

## Notice of accreditation actions by the AVMA Council on Education January 2022

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 January 31, 2022 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 the evaluation of a verification site visit report that took place in Fall 2021, the AVMA COE granted accreditation status as follows:

- **University of Illinois, College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited
- **North Carolina State University, College of Veterinary Medicine** – Accredited

*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.*

Based on an evaluation of a comprehensive site visit that took place in Summer 2021 and the review of a biannual report the Council continued on Provisional Accreditation:

- **University of Arizona, College of Veterinary Medicine, Tucson, Arizona**