

**Notice of Accreditation Action
by the ACME Board of Review (BOR)
Notification Date: June 19, 2020**

Accrediting agencies recognized by the U.S. Department of Education (USDE) are required to notify regional accreditors, selected specialized accreditors, regional institutional accreditors, and state licensing agencies responsible for post-secondary education of final accreditation decisions. In addition, the Accreditation Commission for Midwifery Education (ACME) also provides notice of its accreditation decisions to the public on its [website](#).

In accordance with 34 CFR §602.26(a), you are being provided with notice of these actions no later than 30 days following the Board's decision. Please be advised that ACME, the recognized accrediting agency for the accreditation and pre-accreditation of basic certificate, basic graduate nurse-midwifery, direct entry midwifery, and pre-certification nurse-midwifery education programs, including those programs that offer distance education, took the following actions at its Board of Review (BOR) meeting June 9, 2020 and by action authority of the Chair on 6/16/2020.

Preaccreditation

- None

Continued Programmatic Accreditation

- None

Substantive Change

- None

Extension of Preaccreditation

- **University of Pittsburgh**, School of Nursing, Nurse-Midwifery Program, for the Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) extension of preaccreditation until February 28, 2022 (Action Date: 6/9/2020)

Extension of Accreditation

- **State University of New York (SUNY) Downstate, Health Sciences University**, Midwifery Program, for the Master of Science (MS) and Post Graduate Certificate (PGC), extension of accreditation until July 31, 2023 (Action Date: 6/9/2020)
- **University of Pennsylvania**, School of Nursing, Nurse-Midwifery Program, for the Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) and Post Graduate Certificate (PGC), extension of accreditation until July 21, 2021 (Action Date: 6/16/2020)

Adverse Action

- None

Withdrawal of Accreditation

- None

These actions and decisions have been posted on the ACME website at <http://www.midwife.org/ACME-Accreditation-Action-Notices>. For additional information about nurse-midwifery and midwifery accreditation, contact the Accreditation Commission for Midwifery Education (ACME), ATTN: Executive Director, 8403 Colesville Road, Suite 1550, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910, Phone: 240-485-1803, Fax: 240-485-1818, Email: acme@acnm.org , website: <http://www.midwife.org/acme>.