonville, KY
Medic 1 Community Emergency Services, Benton Harbor, MI
Medstar Ambulance/Henry Ford Macomb Hospital/McLaren Macomb Consortium for Paramedic Education, Clinton Township, MI
Mesa Community College, Mesa, AZ

Medical Assisting
Muskogon Community College, Muskegon, MI (Certificate)
Rend Lake College, Ina, IL (Certificate)
Terra State Community College, Fremont, OH (Certificate)

Surgical Technology
Davidson County Community College, Lexington, NC

The following programs were found to be in substantial compliance with the accreditation Standards and Guidelines, with one or more Standards requiring a progress report to be submitted to the appropriate Committee on Accreditation (CoA). The programs were granted initial accreditation for a period not to exceed five (5) years.
Emergency Medical Services-Paramedic
Auburn Career Center, Concord, OH
Dorsey School of Business, Inc - New Boston, New Boston, MI
Jefferson College, Hillsboro, MO
McCann School of Business and Technology-Hazle Township, Hazle Township, PA
North Central Michigan College, Petoskey, MI
North Florida Community College, Madison, FL
Northern Essex Community College, Lawrence, MA
Pima Medical Institute-Mesa, Mesa, AZ
Texas State Technical College-Harlingen, Harlingen, TX
UH Geauga Medical Center, Chardon, OH
Upstate EMS Council, Greenville, SC

Neurodiagnostic Technology
University of Holy Cross, New Orleans, LA

The following programs were placed on probationary accreditation, with one or more Standards requiring critical attention and timely resolution to bring the program into compliance with the Standards and Guidelines. The letter outlining the reason(s) for probation is available upon request.

Medical Assisting
Ridley-Lowell Business and Technical Institute -Poughkeepsie, Poughkeepsie, NY (Diploma)
Standard: III.B.1.b.
Progress Report Due: December 1, 2017

Surgical Technology
American National University-Louisville, Louisville, KY
Progress Report Due: November 10, 2017

Pinellas Technical College, St. Petersburg, FL
Standards: IV.B.1; IV.B.2
Progress Report Due: November 10, 2017

CAAHEP voted to withdraw accreditation from the following program, due to noncompliance with one or more Standards. Programs are given the opportunity to appeal actions to withdraw accreditation, so this action is not yet final. This list will be updated with the final action, once determined.

Emergency Medical Services-Paramedic
Emergency Training Associates/Greater Minnesota Paramedic Consortium, Jamestown, ND
Standards: I.A.; I.B.; III.A.2.; III.B.2.a.(4); III.B.2.b.(1); IV.B.1.