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Accreditation History

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Next review: March 2021
Maximum class size: 50

March 2016
The commission acknowledged the notification of the University’s Warning status with the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS). Updates due with any further changes in status.

March 2014

September 2013
The commission accepted the additional information. No further information requested.

March 2013
Program Change: Change in graduation requirements (149 to 147 credits), effective January 2013. The commission acknowledged the proposed change. Additional information (clarification of maximum student capacity, budget and faculty) due July 1, 2013.

September 2011
The commission accepted the report regarding syllabi and addressing standards B1.02/B1.03 and B6.03b/B2.17 (3rd edition/4th edition). No further information requested.

Program Change: Change in maximum student capacity (90 to 150), effective January 2014. The commission acknowledged the proposed change. No further information requested.

March 2011

September 2010
Program Change: Change in graduation requirements (76 to 80 credits), effective January 2010. The commission acknowledged the proposed change. No further information requested.

March 2008

Defer Accreditation Action; Commission found the program to be in noncompliance with standard E1.04; 3rd edition. Report due April 11, 2008 (qualified permanent program director appointed).
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The program was accredited from March 2001 through December 2006.

September-December 2006
Adverse Action-Accreditation-Withdrawn. Standards A2.1, A2.5, A2.10, B1.2, B1.4, B1.5, B3.1a-f, B3.2, B3.3a-d, B3.4, B3.5, B4.1a, b, d, B6.2c-e, g, B7.2, B7.4b, e, C1.1, C3.1, C4.1b, f, g and C5.2; 2nd edition. The program requested reconsideration of the commission’s decision. The Appeal Review Panel upheld the commission’s decision. The program originally requested a Formal Appeal. Request withdrawn by the program in January 2007. The action of the commission to withdraw accreditation was effective December 1, 2006.

March 2004
The commission acknowledged the report addressing standards A2.16 and A4.4 (2nd edition). No further information requested.

September 2003

March 2002
The commission accepted the report providing the name and CV of the new clinical coordinator. No further information requested.

September 2001
The commission accepted the report addressing standards I B 1 c (3)/A2.16, I B 3 b/A4.8, II B 1 c/B5.1 and I D 1 b/A5.2 (1st edition/2nd edition). Additional information (name and CV of the clinical coordinator) due January 2002.

March 2001