

Notice of accreditation actions by the AVMA Council on Education Spring 2020

The AVMA Council on Education (AVMA COE®) is recognized by the United State Department of Education as the accrediting agency for colleges and schools of veterinary medicine in the US. In keeping with the regulations of the United States Department of Education, the following are the accreditation actions taken by the AVMA COE®.

The Council took the following actions during its March 21-23, 2020 meeting.

Accredited is a classification granted to a college that has no deficiencies in any of the Standards and is granted for a period of up to seven years. A college with one or more minor deficiencies that have minimal or no effect on student learning or safety, that can be reasonably be addressed in one year, are Accredited with minor deficiencies. Colleges with a status of Accredited submit annual interim reports to monitor continued compliance with the Standards of Accreditation. Colleges with a status of Accredited with minor deficiencies submit reports twice a year.

Based on evaluation of a comprehensive site visit that took place in Fall 2019:

- **Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – [Accredited](#) with minor deficiency (Standard 11, Outcomes Assessment)
- **Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine** – [Accredited](#) with minor deficiency (Standard 3, Physical Facilities and Equipment)
- **Auburn University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Universite de Montreal College of Veterinary Medicine** – [Accredited](#) with minor deficiency (Standard 3, Physical Facilities and Equipment)

Additionally, annual interim reports were reviewed by the COE and granted an accreditation status as follows:

- **Colorado State University College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences** – Accredited
- **Cornell University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine** -Accredited
- **Kansas State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Massey University School of Veterinary Science**– Accredited
- **Midwestern University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Mississippi State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **North Carolina State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Oklahoma State University College Veterinary Health Sciences** - Accredited
- **Oregon State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **St. George’s University School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Texas A&M University College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences** – Accredited
- **The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **University of California-Davis School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **University College Dublin School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited

- **University of Edinburgh Royal (Dick) School of Veterinary Studies** – Accredited
- **University of Guelph Ontario Veterinary College** – Accredited
- **University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **University of Prince Edward Island Atlantic Veterinary College** – Accredited
- **University of Queensland School of Veterinary Science** - Accredited
- **University of Sydney School of Veterinary Science** – [Accredited](#) with minor deficiency (Standard 3, Physical Facilities and Equipment)
- **Royal Veterinary College, University of London** - Accredited
- **University of Saskatchewan Western College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Seoul National University College of Veterinary Medicine** -Accredited
- **University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Tufts University Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **State University of Utrecht School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Facultad de Medicina Veterinaria y Zootecnia** – Accredited
- **VetAgro Sup l’Ecole Nationale des Services Vétérinaires à Lyon** – Accredited
- **Virginia Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Washington State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **Western University of Health Sciences** [Accredited](#) with minor deficiency (Standard 2, Finances, Standard 3, Physical Facilities and Equipment, Standard 6, Students)

***Probationary Accreditation** is granted to a college that has one or more major deficiencies that have more than minimal impact on student learning or safety. These deficiencies must be corrected in two years. College must submit reports to the Council every six months. If minor deficiencies are not corrected within one year, a college will be placed on Probationary Accreditation for one additional year. College must submit reports to the Council every six months.*

Based on annual interim report reviewed by the COE:

- **Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine** – continue [Probationary Accreditation](#) with major deficiency (Standard 3, Physical Facilities & Equipment)

*If a college granted Reasonable Assurance is making adequate progress in complying with the Standards, **Provisional Accreditation** may be granted to that college on the date that letters of acceptance (admission) are mailed to members of the initial class. When Provisional Accreditation is granted, interim reports are required at six-month intervals to monitor the program’s progress in complying with the Standards. In particular, changes in business or educational plans must be addressed in detail. Provisional Accreditation status may remain in effect no more than five years if the program complies with the necessary requirements. A program with Provisional Accreditation for five years or that does not provide continuing evidence that its program will comply with the Standards and its plan may be placed on Terminal Accreditation.*

Granted Provisional Accreditation based on continued compliance with their plan, the review of a biannual report and the College’s issuance of letters of acceptance:

- **Long Island University College of Veterinary Medicine**

Reasonable Assurance is the classification granted to a US or Canadian institution seeking initial accreditation. Reasonable Assurance is not a preaccreditation action by the Council and does not confer accreditation of any kind on a developing college. A letter may be granted to an educational institution indicating that there is reasonable assurance of future accreditation of a developing college of veterinary medicine in the US or Canada, if such a college is established according to detailed plans presented to the Council, and if these plans demonstrate intent and a realistic plan to comply with the Standards of Accreditation. Reasonable Assurance may lead to Provisional Accreditation. Reasonable Assurance may be renewed annually by the Council for a maximum of three years based on progress documented in writing twice a year (July and January). If a developing institution granted Reasonable Assurance fails to continue to demonstrate that its plan to develop its program will comply with the Standards, or if the program significantly changes its plan without notifying the Council, the Council may withdraw the classification of Reasonable Assurance.

Continued Letter of Reasonable Assurance based on the review of a biannual report:

- **University of Arizona College of Veterinary Medicine**