



## NOTICE OF ACTIONS – ACCREDITATION STATUS (4.13.2015)

The ARC-PA took the actions displayed below at its **March 5-7, 2015** meeting. The accreditation decisions were based on the programs' compliance with the accreditation [Standards](#) or adherence to ARC-PA policies for accredited programs.

All accredited programs are required to file annual and periodic reports to document continuing compliance with the accreditation *Standards* throughout the accreditation cycle. Programs that received citations<sup>1</sup> from the commission are required to submit a report describing the manner in which the citation(s) have been addressed or resolved.

For definitions of accreditation statuses see [http://www.arc-pa.com/about/acc\\_types.html](http://www.arc-pa.com/about/acc_types.html)

For a complete listing of all accredited programs or for information about specific programs, see [http://www.arc-pa.org/acc\\_programs](http://www.arc-pa.org/acc_programs)

The programs, grouped by the type of decision made, are listed in alphabetical order by state.

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THE FOLLOWING LIST REFLECTS RESULTS OF ACCREDITATION ACTIONS FOR NEW PROGRAMS APPLYING FOR ACCREDITATION-PROVISIONAL<sup>2</sup> INCLUDING COMMENTARY REGARDING PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REPORTS TO THE COMMISSION DESCRIBING THE MANNER IN WHICH THE CITATION(S)<sup>1</sup> HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED OR RESOLVED.

PA Program at:	Accreditation Status Granted	Next Comprehensive Review
Adventist University of Health Sciences, FL	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>Report due for Standards related to admission and enrollment practices, publication of accreditation status and submission of reports and documents.</i>		
Florida International University, FL	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>Report due for Standards related to updating the website to include measures of success in achieving goals and evaluation of new preceptors.</i>		
Ohio University, OH	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>Report due for Standards related to signed agreements with facilities participating in supervised clinical practice experiences.</i>		

<sup>1</sup>A **citation** is a formal statement referenced to a specific standard noting the area in which the program failed to provide evidence demonstrating that it meets the standard, or performs so poorly in regard to the standard that the efforts of the program are found to be unacceptable.

<sup>2</sup>Accreditation-**Provisional** is an accreditation status granted when the plans and resource allocation, if fully implemented as planned, of a proposed program that has not yet enrolled students appear to demonstrate the program's ability to meet the ARC-PA *Standards* or when a program holding accreditation-provisional status appears to demonstrate continued progress in complying with the *Standards* as it prepares for the graduation of the first class (cohort) of students. Accreditation-Provisional does not ensure any subsequent accreditation status. It is limited to no more than five years from matriculation of the first class. Accreditation-Provisional remains in effect until the program achieves Accreditation-Continued after its third review, closes or withdraws from the accreditation process, or until accreditation is withdrawn for failure to comply with the *Standards*.

<b>PA Program at:</b>	<b>Accreditation Status Granted</b>	<b>Next Comprehensive Review</b>
Mercyhurst University, PA	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>Report due for Standards related to how the program's success in achieving its goals will be defined and updating the website to include estimates of all costs related to the program.</i>		
Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions, UT	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>No report related to Standards.</i>		
Lynchburg College, VA	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	TBD
<i>No report related to Standards.</i>		

THE FOLLOWING LIST REFLECTS RESULTS OF ACCREDITATION ACTIONS FOR CURRENTLY ACCREDITED PROGRAMS INCLUDING COMMENTARY REGARDING PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REPORTS TO THE COMMISSION DESCRIBING THE MANNER IN WHICH THE CITATION(S)<sup>1</sup> HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED OR RESOLVED.

<b>PA Program at:</b>	<b>Accreditation Status Granted/Confirmed</b>	<b>Next Comprehensive Review</b>
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, AR	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
<i>Report due for Standards related to supervised clinical practice experiences that allow each student to meet program-defined requirements with patients seeking medical care across the life span, women's health, conditions requiring surgical management, and behavioral and mental health conditions.</i>		
Nova Southeastern University-Fort Lauderdale, FL	Continued	March 2022
<i>Report due for Standards related to student files that document requirements for program completion, faculty orientation to specific learning outcomes, supervised clinical practice experiences in inpatient and operating room setting and supervised clinical practice experiences with preceptors practicing in behavioral and mental health care.</i>		
Nova Southeastern University-Jacksonville, FL	Continued	March 2022
<i>Report due for Standards related to documentation in student files, supervised clinical practice experiences with preceptors practicing in behavioral and mental health care and implementation of an ongoing self-assessment process, with documentation of critical analysis and application of process results to the curriculum and other dimensions of the program.</i>		
Idaho State University, ID	Continued	March 2022
<i>Report due for Standards related to clinical simulation facilities.</i>		
Northeastern University, MA	Continued	March 2022
<i>Report due for Standards related to sufficient number of principal faculty, defined and published instructional objectives, critical analysis of ongoing</i>		

*self-assessment data, summative evaluation of each student, and documentation that clinical sites afford students appropriate access and supervision to fulfill program expectations.*

Bethel University, MN <i>Report due for Standards related to instructional objectives.</i>	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
Elon University, NC <i>Report due for Standards related to defined program expectations in the supervised clinical practice experiences with patients seeking medical care across the life span, women's health, surgical management and behavioral and mental health conditions and supervised clinical practice experiences with family medicine preceptors.</i>	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
Touro University, NV <i>Report due for Standards related to program's immunization policy, supervised clinical practice experiences in emergency departments and student evaluation during supervised clinical practice experiences.</i>	Continued	March 2022
Clarkson University, NY <i>Report due for Standards related to administrative staff for the program, student health records and documentation in self-study report of faculty evaluation of administrative aspects of the program.</i>	Continued	March 2022
Long Island University, NY <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Continued	March 2020
Touro College-Manhattan, NY <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Continued	September 2021
Baldwin Wallace University, OH <i>Report due for Standards related to remediation policies and supervised clinic practice experiences with patients seeking women's health and surgical management.</i>	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
Medical University of South Carolina, SC <i>Report due for Standards related to ongoing program self-assessment.</i>	Continued	March 2020
Christian Brothers University, TN <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Probation <sup>3</sup>	TBD
Lincoln Memorial University, TN <i>Report due for Standards related to the sponsoring institution providing information related to security and safety, and assuring sufficient human resources; the program's publication of its success in achieving its goals; instruction related to problem solving and medical decision-making skills, response to illness, injury and stress, basic counseling and patient education skills; program expectations for supervised clinical practice experiences in required patient encounters; verification of board certification of physician preceptors; self-assessment; critical analysis of faculty evaluation of curricular and administrative aspects of the program; program modifications; strengths and areas in need of improvement.</i>	Continued	March 2022
Trevecca Nazarene University, TN <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Continued	March 2020

<b>Texas Tech University Health Science Center, TX</b> <i>Report due for Standards related to publication on website of program success in achieving its goals and instruction to students in patient safety, quality improvement, prevention of medical errors and risk management.</i>	Probation <sup>3</sup>	March 2021
<b>Shenandoah University, VA</b> <i>Report due for Standards related to documentation of advanced placement and documentation of results of critical analysis and program modifications resulting from ongoing self-assessment.</i>	Continued	March 2022
<b>Concordia University, WI</b> <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
<b>University of Charleston, WV</b> <i>No report related to Standards.</i>	Provisional <sup>2</sup>	September 2016
<b>West Liberty University, WV</b> <i>Report due for Standards related to the immunization policy; policy related to infectious and environmental hazards for students; instructional objectives; application of results of ongoing self-assessment related to data analysis and documentation from ongoing program self-assessment of results of critical analysis and faculty evaluation of curricular and administrative aspects of the program.</i>	Continued	March 2022

THE FOLLOWING LISTS REFLECT ACTIONS FOR PROGRAMS WHICH APPLIED FOR PROGRAM CHANGES OR HAD REQUIRED REPORTS DUE TO THE COMMISSION.

***Reports considered at the meeting***

<b>PA Program at:</b>	<b>Accepted/Not Accepted/Approved/Not Approved/Acknowledged</b>	<b>Next Comprehensive Review</b>
University of South Alabama, AL*	Accepted	September 2021
AT Still University, Arizona School of Health Sciences, AZ	Accepted	March 2021
Touro University California, CA	Approved	September 2018
Howard University, DC	Accepted	March 2021
Miami-Dade College, FL	Approved	September 2015
University of Florida, FL	Accepted	September 2017
St. Ambrose University, IA	Accepted	March 2017
Indiana State University, IN (admin probation) <sup>4*</sup>	Not Accepted	September 2020
University of the Cumberlands, KY	Accepted	March 2017
Our Lady of the Lake, LA*	Accepted	September 2020
MGH Institute of Health Professions, MA	Accepted	March 2017
University of Maryland-Eastern Shore, MD (probation) <sup>3</sup>	Accepted	September 2015
Augsburg College, MN*	Accepted some but not all reports	September 2018
Mississippi College, MS	Accepted	March 2021
Campbell University, NC	Accepted	March 2021
Wingate University, NC	Accepted	September 2021
MCPHS University, Manchester/Worcester, NH	Accepted	September 2017
Seton Hall University, NJ	Approved and Accepted	March 2017
Le Moyne College, NY	Approved	September 2018
St. John's University, NY	Acknowledged	March 2020
Wagner College, NY	Approved	September 2018
University of Dayton, OH	Accepted	March 2017
University of Oklahoma - Oklahoma City, OK <sup>3*</sup>	Accepted	September 2016
University of Oklahoma-Tulsa, OK	Accepted	March 2021
Salus University, PA <sup>3</sup>	Not Accepted	September 2016
Bryant University, RI	Accepted	September 2016
Johnson & Wales University, RI	Accepted	March 2016
University of Tennessee Health Science Center, TN	Accepted	September 2015
University of North Texas Health Science Center, TX	Accepted	September 2021

\*Program is required to submit a follow up report to the ARC-PA

## ADDITIONAL ACTIONS

***The following programs provided informational actions for which no commission action was required.***

<b>PA Program at:</b>	<b>Next Comprehensive Review</b>
University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL	March 2021
University of South Alabama, AL	September 2021
University of Bridgeport, CT (admin probation) <sup>4</sup>	September 2020
Howard University, DC	March 2021
Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine, IL	March 2020
Indiana State University, IN	September 2020
University of Saint Francis, IN	March 2021
University of Maryland-Eastern Shore, MD <sup>3</sup>	September 2015
Grand Valley State University, MI	September 2021
Wingate University, NC	September 2021
University of North Dakota, ND	September 2016
University of Nebraska, NE	March 2017
University of St. Francis, NM	September 2018
CCNY Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education, NY	September 2021
Le Moyne College, NY	September 2018
St. John's University, NY	March 2020
Touro College – Bay Shore, NY	March 2017
Cuyahoga Community College/Cleveland State University, OH	March 2017
Kettering College, OH	March 2021
University of Oklahoma-Oklahoma City, OK	September 2016
Pennsylvania State University, PA	March 2016
Salus University, PA <sup>3</sup>	September 2016
University of North Texas Health Science Center, TX	September 2021
University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, TX	March 2018
University of Texas-Pan American, TX	September 2020
Alderson Broaddus University, WV	September 2020

<sup>3</sup> Accreditation-Probation is a temporary, status of accreditation, limited to two years, granted when a program holding an accreditation status of accreditation-provisional or accreditation-continued does not meet the *Standards* and when the capability of the program to provide an acceptable educational experience for its students is threatened. Once placed on probation, a program that fails to comply with accreditation requirements in a timely manner, as specified by the ARC-PA, may be scheduled for a probation site visit and/or risk having its accreditation withdrawn.

<sup>4</sup> Accreditation-Administrative Probation is a temporary status granted when a program has not complied with an administrative requirement, such as failure to pay fees or submit required reports. Once placed on administrative probation, a program that fails to comply with administrative requirements in a timely manner, as specified by the ARC-PA, may be scheduled for a focused site visit and/or risk having its accreditation withdrawn.