Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology

Notice of Accreditation Actions

Spring 2023

Accrediting agencies recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) must notify the public of accreditation decisions and the basis for such decisions. The nuclear medicine technology community, institutional and specialized accrediting agencies, and state agencies responsible for postsecondary education and radiation oversight are notified when a new notice of action is published.

The Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology (JRCNMT) meets this requirement by publishing a notice of accreditation actions on its website within 30 business days after each board meeting. Additional detail on board actions is found in the specific program's accreditation letter, posted in the <u>Directory of Accredited Programs</u> on the JRCNMT's website.

At its regular meeting on April 14-15, 2023, the JRCNMT took the following actions regarding the nuclear medicine technology programs sponsored by the institutions listed below. Specific standards listed in this report can be reviewed in the JRCNMT Accreditation Standards for Nuclear Medicine Technologist Education.

Accreditation Continued – These programs were reviewed for continuing accreditation in 2022 but were not in compliance with all JRCNMT accreditation standards. Based on submission of a satisfactory progress report in 2023, these programs received Continued Accreditation.

University of Findlay (OH)

Continued accreditation 6 years

Probation Removed and Accreditation Continued – These programs were reviewed for continuing accreditation in a prior year but were not in compliance with all JRCNMT accreditation standards. Based on submission of one or more satisfactory progress reports and a satisfactory focused site visit, these programs were removed from Probation and received Continued Accreditation.

Loma Linda University (CA)

Continued accreditation 5 years

Voluntary Withdrawal of Accreditation - This action is taken at the request of an accredited program.

Robert Morris University (PA)

Voluntary withdrawal of accreditation, effective Jan 30, 2023.

Marshfield Medical Center (WI)

Voluntary withdrawal of accreditation due to program closure, effective Aug 25, 2023.

Substantive Change Requests

GateWay Community College (AZ)

Approved: change in terminal award from associate to baccalaureate degree, effective for class entering fall 2023.

Galveston College (TX)

Approved: change in credit to contact hour ratios and addition of distance education track.

Active/Inactive Program Status - Inactive status is granted when a program has no students currently enrolled. This status is limited to a two-year period. Reactivation is granted when a program submits a report documenting continued compliance with accreditation standards and plans to begin enrolling students.

University of Kansas Medical Center (KS)

Approved: program request to return to active status, effective Dec 8, 2022.

