Discussion of Institutions Not In Compliance
with Accreditation Timelines
October 2024

Overview

This item provides information to the COA regarding institutions that have not complied with the timelines of the accreditation cycle. Specifically, over the course of the year, this item covers Common Standards submissions, Annual Accreditation Fees, Annual Data Submission, Preconditions and Program Review submissions. Additionally, this particular report covers SB 488 (Chap 678, Statutes of 2021) Literacy Certification submissions as well.

Staff Recommendation

This is an action/information item.

Background

At the August 2014 meeting the COA requested information regarding institutions that are not complying with accreditation timelines. Since that time staff have been providing the COA with this information.

Since the last COA meeting there have been two deadlines for institutions. The first was submission of data into the Accreditation Data System. All programs have either submitted their data into the system by the deadline of August 31 or have since submitted after follow up by Commission staff. Staff is currently reviewing the data to follow up with institutions on any areas that do not appear to be accurate on its face.

The second deadline was submission of literacy certification documentation which was due on October 4, 2024. The Commission granted extensions of the due date to institutions that had extenuating circumstances. These institutions were granted extensions through November 15, 2024. All programs that were required to submit by October 4, 2024 that did not request an extension have now submitted their literacy certification documentation as required by SB 488.

Next Steps

Given that all documentation has been submitted on time for these activities, there are no next steps on this item.