

# Program Directory Accreditation Statuses and Awards

CAHIIM Accreditation remains in effect until the program's Accreditation Award Status is withdrawn due to program closure, or the program has failed to meet the CAHIIM Accreditation Standards as a result of the program review process.

#### **Enrollment Status**

**Active:** The program is recruiting students and is operational.

**Inactive:** The program has voluntarily and temporarily stopped enrollments and may or may not be in the Teach-Out process before the program closes.

### **Content Delivery**

**Campus Based:** A program pathway where students take educational courses at the institution's location.

**Online:** A program pathway where students take the educational courses via electronic and online media.

**Campus Based and Online:** A program pathway where students take educational courses by traditional face-to-face instruction and via electronic and online media.

## **Accreditation Awards**

**Continuing Accreditation:** A program accreditation award status for a currently accredited program that meets all the Accreditation Standards and process requirements.

**Initial Accreditation:** A program accreditation award status for a new program that meets all the Accreditation Standards and process requirements.

Probationary Accreditation: This category is not applicable to initial applicant programs. This status is awarded when the program is not in compliance with the Standards and the deficiencies are so serious that the capability of the program to provide an acceptable educational experience for the students appears to be threatened. Probationary Accreditation is limited to a one-year period. During a period of Probationary Accreditation, programs are recognized and listed as accredited. Currently enrolled students and those seeking admission should be advised that the program is under Probationary Accreditation. However, enrolled students completing the program under Probationary Accreditation are considered graduates of a CAHIIM-Accredited program.

**Accreditation Decision Letter:** Following completion of the program review process the program is provided a letter with an accreditation award decision and status by the CAHIM Board of Directors.

### **Progress Report**

**Progress Report in Progress:** The program is in the process of implementing corrective action to resolve all Standard deficiencies noted in the Accreditation Decision Letter.

**Progress Report Satisfactory and Completed:** The program successfully resolved all Standard deficiencies noted in the accreditation letter and submitted evidence of implementation. The program is in good standing.

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