Notice of accreditation actions by the AVMA Council on Education  
Spring 2016

The AVMA Council on Education (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 20-22, 2016 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 comprehensive site visits that took place in fall 2015:

- **University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine**  
  Accredited for a period not to exceed seven years

- **University of Guelph, Ontario Veterinary College**  
  Accredited with a minor deficiency (Standard 9, Curriculum)

- **University of Edinburgh Royal (Dick) School of Veterinary Studies**  
  Accredited for a period not to exceed seven years

- **Texas A&M University College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences**  
  Accredited with minor deficiency (Standard 3, Physical Facilities and Equipment)

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

- **Auburn University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University of Calgary Faculty of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University of California-Davis School of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Colorado State University College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences** - Accredited
- **Cornell University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University College Dublin School of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University of Georgia College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University of Glasgow School of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Kansas State University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited with minor deficiency (Standard 9-Curriculum)
- **University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- **Mississippi State University College of Veterinary Medicine** - Accredited
- University of Missouri College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- University of Montreal Faculty of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- North Carolina State University College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine – Accredited with minor deficiency (Standard 11-Outcomes Assessment)
- Oklahoma State University Center for Veterinary Health Sciences - Accredited
- Oregon State University College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- University of Prince Edward Island Atlantic Veterinary College - Accredited
- Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- University of Queensland School of Veterinary Science - Accredited
- Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- Royal Veterinary College of the University of London - Accredited
- University of Saskatchewan Western Veterinary College - Accredited
- University of Sydney Faculty of Veterinary Science - Accredited
- University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- Tufts University College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM) Facultad de Medicina Veterinaria y Zootecnia - Accredited
- VetAgro Sup l’Ecole Nationale des Services Vétérinaires à Lyon – Accredited with minor deficiency (Standard 11-Outcomes Assessment)
- Virginia Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- Washington State University College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- Western University of Health Sciences College of Veterinary Medicine - Accredited
- University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine – Accredited

Based on a progress report the Murdoch University School of Veterinary & Biomedical Sciences the COE granted continued Accredited with minor deficiencies (Standard 4-Clinical Resources and Standard 8-Faculty).

**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 evaluation of a focused site visit that took place in spring 2016, the Tuskegee University School of Veterinary Medicine was granted continued Probationary Accreditation for good cause with a major deficiency with Standard 9, Curriculum for one year.

Additionally annual interim reports were reviewed by the COE and granted accreditation status as follows:
- St. George’s University School of Veterinary Medicine – Probationary Accreditation for one year with minor deficiency (Standard 10-Research)
- University of Utrecht Faculty of Veterinary Medicine – Probationary Accreditation for one year with minor deficiencies (Standard 1-Organization and Standard 9-Curriculum)
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.

Continued Provisional Accreditation based on biannual report:

- Lincoln Memorial University College of Veterinary Medicine
- Midwestern University College of Veterinary Medicine