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## Statement of Accreditation Status

# RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY

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**CEO:** Dr. Jonathan Holloway, President

**Accreditation Liaison Officer:** Mr. James Burkley

**Commission Staff Liaison:** Dr. Idna Corbett, Vice President

**Carnegie Classification:** Doctoral Universities: Highest Research Activity » Four-year, large, primarily residential

**Control:** Public

**Phase:** Accredited

**Status:** Accreditation Reaffirmed

**Accreditation Granted:** 1921

**Last Reaffirmation:** 2018

**Next Self-Study Evaluation:** 2026-2027

**Next Mid-Point Peer Review:** 2023

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## Accreditation Actions

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*The following represents the MSCHE accreditation actions taken in the last ten (10) years.*

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**June 25, 2020**

To acknowledge receipt of the supplemental information report. To note the institution's obligation to inform the Commission on the status of any investigation(s) conducted by the institution or by state, federal, or other government agencies with regards to foreign funding. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**April 30, 2020**

To grant a delay of the supplemental information report requested by the Commission action of March 5, 2020 and due October 1, 2020, because of extraordinary circumstances related to coronavirus (COVID-19) interruptions. The report is now due December 1, 2020. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**March 5, 2020**

To acknowledge receipt of the supplemental information report. To request a supplemental information report due October 1, 2020, addressing any and all significant developments related to any investigations conducted by the institution or by state, federal, or other government agencies related to the Commission's action of November 11, 2019 (Requirement of Affiliation 5). The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**November 21, 2019**

To acknowledge receipt of the supplemental information report. To request a supplemental information report, due March 1, 2020, addressing any and all significant developments related to the action of August 20, 2019 (Standard II and Requirement of Affiliation 5). The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**November 11, 2019**

Staff acted on behalf of the Commission to request a supplemental information report (SIR), due January 6, 2020, addressing recent developments at the institution which may have implications for current and future compliance with Standard II (Ethics and Integrity) and Standard IV (Support of the Student Experience).

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**August 20, 2019**

Staff acted on behalf of the Commission to request a supplemental information report, due October 1, 2019, addressing recent developments at the institution which may have implications for current and future compliance with Standard II (Ethics and Integrity) and Requirement of Affiliation 5.

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**January 4, 2019**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the reclassification of the other instructional site at Hudson County Community College, Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street, Jersey City, NJ 07306 as an additional location within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations as an additional location. Operations at the additional location must commence within one calendar year from the date of this action.

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**January 4, 2019**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the reclassification of the other instructional site at the Octagon 10 Office Center, 1719 Route 10, Parsippany, NJ 07054 as an additional location within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations as an additional location. Operations at the additional location must commence within one calendar year from the date of this action.

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**January 4, 2019**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the reclassification of the other instructional site at the Rutgers EcoComplex, 1200 Florence-Columbus Road, Bordentown, NJ 08505 as an additional location within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations as an additional location. Operations at the additional location must commence within one calendar year from the date of this action.

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**January 4, 2019**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the reclassification of the other instructional site at the Rutgers School of Social Work, 390 George Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08901 as an additional location within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations as an additional location. Operations at the additional location must commence within one calendar year from the date of this action. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**June 21, 2018**

To reaffirm accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2026-2027.

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**June 27, 2016**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To approve the reclassification of the instructional sites at (1) Camden County College, College Drive, Blackwood, NJ 08012; and (2) Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, 3829 School House Road, Lakehurst, NJ 08641 as additional locations and to include the locations within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**November 2, 2015**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional locations at (1) Albert C. Wagner Youth Correctional Facility, 500 Ward Avenue, Bordentown, NJ 08505; (2) Edna Mahan Correctional Facility for Women, 30 County Route 513, Clinton, NJ 08809; (3) East Jersey State Prison, 1100 Woodbridge Road, Rahway, NJ 07065; (4) Garden State Youth Correctional Facility, Highbridge Road, Yardville, NJ 08620; and (5) Northern State Prison, 168 Frontage Road, Newark, NJ 07114 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at these additional locations. In the event that operations at the additional locations do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**August 31, 2015**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional location at Rutgers University - Newark Institute at NENU, Northeast Normal University, 5268 Renmin Street, Changchun, Jilin Province, People's Republic of China within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at this additional location. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**June 25, 2015**

To accept the monitoring report and to note the visit by the Commission's representatives. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**April 27, 2015**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional location at County College of Morris, 214 Center Grove Road, Randolph, New Jersey 07869. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at this additional location. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. The December 1, 2014 monitoring report and small team visit will be acted at the June Commission meeting. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**June 30, 2014**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to include the additional locations at (1) Mercer County Community College, 1200 Old Trenton Road, West Windsor, NJ 08550 and (2) Marymount Manhattan College, 221 East 71st Street, New York, NY 10021 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at this/these additional locations. In the event that operations at the additional locations do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. To remind the institution of the monitoring report, due December 1, 2014, documenting evidence of (1) the completion and implementation of debt refinancing plans, including the financing of University Hospital debt (Standard 3); (2) State funding of University Hospital to ensure the integrity of the clinical and educational programs held there (Standard 3); (3) five-year financial forecasts related to a new strategic plan and including costs of IT integration (Standards 2 and 3); (4) the development and implementation of a long-term strategy for capital reinvestment to address critical deferred maintenance needs related to equipment and facilities transferred from UMDNJ to Rutgers (Standards 2 and 3); (5) further development and implementation of new governance structures (Standard 4); and (6) the alignment of policies and procedures for faculty and staff, including those subject to negotiated agreements (Standards 4, 5 and 6). A small team visit will follow. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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**April 28, 2014**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional location at the Center for Puerto Rico, Urb. Santa Rita, 1012 Gonzalez Street, San Juan, PR 00925 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at this

additional location. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. To remind the institution of a monitoring report, due December 1, 2014, documenting evidence of (1) the completion and implementation of debt refinancing plans, including the financing of University Hospital debt (Standard 3); (2) State funding of University Hospital to ensure the integrity of the clinical and educational programs held there (Standard 3); (3) five-year financial forecasts related to a new strategic plan and including costs of IT integration (Standards 2 and 3); (4) the development and implementation of a long-term strategy for capital reinvestment to address critical deferred maintenance needs related to equipment and facilities transferred from UMDNJ to Rutgers (Standards 2 and 3); (5) further development and implementation of new governance structures (Standard 4); and (6) the alignment of policies and procedures for faculty and staff, including those subject to negotiated agreements (Standards 4, 5 and 6). A small team visit will follow. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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### **November 21, 2013**

To accept the supplemental information report. To note that the Periodic Review Report, due June 1, 2013, has been received and will be acted on by the Commission at its meeting in November. To remind the institution of the monitoring report, due December 1, 2014, documenting evidence of (1) the completion and implementation of debt refinancing plans, including the financing of University Hospital debt (Standard 3); (2) State funding of University Hospital to ensure the integrity of the clinical and educational programs held there (Standard 3); (3) five-year financial forecasts related to a new strategic plan and including costs of IT integration (Standards 2 and 3); (4) the development and implementation of a long-term strategy for capital reinvestment to address critical deferred maintenance needs related to equipment and facilities transferred from UMDNJ to Rutgers (Standards 2 and 3); (5) further development and implementation of new governance structures (Standard 4); (6) the alignment of policies and procedures for faculty and staff, including those subject to negotiated agreements (Standards 4, 5 and 6). A small team visit will follow.

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### **November 21, 2013**

To accept the Periodic Review Report and to reaffirm accreditation. To remind the institution of a monitoring report, due December 1, 2014, documenting evidence of (1) the completion and implementation of debt refinancing plans, including the financing of University Hospital debt (Standard 3); (2) State funding of University Hospital to

ensure the integrity of the clinical and educational programs held there (Standard 3); (3) five-year financial forecasts related to a new strategic plan and including costs of IT integration (Standards 2 and 3); (4) the development and implementation of a long-term strategy for capital reinvestment to address critical deferred maintenance needs related to equipment and facilities transferred from UMDNJ to Rutgers (Standards 2 and 3); (5) further development and implementation of new governance structures (Standard 4); (6) the alignment of policies and procedures for faculty and staff, including those subject to negotiated agreements (Standards 4, 5 and 6). A small team visit will follow. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2017-2018.

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### **March 7, 2013**

To acknowledge the complex substantive change request and to include within the scope of the institution's accreditation the following changes: 1) the change in the established mission of the institution to incorporate the medical and health-related academic programs transferred to Rutgers University from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey by The New Jersey Medical and Health Sciences Education Restructuring Act, viz., the programs offered by the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, New Jersey Dental School, New Jersey Medical School, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, School of Public Health, School of Health Related Professions, School of Nursing, University Behavioral HealthCare and Cancer Institute of New Jersey with the programs of the New Jersey Medical School, New Jersey Dental School, School of Nursing, and School of Health Related Professions included provisionally pending an affiliation agreement between Rutgers University and University Hospital to continue the latter's support of these schools' academic missions; 2) changes in the governance structure of the University to include a new board of directors for Rutgers-Camden, advisory boards for Rutgers-New Brunswick and Rutgers-Newark, and a joint board of governors for Rutgers-Camden and Rowan University; 3) the offering of the MD and DMD degrees and associate's degrees offered by the School of Nursing and the School of Health Related Professions, provisionally, pending approval by the Secretary of Higher Education of the State of New Jersey; and 4) additional locations at 40 East Laurel Road, Stratford, NJ 08084 and 1776 Raritan Road, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076. To request a monitoring report, due December 1, 2014, documenting evidence of 1) the completion and implementation of debt refinancing plans, including the financing of University Hospital debt (Standard 3); 2) State funding of University Hospital to ensure the integrity of the clinical and educational programs held there (Standard 3); 3) five-year financial forecasts related to a new strategic plan and including costs of IT integration (Standards 2 and 3); 4) the development and implementation of a long-

term strategy for capital reinvestment to address critical deferred maintenance needs related to equipment and facilities transferred from UMDNJ to Rutgers (Standards 2 and 3); 5) further development and implementation of new governance structures (Standard 4); 6) the alignment of policies and procedures for faculty and staff, including those subject to negotiated agreements (Standards 4, 5 and 6). A small team visit will follow. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2013.

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### **August 27, 2012**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to include the additional location at the Sheraton Atlantic City Convention Center Hotel, Two Convention Boulevard, Atlantic City, NJ 08401 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at these additional locations. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2013.

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### **November 1, 2011**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to re-classify the instructional site at Burlington County College, 3331 Route 38, Mount Laurel, NJ 08054 as an additional location and to include the location within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2013.

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### **June 28, 2011**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to include the additional location at Camden County Boathouse, 7050 North Park Drive, Pennsauken, NJ 08109 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2013.

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### **May 5, 2011**

To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to include the additional location at Raritan Valley Community College, 118 Lamington Rd., North Branch, NJ 08876 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2013.

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## **Alternate Delivery Methods**

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## **Distance Education**

Approved to offer programs by this delivery method

## **Correspondence Education**

Not approved for this delivery method

## **Locations**

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Additional Location

### **Albert C. Wagner Youth Correctional Facility**

500 Ward Avenue

Bordentown, NJ 08505

**Opened:** 01/19/2016

Additional Location

### **Atlantic Cape Community College**

1535 Bacharach Blvd.

Atlantic City, NJ 08401

Additional Location

### **Atlantic Cape Community College**

5100 Black Horse Pike

Mays Landing, NJ 08330

Additional Location

### **Camden Campus**

Armitage Hall

Camden, NJ 08102

**OPEID:** 00262901

Additional Location

### **Camden County Boathouse**

7050 North Park Drive

Pennsauken, NJ 08109

**Opened:** 06/28/2011

Additional Location

### **Camden County College**

College Drive

Blackwood, NJ 08012

**Opened:** 06/27/2016

Additional Location

**CCM, Headquarters Plaza**

1 Speedwell Ave.

Morristown, NJ 07960

Additional Location

**Center for Puerto Rico**

Urb. Santa Rita 1012 Gonzalez Street

San Juan, PR 00925

**Opened:** 08/01/2014

Additional Location

**Central University of Finance and Economics**

39 South College Road Beijing China

China

Additional Location

**County College of Morris**

214 Center Grove Road

Randolph, NJ 07869

**Opened:** 09/01/2015

Additional Location

**Crowne Plaza Princeton - Conference Center**

900 Scudders Mill Rd.

Plainsboro, NJ 08536

Additional Location

**Dalian University of Technology, International Conference Center**

Dalian, China

Additional Location

**East Jersey State Prison**

1100 Woodbridge Road

Rahway, NJ 07065

**Opened:** 01/19/2016

Additional Location

**Edna Mahan Correctional Facility for Women**

30 County Route 513

Clinton, NJ 08809

**Opened:** 01/19/2016

Additional Location

**Educational Testing Service**

Rosedale Road

Princeton, NJ 08541

Additional Location

**Garden State Youth Correctional Facility**

Highbridge Road

Yardville, NJ 08620

**Opened:** 01/19/2016

Additional Location

**Harborside Financial Center**

Christopher Columbus Blvd.

Jersey City, NJ 07302

Additional Location

**Hudson County Community College**

Culinary Conference Center, 161 Newkirk Street

Jersey City, NJ 07306

**Opened:** 01/22/2019

Additional Location

**Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst**

3829 School House Road

Lakehurst, NJ 08641

**Opened:** 06/27/2016

Additional Location

**Marymount Manhattan College**

221 East 71st Street

New York, NY 10021

**Opened:** 10/06/2014

Additional Location

**Mercer County Community College**

1200 Old Trenton Road  
West Windsor, NJ 08550

**Opened:** 09/02/2014

Additional Location

**National Library of Singapore**

100 Victoria Street  
Singapore

Additional Location

**Neptune Township School District**

60 Neptune Boulevard  
Neptune, NJ 07753

**Opened:** 11/04/2009

Additional Location

**Newark Campus**

15 Washington Street  
Newark, NJ 07102

**OPEID:** 00262902

Additional Location

**Newark City Hall**

920 Broad Street  
Newark, NJ 07102

Additional Location

**Northern State Prison**

168 Frontage Road  
Newark, NJ 07114

**Opened:** 09/06/2016

Additional Location

**Octagon 10 Office Center**

1719 Route 10  
Parsippany, NJ 07054

**Opened:** 01/22/2019

Additional Location

**PHH Training Center**

4001 Leadenhall Rd.

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

Additional Location

**Plaza Business Centre**

Shanghai, China

Additional Location

**Raritan Valley Community College**

118 Lamington Road

North Branch, NJ 08876

**Opened:** 05/05/2011

Additional Location

**Rider University**

2083 Lawrenceville Road

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Additional Location

**Rowan College at Burlington County**

3331 Route 38

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

**Opened:** 11/01/2011

Additional Location

**Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences**

65 Bergen Street

Newark, NJ 07107

**OPEID:** 01039409

**Opened:** 07/01/2013

Additional Location

**Rutgers EcoComplex**

1200 Florence-Columbus Road

Bordentown, NJ 08505

**Opened:** 01/22/2019

Additional Location

**Rutgers School of Social Work**

390 George Street

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

**Opened:** 01/22/2019

Additional Location

**Rutgers University - Newark Institute at NENU**

Northeast Normal University 5268 Renmin Street Changchun, Jilin Province

China

**Opened:** 10/05/2015

Additional Location

**Scotch Plains**

1776 Raritan Road

Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

**Opened:** 07/01/2013

Additional Location

**Sheraton Atlantic City Convention Center Hotel**

Two Convention Boulevard

Atlantic City, NJ 08401

**Opened:** 10/01/2012

Additional Location

**Stratford**

40 East Laurel Road

Stratford, NJ 08084

Additional Location

**Western Monmouth Higher Education Center**

3680 Route 9 South

Freehold, NJ 07728

Other Instructional Site

**Bartle Elementary School**

435 Mansfield Street

Highland Park, NJ 08904

Other Instructional Site

**Brookdale Community College**

765 Newman Springs Road  
Lincroft, NJ 07738

Other Instructional Site

**Camden County College**

William G. Rohrer Center 1889 Rt. 70 East  
Cherry Hill, NJ 08003

Other Instructional Site

**Centenary College Equestrian Center**

12-56 Califon Road  
Long Valley, NJ 07853

Other Instructional Site

**Chatham High School**

255 Lafayette Avenue  
Chatham Township, NJ 07928

Other Instructional Site

**Drew University**

36 Madison Avenue  
Madison, NJ 07940

Other Instructional Site

**Greater New Brunswick Charter School**

429 Joyce Kilmer Avenue  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Other Instructional Site

**McNair High School**

123 Coles Street  
Jersey City, NJ 07302

Other Instructional Site

**Monmouth County Vocational School District**

255 West End Avenue  
Long Branch, NJ 07740

Other Instructional Site

**Morris County Vocational School District**

400 East Main Street

Denville, NJ 07834

Other Instructional Site

**National School of Public Health**

196 Alexandras Avenue

Athens, Greece

Other Instructional Site

**New Brunswick Free Public Library**

60 Livingston Avenue

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Other Instructional Site

**Passaic County Technical Institute**

45 Reinhardt Road

Wayne, NJ 07470

Other Instructional Site

**Picatinny**

Parker Road

Dover, NJ 07801

Other Instructional Site

**Point Pleasant Beach High School**

700 Trenton Avenue

Point Pleasant Beach, NJ 08742

Other Instructional Site

**The College of New Jersey**

2000 Pennington Road

Ewing, NJ 08628

Other Instructional Site

**University of Dodoma, College of Health Sciences**

Lecture Hall West, Kiyuku Avenue

Dodoma, Tanzania, United Republic of



Other Instructional Site

**Wynona's House**

185 Washington Street

Newark, NJ 07102