## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Margaret Spellings

Secretary, U.S. Department of Education

FROM: Diane Boyer, CNM, PhD, FACNM

Chair, ACNM Division of Accreditation

DATE: February 28, 2005

RE: Accreditation Decisions

The Board of Review, the body of the Division of Accreditation (DOA) of the American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM) that reviews nurse-midwifery and midwifery education programs and makes decisions regarding preaccreditation and accreditation status, met January 29, 2005. At the conclusion of the meeting, the following programs received preaccreditation/accreditation status:

PROGRAM	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>STATUS</u>
Columbia University	Master's Nurse-Midwifery Education Program	Accredited
Ohio State University	Master's Nurse-Midwifery Education Program	Accredited
Case Western Reserve University	Master's Nurse-Midwifery Education Program	Accredited
Frontier School of Midwifery and Family Nursing	Freestanding Institution of Higher Education AND	Accredited
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For more information about the American College of Nurse-Midwives or nurse-midwifery and midwifery education programs, visit our web site at <a href="www.midwife.org">www.midwife.org</a>. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Nancy Dickerson, Associate Director, Education at (240) 485-1845 or <a href="mailto:ndickerson@acnm.org">ndickerson@acnm.org</a>. Thank you.