

(the largest institutional accreditor out of 19 recognized accrediting organizations)

Accreditation provides assurance to the public, in particular to prospective students, that a college or university has been found to meet clearly stated requirements, criteria, and standards and that there are reasonable grounds for believing that it will continue to meet them. The institutional accreditors are highly trained, external, and private, nongovernmental/nonprofit organizations created for the specific purpose of reviewing higher education institutions and programs for quality.

A.A.S. –	Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) and approved by the Nebraska State Board of Nursing. The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the Associate Degree Nursing program is Continuing Accreditation with conditions.	2015 (Initial NLN accreditation granted in 1/1994)	2023	2031	B and L	(2023) (NCLEX-RN Exam)
Dip. –	American Dental Association – Commission on Dental Accreditation (ADA-CODA)	1963	9/2017	2025	L	(2023) (CDA Exam)
A.A.S. –	Council for Standards in Human Service Education (CSHSE)	1981 (1-year lapse in 2007) (Re-accredited in 2008)	10/2023	11/2028	L and O*	N/A
Dip. –	Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon recommendation of the Medical Assisting Education Review Board	01/1978	11/2021	2031	L and O*	(2023) (CMA Exam)
A.A.S. –	National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)	1982	2019	10/2029	L	(2022) (BOC Exam)

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