

# ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR PHARMACY EDUCATION REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS June 16-18, 2021

### I. Public Interest Panel Review of Professional Degree Programs

The ACPE Public Interest Panel met on June 10, 2021, to discuss the professional degree programs scheduled for review by the ACPE Board of Directors during its June 16-18, 2021, meeting. Evaluation team reports and other materials associated with the evaluation of the professional degree programs were duly considered, and a report of the Panel's discussion was prepared and presented to the ACPE Board at its June 16-18, 2021, meeting. The Board considered the comments and recommendations of the Panel. Panel members who participated in the meeting of the Public Interest Panel were: Mary Donnelly, Deborah Kapp, and Howell Todd.

# II. <u>Accreditation Actions for Professional Degree Programs, taken at the ACPE Board of Directors Meeting, June 16-18, 2021</u>

A list of accredited professional degree programs of colleges and schools of pharmacy, which designates the respective preaccreditation and accreditation status of the programs and the academic year for the next currently scheduled evaluation, is posted on the ACPE web site at www.acpe-accredit.org.

#### **Accreditation Actions**

On the basis of self-studies, virtual on-site evaluations, communications received from the institutions, ongoing annual review of North American Pharmacist Licensure Examination (NAPLEX) passing rates, entry class size, and attrition and on-time graduation rates, as well as the comments of the Public Interest Panel, the Board of Directors determined the accreditation status of the following professional programs, along with preaccreditation and accreditation terms and conditions.

In order to be eligible for initial or continuing accreditation, the Doctor of Pharmacy program must be part of an independent College or School of Pharmacy or a College or School of Pharmacy within a University, which is regularly incorporated and is a legally empowered postsecondary educational institution. The institution housing the College or School, or the independent College or School, must be accredited by a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, another agency acceptable to the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), or actively seeking such status and in good standing with that agency. Accreditation standards call for a College or School of Pharmacy as an organizational unit and the administrative structure of the College or School of Pharmacy must provide for a Dean, who serves as the chief administrative and academic officer. Evaluation for purposes of preaccreditation and initial or continued accreditation requires an invitation by the chief executive officer, or designate, of the institution.

An action to "affirm" implies that a previously established accreditation term has been confirmed. An action to "continue" implies that the accreditation date has been extended. The customary review cycle for established accredited programs had been six years but it was extended to eight years as programs were reviewed beginning with Board actions at the January 2012 meeting and beyond.

The customary review cycle for new programs achieving initial accredited status is two years. The dates indicated in parentheses for each College or School are the academic year of the most recent determination of accreditation status and the academic year of the next scheduled comprehensive or focused review for determination of accreditation status, and thus define the present accreditation term for the Doctor of Pharmacy program. An (\*) following these dates indicate a shortened accreditation term. The accreditation actions are as follows:

#### For Purposes of Considering Continued Accredited Status

#### Creighton University School of Pharmacy and Health Professions

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)\*

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards except Standards No. 24 and 25.

Standards cited in this action as partially compliant: Standard No. 24: Assessment Elements for Section I: Educational Outcomes; Standard No. 25: Assessment Elements for Section II: Structure and Process.

# **Duquesne University School of Pharmacy**

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### **Howard University College of Pharmacy**

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### Midwestern University College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)\*

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### South College School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### University of Connecticut School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### University of South Florida College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

# Western New England University College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### Wingate University School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2028-2029)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

# For Purposes of Considering: Advancement from Candidate to Accredited Status

### **Larkin University College of Pharmacy**

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Candidate status continued. (2020-2021) (2021-2022)\*

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards except Standards No. 5, 8, 9, 10, 23, and 24.

Standards cited in this action as partially compliant: Standard No. 5: Eligibility and Reporting Requirements; Standard No. 8: Organization and Governance; Standard No. 9: Organizational Culture; Standard No. 10: Curriculum Design, Delivery, and Oversight; Standard No. 23: Financial Resources: Standard No. 24: Assessment Elements for Section I: Educational Outcomes.

### SUNY Binghamton University School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Advanced to Accredited status. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

# University of Texas at El Paso College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Advanced to Accredited status. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### William Carey University School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Advanced to Accredited status. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be in compliance with all accreditation standards.

#### **Accredited with Probation Status**

#### Chicago State University College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program remains Accredited with Probation status. (2020-2021) (2022-2023)\*

Standards cited in this action as partially compliant: Standard No.17: Progression and Standard No.

24: Assessment Elements for Section I: Educational Outcomes.

Probationary status to be reviewed at the ACPE Board of Directors meeting in January 2022.

# For Purposes of Considering: Advancement from Precandidate to Candidate Status

#### American University of Health Sciences School of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Candidate status granted. (2020-2021) (2021-2022)

The ACPE Board of Directors finds the Doctor of Pharmacy program to be As Expected for Stage of Development for all the standards except Standards No. 18, 19, 22, and 23.

Standards cited in this action as Less than Expected: Standard No. 22: Practice Facilities; Standard No. 23: Financial Resources.

Standards cited in this action as Much Improvement Needed: Standard No. 18: Faculty and Staff – Quantitative Factors; Standard No. 19: Faculty and Staff – Qualitative Factors.

A verification visit will be scheduled for fall 2021.

# For Purposes of Considering Authorization of On-Site Evaluation

#### California Health Sciences University College of Pharmacy

A comprehensive virtual on-site evaluation was authorized to be conducted during fall 2021 so as to provide the basis for the Board's consideration of Precandidate status of the Doctor of Pharmacy program at the January 2022 meeting.

# For Purposes of Considering: Continued Accredited Status (after initial two-year term)

#### University of Texas at Tyler Ben and Maytee Fisch College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2024-2025)

# Focused Virtual On-Site Evaluation Visits

Focused virtual on-site evaluation visits are authorized when the Board is desirous of additional on-site monitoring to evaluate various programmatic issues. An action to "affirm" implies that a previously established accreditation term has been confirmed. An action to "continue" implies that the accreditation date has been extended, usually to reestablish the customary eight-year cycle.

# Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2024-2025)

#### **Touro New York College of Pharmacy**

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2025-2026)

# University at Buffalo The State University of New York School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status continued. (2020-2021) (2027-2028)

#### University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Pharmacy

Doctor of Pharmacy Program: Accredited status affirmed. (2014-2015) (2022-2023)

#### **Monitoring During the Accreditation Period**

Interim Reports, Annual Monitoring Parameters, and/or Substantive Changes for the Doctor of Pharmacy programs of the following colleges/schools were reviewed.

#### **Interim Report Reviews**

Florida A&M University College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Husson University School of Pharmacy

Standards no longer cited as Partially Compliant: Standard No. 7: Strategic Plan; Standard No. 11: Interprofessional Education

Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine School of Pharmacy

Notre Dame University of Maryland School of Pharmacy

Standard cited as Partially Compliant: Standard No. 12: Pre-Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences (Pre-APPE) Curriculum

Northeast Ohio Medical University College of Pharmacy

Purdue University College of Pharmacy

Regis University Rueckert-Hartman College for Health Professions

Rutgers the State University of New Jersey Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy

St. John Fisher College Wegmans School of Pharmacy

Standard cited as Partially Compliant: Standard No. 10: Curriculum Design, Delivery, and Oversight, Standard No. 11: Interprofessional Education, Standard No. 18: Faculty and Staff - Quantitative Factors, Standard No. 20: Preceptors, Standard No. 22: Practice Facilities, Standard No. 24: Assessment Elements for Section I: Educational Outcomes

AY 2021-2022 site visit evaluation

Sullivan University College of Pharmacy

University of Charleston School of Pharmacy

University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy

University of Montana Skaggs School of Pharmacy

University of New England Westbrook College of Health Professions School of Pharmacy

University of North Texas Health Sciences Center College of Pharmacy

University of St Joseph School of Pharmacy and Physician Assistant Studies

Standard no longer cited as Partially Compliant: Standard No. 18: Faculty and Staff – Quantitative Factors

Spring 2022 focused visit

University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

Western University of Health Sciences College of Pharmacy

Standards no longer cited as Partially Compliant: Standard No. 13: Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experience (APPE) Curriculum; Standard No. 22: Practice Facilities; Standard No. 24: Assessment Elements: Educational Outcomes

#### **Annual Monitoring Reviews**

Appalachian College of Pharmacy

Belmont University College of Pharmacy

Butler University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Chicago State University College of Pharmacy

Creighton University School of Pharmacy and Health Professions

Duquesne University School of Pharmacy

East Tennessee State University Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy

Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Pharmacy & Health Sciences

Ferris State University College of Pharmacy

Florida A&M University College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Harding University College of Pharmacy

Howard University College of Pharmacy

Husson University School of Pharmacy

Idaho State University College of Pharmacy

Larkin University College of Pharmacy

Lipscomb University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Loma Linda University School of Pharmacy

Marshall B. Ketchum University College of Pharmacy

Marshall University School of Pharmacy

MCPHS University School of Pharmacy - Boston

MCPHS University School of Pharmacy - Worcester

Mercer University College of Pharmacy

Notre Dame of Maryland University School of Pharmacy

Program is requested to appear at the ACPE Board of Directors meeting in January 2022

Oregon State University College of Pharmacy

Palm Beach Atlantic University Lloyd L. Gregory School of Pharmacy

Presbyterian College School of Pharmacy

Roosevelt University College of Science, Health and Pharmacy

Roseman University of Health Sciences College of Pharmacy

Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Pharmacy

St. John's University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Jerry H. Hodge School of Pharmacy

Thomas Jefferson University Jefferson College of Pharmacy

Touro University - California College of Pharmacy

Union University College of Pharmacy

University of Charleston School of Pharmacy

Program is requested to appear at the ACPE Board of Directors meeting in January 2022

University of Cincinnati James L. Winkle College of Pharmacy

University of Findlay College of Pharmacy

University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis St. Louis College of Pharmacy

University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy

University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy

University of New England Westbrook College of Health Professions School of Pharmacy

University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy

University of North Carolina Eshelman School of Pharmacy

University of St Joseph School of Pharmacy and Physician Assistant Studies

University of Texas at Tyler Ben and Maytee Fisch College of Pharmacy

University of the Incarnate Word Feik School of Pharmacy

University of Toledo College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Pharmacy

West Coast University School of Pharmacy

Western New England University College of Pharmacy

West Virginia University School of Pharmacy

Wingate University School of Pharmacy

# Review of Programs with Substantive Change and other requests

American University of Health Sciences School of Pharmacy

Belmont University College of Pharmacy

Butler University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

California Health Sciences University College of Pharmacy

Teachout term extension through June 30, 2024

Campbell University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Cedarville University School of Pharmacy

**Duquesne University School of Pharmacy** 

D'Youville College School of Pharmacy

A focused visit will be scheduled in AY 2021-2022 to assess implementation of the new pathway

Howard University College of Pharmacy

Husson University School of Pharmacy

Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine School of Pharmacy

Larkin University College of Pharmacy

Lebanese American University School of Pharmacy

Long Island University College of Pharmacy

Manchester University College of Pharmacy, Natural & Health Sciences

Marshall University School of Pharmacy

Northeastern University School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Nova Southeastern University College of Pharmacy

Oregon State University College of Pharmacy

Pacific University School of Pharmacy

Palm Beach Atlantic University Lloyd L. Gregory School of Pharmacy

Regis University Rueckert College for Health Professions School of Pharmacy

Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science College of Pharmacy

Samford University School of Pharmacy

South Dakota State University College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions

Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Pharmacy

Temple University School of Pharmacy

University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

University of California San Francisco School of Pharmacy

University of Connecticut School of Pharmacy

University of Findlay College of Pharmacy

University of Florida College of Pharmacy

University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis St. Louis College of Pharmacy

University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy

University of New England School of Pharmacy

University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy

University of Puerto Rico School of Pharmacy

University of Saint Joseph School of Pharmacy and Physician Assistant Studies.

University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy

University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy

University of Texas at Tyler Ben and Maytee Fisch College of Pharmacy

University of the Sciences Philadelphia College of Pharmacy

Wayne State University Eugene Applebaum College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

West Coast University School of Pharmacy

Western New England University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Wilkes University Nesbitt School of Pharmacy

# Review of Complaints

Eleven complaints, eight from either a student or faculty member from one of six accredited Doctor of Pharmacy programs, were received during the spring 2021 cycle. Following the Board's review of each complaint, all are closed based on the results of ACPE's investigation.

# **Policy Updates**

The ACPE Board of Directors approved an update to the Policies and Procedures Manual in June 2021. The updated manual can be found on the ACPE website at: <a href="https://www.acpe-accredit.org/pdf/CS">https://www.acpe-accredit.org/pdf/CS</a> PoliciesandProceduresJune2021.pdf.

#### Standards Revision

The ACPE Board of Directors authorized a Standards Revision initiative commenced during Spring 2021 and conclude with the release of new accreditation standards in June 2024, with implementation to begin on July 1, 2025. A stepwise outline of the revision process will be forthcoming and include multiple opportunities for the profession and the public to provide input into the revision process of ACPE's Accreditation Standards and Key Elements for the Professional Program in Pharmacy Leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy Degree. These new standards will be known as "Standards 2025."

#### III. Accreditation Actions for Providers of Continuing Pharmacy Education.

The ACPE Board of Directors accepted the report of the ACPE Continuing Pharmacy Education Commission at the June 16-18, 2021 meeting. Results of the evaluation of submitted applications and ACPE-accredited providers reviewed for reaccreditation by the Commission were presented to the ACPE Board of Directors in June 2021. These are depicted in these Report of the Proceedings as follows:

1.	1. Accreditation of New Applications: Organizations seeking ACPE-accredited provider status are asked to submit an Application for Initial Accreditation. This application asks questions regarding the applicant's experience relative to areas addressed by ACPE's standards for continuing pharmacy education. Initial terms of accreditation are usually for a short term with a First Review in 1 year and a Second Review in 2 years.					
	Applicant Organization	[	Provider Type	State	Term	
1.	NBLS, Inc.	Educational Company		FL	2-year	
2.	2. Submission of First Review by Applicants Accredited in Spring 2020.					
	First Review Spring 2021		Provider Type	State	Term	
	(Accredited in Spring 2020	0)				
1.	Essentia Health		Hospitals; Health Care Network	MN	Spring 2022	

2.	Lyceum, LLC	Educational Companies	WI	Spring 2022
3.	Rite Aid Hdqtrs. Corp.	Other	PA	Spring 2022
4.	University of Wyoming, School of Pharmacy	College or School	WY	Spring 2022

3.	Submission of Second Review by Applicants Accredited in Spring 2019.				
	Second Review Spring 2021 (Accredited in Spring 2019)	Provider Type	State	Interim Report	Comprehensive Review
1.	Avant Institute	Educational Company	NC		Spring 2025

4. Consideration for Continued Accreditation on the Basis of Comprehensive Reviews.

The submitted Self-Assessment Report undergoes a CPE Commissioner review, an internal (ACPE staff) review, an external (Field reviewer) review, a review of all records including correspondence, Activity Description Forms (ADFs), complaints (if any) and third party comments. The Comprehensive Review for Continued Accreditation provides the basis for the Council's action to continue the provider's term of accreditation. The standard term of accreditation is six years.

	Organization Name	Provider Type	State	Interim Report	Comprehensive Review
1.	American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy	National Association	VA	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
2.	Midwestern University College of Pharmacy	College or School	IL	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
3.	CompleteRx	Other	TX	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
4.	Florida Pharmacy Association	State or Local Association	FL		Spring 2027
5.	Intermountain Healthcare	Hospitals; Health Care Network	UT		Spring 2027
6.	Kentucky Pharmacy Education and Research Foundation, Inc.	State or Local Association	KY	Spring 2023	Spring 2027
7.	MedStar Washington Hospital Center	Hospitals; Health Care Network	DC		Spring 2027
8.	New Jersey Pharmacists Association	State or Local Association	NJ	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
9.	Ohio Pharmacists Foundation, Inc.	State or Local Association	ОН	Spring 2023	Spring 2027
10.	Orlando Health, Inc.	Hospitals; Health Care Network	FL		Spring 2027
11.	Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center	Hospitals; Health Care Network	PA	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
12.	St. John Fisher College Wegmans School of Pharmacy	College or School	NY	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
13.	St. John's University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences	College or School	NY	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
14.	St. Louis College of Pharmacy	College or School	МО	Spring 2022	Spring 2027

15.	Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists, The	State or Local Association	TX	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
16.	The George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences	Hospitals; Health Care Network	DC	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
17.	University of California, San Francisco, School of Pharmacy	College or School	CA	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
18.	University of Hawaii at Hilo, Daniel K. Inouye College of Pharmacy	College or School	HI	Spring 2022	Spring 2027
19.	University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy	College or School	OK		Spring 2027
20.	Washington State University College of Pharmacy	College or School	WA		Spring 2027
21.	West Virginia University School of Pharmacy	College or School	WV		Spring 2027

5.	Consideration for Continued Accreditation on the Basis of Comprehensive Reviews that resulted in a shortened term.				
	Organization Name	Provider Type	State	Progress Report	
1.	Memorial Hermann	Other	TX	Spring 2023	

6.	Consideration for Continued Accreditation on the Basis of Progress Reports.  Providers who have a shortened term of accreditation of 1 year are asked to submit a Progress Report.  A Progress Report addresses only those issues that remain of concern following the previous Comprehensive Review or Interim Report. However, because the provider has been given a shortened term of accreditation, the Progress Report, like the Comprehensive Review, serves as the basis for the Council to act to continue recognition as an accredited provider.				
	Organization Name	Provider Type	State	Interim Report	Comprehensive Review
1.	PESI, Inc.	Educational Company	WI		Spring 2026
2.	Southeastern Continuing Medical Education Consultants, LLC	Educational Company	SC	Spring 2022	Fall 2026

7.	7. Consideration for Continued Accreditation on the Basis of Interim Reports. Providers with a standard term of accreditation of 6 years are asked to submit an Interim Report usually in one or two years. The Interim Report serves as an update on specific issues that were identified in the provider's Comprehensive Review. Action required to affirm status and terms and to determine additional reporting as needed or to modify previously established terms and determine new reporting requirements.				
	Accredited Provider	Provider Type	State	Interim Report	Comprehensive
				-	Review
1.	Alabama Pharmacy	State or Local	AL		
	Association Research &	Association			Spring 2026
	Education Foundation				
2.	Alabama Society of Health-	State or Local	AL	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
	System Pharmacists	Association		Spring 2022	Spring 2025
3.	Alpha Zeta Omega	State or Local	NY		Carina 2025
	Pharmaceutical Fraternity	Association			Spring 2025

	New York Alumni Chapter				
4.	American Pharmacists Association	National Association	DC		Spring 2026
5.	American Society of Consultant Pharmacists	National Association	VA	Spring 2022	Fall 2025
6.	Arizona Pharmacy Association	State or Local Association	AZ	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
7.	Association for Medication Education, Inc.	State or Local Association	FL		Fall 2024
8.	Barnett International	Educational Company	MA	Spring 2022	Fall 2025
9.	California Pharmacists Association	State or Local Association	CA	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
10.	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services	Government Agency	MD		Spring 2026
11.	Chicago State University College of Pharmacy	College/ School	IL		Spring 2025
12.	Concordia University Wisconsin School of Pharmacy	College/ School	WI		Spring 2024
13.	Drug Effectiveness Review Project	Government Agency	OR	Spring 2022	Spring 2024
14.	Drug Experts Inc.	Other	NY		Fall 2023
15.	D'Youville College School of Pharmacy	College/ School	NY	Spring 2022	Spring 2024
16.	Elsevier Office of Continuing Medical Education	Educational Company	PA		Spring 2023
17.	HonorHealth	Hospitals; Health Care Network	AZ	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
18.	Howard University College of Pharmacy	College/ School	DC		Spring 2024
19.	Illinois Pharmacists Association	State or Local Association	IL	Spring 2022	Spring 2026
20.	Independent Pharmacy Alliance, Inc.	Other	NJ		Fall 2023
21.	James A. Haley Veterans' Hospital	Government Agency	FL		Spring 2025
22.	Korean American Pharmacists Association of U.S.A	National Association	CA		Spring 2023
23.	Louisiana Independent Pharmacies Association	State or Local Association	LA		Spring 2023
24.	Medical Center of the Rockies Pharmacy University of Colorado Health - North	Hospitals; Health Care Network	СО		Spring 2026

25.	MED-IQ	Educational Company	MD	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
26.	National Association of Boards of Pharmacy and NABP Foundation, Inc.	National Association	IL		Spring 2026
27.	National Community Pharmacists Association	National Association	VA		Fall 2026
28.	New York State Council of Health-System Pharmacists	State or Local Association	NY	Spring 2022	Spring 2026
29.	Ohio Northern University College of Pharmacy	College/ School	ОН	Spring 2022	Spring 2026
30.	Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin	State or Local Association	WI	Spring 2022	Spring 2026
31.	Pharmacy Times Office of Continuing Professional Education	Publishers	NJ		Spring 2026
32.	Qatar University, College of Pharmacy	College/ School	INT	Spring 2022	Fall 2025
33.	Shenandoah University Bernard J. Dunn School of Pharmacy	College/ School	VA	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
34.	South Carolina Pharmacy Association	State or Local Association	SC	Spring 2022	Fall 2025
35.	Southern Illinois University Edwardsville School of Pharmacy	College/ School	IL		Spring 2025
36.	Texas Pharmacy Association	State or Local Association	TX	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
37.	University Learning Systems, Inc.	Educational Company	NY		Spring 2023
38.	University of Tennessee College of Pharmacy	College/ School	TN		Spring 2026
39.	Vanderbilt University Hospital Department of Pharmaceutical Services	Hospitals; Health Care Network	TN	Spring 2022	Spring 2025
40.	WellStar Health System Pharmacy	Hospitals; Health Care Network	GA		Spring 2025

8.	Voluntary Withdrawal of Accreditation Status					
	Organization Name	Provider Type	State	Effective Date		
1.	Escola de Pós-graduação em Saúde e Gestão	National Association	INT	6/30/2021		
2.	Premier	Hospital; Health Care Network	IL	2/28/21		
3.	Temple University School of Pharmacy	College/ School	PA	6/30/2021		
4.	University of Georgia College of Pharmacy	College/ School	GA	6/30/2021		

# IV. <u>Accreditation Actions for Joint Accreditation for Interprofessional Continuing Education™</u>

Twelve new applicants, ten reaccreditations, and eleven Progress Reports are presented for review this cycle. The decisions will be presented when each of the three boards from the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) and the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) convene.

# V. <u>Certification and Precertification Actions for Professional Degree Programs based outside the</u> United States of America and its Territories:

# **Certification and Precertification Actions**

On the basis of self-study reports, interim reports, virtual on-site evaluations, communications received from the institutions, as well as the comments and recommendations of the ACPE International Commission, the Board of Directors determined the Certification Status of the following professional degree programs, along with Certification and Precertification terms and conditions.

In order to be eligible for Precertification or Certification, the professional degree program in pharmacy must be part of an independent school of pharmacy, a school of pharmacy within a university, or other structure approved by the Board. The school or university must be a postsecondary educational institution that is regularly incorporated, legally empowered, and authorized to award such a degree in accordance with national and/or regional laws and regulations. The institutional environment or setting for the professional degree program must be equivalent to a university and include a mission that encompasses professional education, scholarship, research, and service. To be granted Certification, the school of pharmacy must have graduated at least one class of students from the professional degree program in pharmacy for which Certification is being applied. Evaluation for purposes of granting or continuing of Precertification or Certification by ACPE requires an invitation by the chief executive officer or designate of the institution.

To apply for Precertification of Certification, a school must submit an application, a self-study report of the program, and any additional materials specified by ACPE. After receipt of the application, self-study report, and other required materials, a preliminary review of the application is carried out to confirm eligibility and evaluate the application. The findings and conclusions from the review are presented to the International Commission, which in turn makes a recommendation to the Board regarding authorization of an evaluation visit. If the Board authorizes an evaluation visit, it is scheduled in accord with standard evaluation and operational procedures.

The customary review cycle (period between comprehensive on-site evaluation visits) for established certified programs is six years. The customary term for programs granted initial Certification is two years. The maximum term for programs granted Provisional Certification (Category 1) is two years. The dates indicated in parentheses for each college or school are the academic year¹ of the most recent determination² of Certification Status and/or Precertification or Certification term and the academic year of the next scheduled determination of Certification Status and/or term, and thus define the present Precertification or Certification term for the professional degree program.

The Certification and Precertification actions are as follows:

#### For Purposes of Considering Authorizing an Evaluation Visit for Certification

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For consistency, certification cycles and academic years are named in accordance with the standard terminology used by ACPE for accreditation and certification activities and reporting. Academic years run from July 1 to June 30.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Determination includes granting of Certification Status, a change of Certification Status, a continuation of Certification Status (new term), and other changes of a certification term (e.g., shortening); it does not include affirmation of an existing Certification Status and term.

The Board authorized evaluation visits, to be conducted using a virtual format, for the following programs:

Al-Ahliyya Amman University, Faculty of Pharmacy, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, BPharm Degree Program

Middle East University, Faculty of Pharmacy, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, B.Sc. Degree Program

Dubai Pharmacy College for Girls, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, BPharm Degree Program

RAK Medical and Health Sciences University, College of Pharmacy, Ras al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates, BPharm Degree program

#### For Purposes of Considering Granting Certification

The Board granted Certification to the following programs: none.

## For Purposes of Considering Granting Precertification

The Board granted Precertification to the following programs: none.

#### For Purposes of Considering Continued Certification (after initial two-year term)

The Board continued the Certification of the following program:

Gulf Medical University, College of Pharmacy, Ajman, United Arab Emirates, Doctor of Pharmacy (2020-2021) (2024-2025)

#### For Purposes of Considering Continued Certification (comprehensive evaluation visit)

The Board continued the Certification of the following program:

Al Ain University, College of Pharmacy, Al Ain and Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy Degree program (2020-2021) (2026-2027)

# <u>For Purposes of Considering Continued Certification – Administrative Extension of</u> Certification Term

The Board extended the certification term for administrative reasons for the following program:

University of Surabaya, Faculty of Pharmacy, Surabaya, Republic of Indonesia, Pharmacy Education Program (2020-2021) (2021-2022)

#### Focused Evaluation Visits

Focused evaluation visits are authorized when the Board desires additional monitoring to evaluate various programmatic issues. An action to "affirm" implies that a previously established certification term has been confirmed. An action to "continue" implies that the certification term has been extended.

None.

#### Monitoring During the Certification Period

The interim reports for the programs of the following schools were reviewed. For each program, the certification term was affirmed. If additional monitoring has been requested through a focused evaluation, it is so indicated.

Applied Science Private University, Faculty of Pharmacy, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, BSc Pharm Degree Program (2019-2020) (2023-2024)

Jordan University of Science and Technology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Irbid, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, BSc and PharmD Degree Programs (2019-2020) (2023-2024)

The University of Jordan, School of Pharmacy, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, B.S. and PharmD Degree Programs (2017-2018) (2021-2022)

University of Petra, Faculty of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, BSc Degree Program (2019-2020) (2023-2024)

JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research Mauritius, School of Pharmacy, Bonne Terre, Vacoas, Republic of Mauritius, BPharm Degree Program (Precertification) (2019-2020) (2024-25)

Batterjee Medical College, Pharmacy Program, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, PharmD Degree Program (2019-2020) (2021-2022)

King Saud University, College of Pharmacy, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, B.S. and PharmD Degree Programs (2018-2019) (2024-2025)

Ajman University, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Ajman, United Arab Emirates, BPharm Degree Program (2019-2020) (2023-2024)

Near East University, Faculty of Pharmacy, Nicosia, Northern Cyprus, MPharm Degree Program (2017-2018) (2021-2022)

Lebanese International University, School of Pharmacy, Beirut Bekaa, Lebanese Republic, BPharm Degree Program (2019-2020) (2021-2022)

#### **Review of Programs with Substantive Change and Other Requests**

Substantive change notifications from the following schools were received:

King Faisal University, College of Clinical Pharmacy, Al-Ahsa, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, PharmD Degree Program (2019-2020) (2025-2026)

Prince Sattam bin Abdulaziz University, College of Pharmacy, Alkharj, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Bachelor of Pharmaceutical Sciences (BPS) Degree Program (2019-2020) (2021-2022)

Qassim University, College of Pharmacy, Almelida, Buraydah City, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, PharmD Degree Program (2018-2019) (2022-2023)

#### **Annual Reporting**

Data relating to academic staff resources and student enrollment were reviewed for all programs with Certification Status. Letters requesting additional information were sent to the following schools:

Batterjee Medical College, Pharmacy Program, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

King Faisal University, College of Clinical Pharmacy, Al Ahsa, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

King Saud University, College of Pharmacy, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Qassim University, College of Pharmacy, Almelida, Buraydah City, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

University of Surabaya, Faculty of Pharmacy, Surabaya, Indonesia

The University of Jordan, School of Pharmacy, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

University of Petra, Faculty of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences, Amman, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

#### Approval of Changes to Policies and Procedures for Certification and Precertification

The Board adopted a revised version of the Policies and Procedures. The revised Policies and Procedures are available at https://www.acpe-accredit.org/pdf/ISP/PoliciesandProcedures.pdf.

# Approval of Changes to Certification Quality Criteria

There were no changes to the Certification Quality Criteria to be considered.

# VI. <u>Accreditation Actions for Pharmacy Technician Education and Training Programs, in</u> collaboration with the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)

The Accreditation Actions for Pharmacy Technician Education and Training Programs recommended by the Pharmacy Technician Accreditation Commission at their May 5-6, 2021 meeting were approved by both the ACPE and ASHP boards of directors during their June 2021 meetings.

### VII. Opportunity for Comment

Professional Programs of Colleges and Schools of Pharmacy Scheduled for On-Site Evaluations, Academic Year 2021-2022

The programs of the colleges and schools of pharmacy listed below are to be considered for accreditation during the upcoming academic year (2021-2022). Virtual or on-site evaluations have been scheduled for fall or spring terms, as noted. Opportunity is hereby given for the submission of written third-party comments concerning qualifications for preaccreditation or accreditation. Copies of the ACPE Accreditation Manual are available, upon request, by writing to ACPE, 190 South LaSalle Street, Suite 2850, Chicago, Illinois 60603, or through the ACPE website (www.acpe-accredit.org). Written third-party comments must be received in the ACPE office not later than September 1, 2021 for fall 2021 or November 1, 2021 for spring 2022. The procedure for considering third-party comments received by the deadlines noted above should provide treatment in a way that is fair and equitable to all parties, including opportunity for response by the colleges and schools of pharmacy prior to ACPE's accreditation action.

#### Fall 2021

American University of Health Sciences School of Pharmacy

California Health Sciences University College of Pharmacy

Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences Long Island University Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Mercer University College of Pharmacy

St. John Fisher College Wegmans School of Pharmacy

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Pharmacy

University of California, San Francisco School of Pharmacy

University of Cincinnati James L. Winkle College of Pharmacy

University of Kansas School of Pharmacy

University of Louisiana at Monroe College of Health and Pharmaceutical Sciences School of Pharmacy

University of the Pacific Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy

University of Utah College of Pharmacy

#### Spring 2022

Cedarville University School of Pharmacy

Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Pharmacy

High Point University Fred Wilson School of Pharmacy

Larkin University College of Pharmacy

Manchester University College of Pharmacy, Natural and Health Sciences

Marshall B. Ketchum University College of Pharmacy

Marshall University School of Pharmacy

Medical College of Wisconsin School of Pharmacy

South University School of Pharmacy

Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Pharmacy

St John Fisher College Wegmans School of Pharmacy

Texas Southern University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis

University of St Joseph School of Pharmacy and Physician Assistant Studies

University of Washington School of Pharmacy

# Providers of Continuing Pharmacy Education Scheduled for Review for Purposes of Continued Accreditation, Year 2021-2022

The providers of continuing pharmacy education listed below are to be considered for continued accreditation during 2021-2022. Opportunity is hereby given for the submission of written third-party comments concerning qualifications for accreditation. Copies of the ACPE *Standards for Continuing Pharmacy Education* and the *Policies and Procedure Manual: A Guide for ACPE-accredited Providers*, are available, upon request, by writing to ACPE, 190 South LaSalle Street, Suite 2850, Chicago, Illinois 60603, or through the ACPE website (www.acpe-accredit.org). Written third-party comments must be received in the Council office not later than September 1, 2021, for fall 2021, and not later than November 1, 2021, for spring 2022. The procedure for considering third-party comments received by the deadlines noted above should provide for treatment in a way that is fair and equitable to all parties, including opportunity for response by the provider prior to ACPE's accreditation action.

#### Fall 2021

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists

Cambridge Health Alliance (CHA) Department of Pharmacy

Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services, LLC

Children's Health

Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi

Emory University Hospital Department of Pharmaceutical Services

Global Education Group

Lehigh Valley Hospital Pharmacy Department

Michigan Pharmacists Association

National Pharmacy Technician Association (NPTA)

Nebraska Pharmacists Association (NPA)

New York Presbyterian Hospital Department of Pharmacy

Philadelphia College of Pharmacy

Society of Critical Care Medicine

South Dakota State University College of Pharmacy

Sullivan University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

The Medical Letter, Inc.

Tribune Group GmbH

University of Illinois at Chicago College of Pharmacy

University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy University of the Pacific, Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy

#### Spring 2022

Allegheny General Hospital Department of Pharmacy Services

Annenberg Center for Health Sciences at Eisenhower

Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University

California Northstate University

California Society of Health-System Pharmacists

City of Hope National Medical Center

Continuing Education Network, Inc.

Elite Healthcare

France Foundation, The

Georgia Society of Health-System Pharmacists, Inc.

Kaiser Permanente National Pharmacy

Lahey Hospital & Medical Center

Lone Star College - Tomball Pharmacy Technology

Missouri Pharmacy Association

Northeastern University Bouve College of Health Sciences School of Pharmacy

Palm Beach Atlantic University

Swedish Medical Center Department of Pharmacy

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

University of Southern California School of Pharmacy

University of Toledo College of Pharmacy

Utah Society of Health-System Pharmacists

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