Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs

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February 26, 2024

Dr. Stacy Volnick
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Dear Dr. Volnick:

The Board of Directors ("Board") of the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) met January 11-13, 2024, for the purpose of making accreditation decisions. Three counseling specialty areas and a doctoral program housed in the College of Education at Florida Atlantic University were reviewed under the 2016 CACREP Standards. The Board made the following decisions:

Clinical Mental Health Counseling (M.Ed. degree)
Reaffirm Accreditation

Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling (M.Ed. degree)
Accredit

School Counseling (M.Ed. degree)
Reaffirm Accreditation

Counselor Education and Supervision (Ph.D. degree)
Reaffirm Accreditation

> *The Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling, and School Counseling specialty areas and the doctoral Counselor Education and Supervision program are offered primarily in person at the Boca Raton, Florida campus. Some courses (less than 50% of the coursework) are offered in person at the Jupiter campus or in a digitally delivered format.*

The Board based the above listed accreditation decisions on an extensive review of the self-study documents, the site review team's report, and the institution's response to the site review team's report. The Board makes the decision to reaffirm accreditation or accredit when it determines that the program has demonstrated that a counseling specialty area or doctoral program is in full compliance with all applicable accreditation standards and policies.

The accreditation cycle for the Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling, and School Counseling specialty areas and the doctoral Counselor Education and Supervision program runs through March 31, 2032. Barring the interruption of accredited status for the specialty areas and/or doctoral program, resulting from voluntary withdrawal or the review of required reports during the accreditation cycle, the program's application and self-study report for reaffirmation of accreditation will be due approximately eighteen months prior to the cycle end date.

The CACREP Board approved additional retroactive recognition for program graduates (CACREP Policy 5.a) due to COVID-19-related delays in scheduling a site visit. The length of added time is based on the length of the delay that occurred. Retroactive recognition of graduates from the Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling (CLRC) specialty area at Florida Atlantic University as graduates of a CACREP-accredited counseling specialty area will extend back to January 13, 2022. This decision is specific to CLRC as this is an initial accreditation for this specialty area as it replaces the formerly accredited time-limited Clinical Mental Health Counseling and Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling specialty area.

Please note *CACREP Policy 4.b - Publicizing Accreditation Status and Use of CACREP Logo*. Written requests for permission to use the CACREP Certification Mark should be sent to cacrep@cacrep.org.

On behalf of the CACREP Board, I would like to extend my thanks to you and your administration for the support provided to the counseling program throughout the accreditation process. Administrative support is considered vital to the process of continuous improvement of higher education programs. I extend congratulations, on behalf of the CACREP Board and Staff, to all of those involved in making this a successful accreditation review process.

Sincerely,

M. Sylvia Fernandez, Ph.D.

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President and CEO

cc: Dr. Stephen Silverman, Dean, College of Education
Dr. Carman Gill, Chair, Department of Counselor Education
Dr. Mikaela Kursell, Academic Program Coordinator, Department of Counselor Education

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The following Final Actions were taken by the CCNE Board of Commissioners at its meeting on April 16-18, 2024.

Initial Accreditation

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
A.T. Still University		*Kirksville, MO*
DNP	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Albert Einstein Medical Center		*Philadelphia, PA*
Employee-Based Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Arizona State University		*Phoenix, AZ*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Augustana University		*Sioux Falls, SD*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Aurora University		*Aurora, IL*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Blue Mountain Christian University		*Blue Mountain, MS*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Braxton College		*Fort Myers, FL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Carson-Newman University		*Jefferson City, TN*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Cedar Crest College		*Allentown, PA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
CentraState Medical Center		*Freehold, NJ*
Employee-Based Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Clayton State University		*Morrow, GA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Clement J. Zablocki VA Medical Center		*Milwaukee, WI*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
The College of Saint Rose		*Albany, NY*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
ECPI University-Richmond		*Richmond, VA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Florida Atlantic University		*Boca Raton, FL*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Fontbonne University		*St. Louis, MO*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Georgian Court University		*Lakewood, NJ*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Herzing University, Madison		*Madison, WI*
DNP	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Illinois College		*Jacksonville, IL*
Master's	June 30, 2027	Fall 2026
Le Moyne College		*Syracuse, NY*
DNP	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Malcom Randall VA Medical Center		*Gainesville, FL*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Marion VA Health Care System		*Marion, IL*
Federally Funded Traineeship Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Marymount University		*Arlington, VA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
MGH Institute of Health Professions		*Boston, MA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Miami University		*Hamilton, OH*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Rhode Island College		*Providence, RI*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Robley Rex VA Medical Center		*Louisville, KY*
Federally Funded Traineeship Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Saint Mary's College-Indiana		*Notre Dame, IN*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
San Francisco VA Health Care System		*San Francisco, CA*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
St. Bonaventure University		*St. Bonaventure, NY*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
State University of New York Polytechnic Institute		*Utica, NY*
DNP	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Tennessee Technological University		*Cookeville, TN*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Tennessee Wesleyan University		*Knoxville, TN*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Texas Woman's University		*Denton, TX*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of Hartford		*West Hartford, CT*
DNP	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
University of La Verne		*La Verne, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
University of St. Thomas		*St. Paul, MN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
University of the Pacific		*Sacramento, CA*
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
University of Virginia		*Charlottesville, VA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
VA Pittsburgh Healthcare System		*Pittsburgh, PA*
Federally Funded Traineeship Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
VA Portland Health Care System		*Portland, OR*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
VA Puget Sound Health Care System		*Seattle, WA*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
VA Salt Lake City Health Care System		*Salt Lake City, UT*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System		*North Las Vegas, NV*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
VA St. Louis Health Care System		*St. Louis, MO*
NP Fellowship/Residency	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Vanguard University of Southern California		*Costa Mesa, CA*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Virginia State University		*South Chesterfield, VA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Western Governors University		*Salt Lake City, UT*
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Accreditation Continued

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
Angeles College		*Los Angeles, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Arizona State University		*Phoenix, AZ*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Bethany Lutheran College		*Mankato, MN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
California State University, Northridge		*Northridge, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
California State University, San Marcos		*San Marcos, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Carson-Newman University		*Jefferson City, TN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Master's	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Cedar Crest College		*Allentown, PA*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Central Connecticut State University		*New Britain, CT*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
The Citadel		*Charleston, SC*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Clayton State University		*Morrow, GA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
CNI College		*Santa Ana, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Colegio Universitario de San Juan		*San Juan, PR*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Denver College of Nursing		*Denver, CO*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
East Tennessee State University		*Johnson City, TN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
East Tennessee State University and Tennessee Technological University Joint DNP Program		*Johnson City, TN*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Eastern Illinois University		*Charleston, IL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Fairmont State University		*Fairmont, WV*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Felician University		*Lodi, NJ*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Ferris State University		*Big Rapids, MI*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Florida Atlantic University		*Boca Raton, FL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Georgia State University		*Atlanta, GA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Hawaii Pacific University		*Honolulu, HI*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Herzing University, Madison		*Madison, WI*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Holy Family University		*Philadelphia, PA*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Jacksonville State University		*Jacksonville, AL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Jacksonville University		*Jacksonville, FL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
Linfield University		*Portland, OR*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2029	Fall 2028
Marian University		*Indianapolis, IN*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Marymount University		*Arlington, VA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Mercy College of Ohio		*Toledo, OH*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
MGH Institute of Health Professions		*Boston, MA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Miami University		*Hamilton, OH*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Morehead State University		*Morehead, KY*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Mount Mary University		*Milwaukee, WI*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Northern Kentucky University		*Highland Heights, KY*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Northwestern College		*Orange City, IA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Point Loma Nazarene University		*San Diego, CA*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Radford University		*Radford, VA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Rhode Island College		*Providence, RI*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Roseman University of Health Sciences		*Henderson, NV*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
South College		*Knoxville, TN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
Southwestern Adventist University		*Keene, TX*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Spring Hill College		*Mobile, AL*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
State University of New York Polytechnic Institute		*Utica, NY*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Tarleton State University		*Stephenville, TX*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Tennessee Technological University		*Cookeville, TN*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Texas Woman's University		*Denton, TX*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Thomas Edison State University		*Trenton, NJ*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Thomas Jefferson University Hospitals		*Philadelphia, PA*
Employee-Based Residency	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Toccoa Falls College		*Toccoa Falls, GA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Universidad Interamericana de Puerto Rico-Barranquitas		*Barranquitas, PR*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of California, Irvine		*Irvine, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of Nevada, Las Vegas		*Las Vegas, NV*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of North Carolina at Wilmington		*Wilmington, NC*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of Pennsylvania		*Philadelphia, PA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of Saint Joseph		*West Hartford, CT*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Accredited Program(s)	Accreditation Term Expires	Next On-Site Evaluation
University of South Carolina Beaufort		*Bluffton, SC*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of St. Augustine for Health Sciences		*San Marcos, CA*
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Post-Graduate APRN Certificate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
University of Virginia		*Charlottesville, VA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
DNP	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
VA North Texas Health Care System		*Dallas, TX*
Federally Funded Traineeship Residency	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Vanguard University of Southern California		*Costa Mesa, CA*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Western Governors University		*Salt Lake City, UT*
Baccalaureate	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033
Westminster University		*Salt Lake City, UT*
Master's	June 30, 2034	Fall 2033

Show Cause Directive Removed

At its meeting on April 16-18, 2024, the CCNE Board of Commissioners removed the show cause directives previously issued to the programs below. This action to remove the show cause directives was taken following review of information provided by the programs. These programs remain accredited by CCNE.

Accredited Program(s)	Effective Date	
University of Mount St. Vincent +		*Bronx, NY*
Baccalaureate	April 18, 2024	
Herzing University, Atlanta		*Atlanta, GA*
Baccalaureate	April 18, 2024	

+ Formerly College of Mount Saint Vincent.

For Information on CCNE's Public Disclosure Decision-Making Process, go to https://www.aacnnursing.org/Portals/0/PDFs/CCNE/Board-Actions-Public-Disclosure-Spring2024.pdf