ACCREDITATION

Coahoma Community College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award the Associate of Arts degree, the Associate of Applied Science degree, and certificates in career education. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Coahoma Community College.

ACCREDITATION OF HEALTH SCIENCE PROGRAMS

The Associate Degree Nursing Program is accredited by the Mississippi Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning, 3825 Ridgewood Road, Jackson, Mississippi 39211, Phone Number: 601-432-6493. The Associate Degree Nursing Program has Candidate Status with the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing Inc., formerly the National League for Nursing Accreditation Commission, Inc., 2243 Peachtree Road, Suite 850, Atlanta, Georgia, 30326, Phone Number: 404-975-5000.

The Practical Nursing Program is accredited by the Mississippi Community College Board, 3825 Ridgewood Road, Jackson, Mississippi 39211, Phone Number: 601432-6518.

The Polysomnographic Technology Associate Degree Program is accredited by the Commission on Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP),1361 Park Street, Clearwater, Florida, 33756, phone number (727) 210-2350, fax number (727)210-2356, www.caahep.org.

The Associate Degree Paramedic Program at Coahoma Community College currently holds a "Letter of Review" awarded by the Committee on the Accreditation of Educational Programs for the EMS Professions (CoAEMSP), a division of the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP). Under this "LoR", the Paramedic Program is recognized as *making satisfactory progress towards becoming accredited* and is therefore approved to graduate students who are then qualified to sit for the NREMT exam for paramedic. CoAEMSP 8301 Lakeview Pkwy. Suite 111-312 Rowlett, TX 75088 Phone: (214) 703-8445

The Respiratory Therapy program at Coahoma Community College holds Provisional Accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (www.coarc.com). This status signifies that a program that has been granted an Approval of Intent has demonstrated sufficient compliance to initiate a program in accordance with the Standards through the completion and submission of an acceptable Self Study Report (SSR), and other documentation required by the CoArc Board. The conferral of Provisional Accreditation denotes a new program that has made significant progress towards meeting the Standards of Accreditation. The program will remain on Provisional Accreditation until achieving Initial Accreditation. It is recognized by the National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) toward eligibility to the Respiratory Care Credentialing Examination(s). Enrolled students completing the program under Provisional Accreditation are considered graduates of a CoArc accredited program.

.Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care 1248 Harwood Road Bedfore, Texas 76021-4244 (817) 283-28835

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