



Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2020-2021

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation

Range of Accreditation Activity: CACREP accredits master's and doctoral degree programs in counseling and its specialties that are offered by colleges and universities in the United States and throughout the world.

International Accreditation Activity:

n/a Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

n/a U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

No Organization evaluates credentials or degrees from outside the U.S.

Sponsoring Organization: n/a

Composition of Decision-Making Body:

14-member board, consisting of 10 counselor educators, 2 practitioner members, and 2 public members.

2,200,000 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

n/a Direct support from any sponsoring organization

n/a In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 10 Full-time **n/a** Part-time

Volunteers: 105 – served 2020-2021

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

2020-2021

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

880 Degree-Granting:

596 Public

271 Private Nonprofit

13 Private For-Profit

n/a Non-Degree-Granting:

n/a Public

n/a Private Nonprofit

n/a Private For-Profit

68,875 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2020-2021

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: Every 8 years.

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: Every 7 years.

Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

n/a Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

n/a Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

23 Initial Accreditation Granted

0 Initial Accreditation Denied

19 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

23 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

n/a Notice or Warning

n/a Probation

n/a Show Cause

3 Accreditation Terminated or Removed

1 Actions under Appeal

n/a Other

Summary of Additional Actions

28 Substantive Changes Reviewed

64 Site Visits

8 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation