



Institutional Member Record ♦ Last Revised: January 2021

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Current CNME Status: Accredited

- Initial accreditation for Washington Campus granted in April 1987
- Initial accreditation for San Diego Campus granting in November 2011
- Accreditation last re-affirmed in October 2019 for five years
- The next accreditation visit is scheduled for the spring/summer of 2024 with a decision on continued accreditation to be made in the fall of 2024

Institutional or Regional Accreditor (if applicable):

Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities
8060 165th Avenue NE, Suite 100, Redmond, Washington, USA 98052
Phone: 425-558-4224

State Postsecondary Regulatory Agencies:

Washington Campus:

Washington Student Achievement Council
917 Lakeridge Way SW, Olympia, Washington, USA 98502
Phone: 360-753-7800

California Campus:

Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
P.O. Box 980818, Sacramento, California, USA 95798
Phone: 888-370-7589

Record of Report Submissions, Actions and Decisions (in reverse chronological order):

- October 20, 2019: *Accreditation re-affirmed for 5 years with the next reaccreditation visit to be conducted in the spring/summer of 2024; focused report due by July 31, 2021; follow up focused evaluation visit to both campuses during the fall of 2021. Formal Institutional Response not submitted.*
- May 1, 2016: *Focused report accepted.*
- March 3-4, 2016: *Focused evaluation visit to San Diego campus; focused report submitted on January 3, 2016.*

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- October 6, 2013: Accreditation re-affirmed for 6 years with the next reaccreditation visit to be conducted in the winter/spring of 2019; focused report due by July 31, 2015; follow up focused evaluation visit to the San Diego campus in fall of 2016. (Note: focused visit and report dates were subsequently changed, deadlines extended to 2016; see entry immediately above). Formal Institutional Response not submitted.
- October 6, 2013: Substantive change application accepted.
- November 10, 2011: Substantive change application accepted for San Diego campus.
- April 11, 2010: Revised interim report accepted.
- August 18, 2009: Interim report not accepted; revised interim report requested.
- August 12, 2008: Accreditation re-affirmed for 5 years.
- September 7, 2004: Accreditation re-affirmed for 4 years; focused report required.
- March 17, 2002: Certification granted to the Naturopathic Medicine Residency Program.
- November 1, 1999: Accreditation re-affirmed for 5 years.
- May 7, 1994: Accreditation re-affirmed for 5 years; progress report required in 2 years.
- May 20, 1989: Accreditation re-affirmed for 5 years.
- April 4, 1987: Initial accreditation granted for 2 years.
- April 28, 1986: Initial accreditation deferred.
- March 1986: Application for accreditation submitted.
- October 10, 1979: Application for candidacy reviewed.

Self-Study Reports on File:

- Summer 2019
- Summer 2013

CNME Evaluation Team Reports on File:

- June 3-7, 2019 Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
- July 22-26, 2013 Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation

Other Documents on File:

- Annual reports 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020
- Focused evaluation team report 2016
- Focused interim report 2016
- Substantive change application 2013
- Substantive change application 2011
- Interim report 2009
- General correspondence

Evaluation Visit Dates and Team Composition (in reverse chronological order):

- June 3-7, 2019: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
Thomas Kruzel, ND, (chair), Private Practitioner; Richard Barrett, ND, Private Practitioner, Academic and Clinical Faculty Member-NUNM; Sarah Beasleigh, ND, Dean of Clinical Studies and Clinical Supervisor-BINM; Leslie Solomonian, ND, Associate Professor-CCNM; Margot Gregory, NMD, Private Practitioner, CNME Profession Member; Daniel Seitz, JD, EdD, Executive Director, Council on Naturopathic Medical Education
- March 3-4, 2016: Focused Visit
G. Lansing Blackshaw, PhD, (chair), Provost Emeritus-New York Chiropractic College; Nancy Scarlett, ND, Professor-NCNM; Daniel Seitz, JD, EdD, Executive Director, Council on Naturopathic Medical Education
- July 22-26, 2013: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation

G. Lansing Blackshaw, PhD, (chair), Provost Emeritus-New York Chiropractic College; **Becky Clark, EdD**, Chief Academic Officer-SCNM; **Melanie Henriksen, ND, LAc, CNM**, Dean of Naturopathic Medicine-NCNM; **Paul Saunders, PhD, ND**, Professor-CCNM, Private Practitioner; **Nancy Scarlett, ND**, Associate Professor-NCNM

- May 19-21, 2008: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
David Wickes, DC, (chair), Executive Vice-President and Provost-Western States Chiropractic College; **Joni Olehausen, ND**, Dean of Clinical Education-SCNM; **Richard Barrett, ND**, Professor-NCNM; **Nancy Mitzen, CPA**, Vice-President of Financial Affairs-Western States Chiropractic College
- May 17-19, 2004: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
Brian J. Henderson, BA, (chair), President-Health Team Associates; **Rita Bettenburg, ND**, Associate Professor-NCNM; **Paul Saunders, ND**, Chair of Materia Medicine-CCNM and Dundas Naturopathic Center; **JoAnn Yanez, ND**, Director of Billing and Coding-National Institute of Technology; **Paul Walker, PhD**, Consultant/Advisor to CNME
- February 4, 2002: Naturopathic Residency Review
Randall Bradley, ND, (chair) Private Practitioner; **V. Joseph Wessels, ND**, CNME Practitioner Member; **Robert Lofft, CNME** Executive Director
- April 26-28, 1999: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
William J. Keppler, PhD, (chair), Dean Emeritus College of Health-Florida International University; **Richard Barrett, ND**, Associate Professor-NCNM; **Neil McKinney, ND**, Private Practitioner; **Donald Warren, ND**, Private Practitioner
- April 19-21, 1994: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation
Shirley P. Gordon, PhD, (chair), President Emeritus-Highline Community College; **N. Edd Miller, PhD**, Former President of the University of Nevada and University of Southern Maine; **Carl G. Phillips, ND, DC**, Private Practitioner; **Donald A. Sturgill, MBA**, Tacoma, Washington; observed by **Carl S. Person**, US Department of Education
- April 17-19, 1989: Comprehensive evaluation visit for re-affirmation of accreditation and Joint visit with NASC
Randall Bradley ND, (chair), Private Practitioner; **Henry N. Merritt, ND**, Private Practitioner; **Dr. Malvin Finkelstein**, Private Practitioner-Acupuncture
- March 1-2, 1987: Comprehensive re-evaluation Visit for initial accreditation
Dr. Patrick J. O'Rourke, (chair), Chancellor-The University of Alaska, former CNME Member; **Kathleen C. Shelley, PhD**, CNME Public Member, Chair CNME's Commission on Accreditation; **Dr. Russell DeRemer**, Dean of Students-Whitman College; **R. Ferris Kirkham, CPA**
- April 1-2, 1986: Comprehensive evaluation visit for initial accreditation
Composition of team not in records
- October 10, 1979: Application for candidacy review
Composition of team not in records

Bastyr University Institutional Member Representatives (in reverse chronological order):

- 2019-Present: **Cynthia Hope, ND**, Associate Dean Academics
- 2016-2019: **Jamey Wallace, ND**, Chief Medical Office
- 2012-2015: **Arianna Staruch, ND**, Associate Dean for Academics, School of Naturopathic Medicine
- 2007-2008: **Gannady Raskin, MD, ND**, Dean of Naturopathic Medicine
- 2002-2005: **Gannady Raskin, MD, ND**, Dean of Naturopathic Medicine
- 1998-2001: **Sarah R. Ringdahl, ND, MEd**, Dean of Naturopathic Medicine
- 1992-1998: **Eric Jones, ND**, Dean of Academic Affairs
- 1991-1992: **Keith Asplin, PhD**, College President

- 1978-1991: *Joseph E. Pizzorno, Jr., ND, College President*