



Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2020-2021

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the U.S. Department of Education

Range of Accreditation Activity: Accredit dietetics programs at educational institutions. Accredite private and public, not-for-profit organizations.

International Accreditation Activity:

7 Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

0 U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

n/a Organization evaluates credentials or degrees from outside the U.S.

Sponsoring Organization: The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

Composition of Decision-Making Body:

Educators (11), Practitioners (2), Public (3), student (1)

2,067,000 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

0 Direct support from any sponsoring organization

0 In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 12 Full-time **0** Part-time

Volunteers: 170 – served 2020-2021

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS

2020-2021

443 Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Institutions

354 Degree-Granting:

n/a Public

n/a Private Nonprofit

n/a Private For-Profit

89 Non-Degree-Granting:

n/a Public

n/a Private Nonprofit

n/a Private For-Profit

18,564 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

2020-2021

631 Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Programs

n/a Degree-Granting:

n/a Public

n/a Private Nonprofit

n/a Private For-Profit

n/a Non-Degree-Granting:

n/a Public

n/a Private Nonprofit

n/a Private For-Profit

18,564 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2020-2021

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: 7 years

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: 5 years.

Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

22 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

n/a Initial Accreditation Granted

0 Initial Accreditation Denied

31 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

29 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

0 Notice or Warning

1 Probation

0 Show Cause

0 Accreditation Terminated or Removed

0 Actions under Appeal

0 Other

Summary of Additional Actions

138 Substantive Changes Reviewed

