



Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs

July 17, 2025

Monica Torres, PhD
President

New Mexico State University-Dona Ana Community College-Espina Campus
3400 South Espina Street
Las Cruces, NM 88003

Dear Dr. Torres:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of a recent Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) accreditation decision for the program listed below. The CAAHEP decision was based upon the recommendation of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRC-DMS).

Program Sponsor: New Mexico State University-Dona Ana Community College-Espina Campus, Las Cruces, NM

Program Name: Diagnostic Medical Sonography - Abdominal-Extended

Accreditation Status Conferred: Continuing

Status Effective Date: July 16, 2025

Next Evaluation: 2035

Standards Version Used for Evaluation: 2020 Standards and Guidelines for the Accreditation of Educational Programs in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

Standards Cited: N/A; No areas of non-compliance identified

CAAHEP accreditation does not expire. The accreditation status conferred is effective until another accreditation status is approved by the CAAHEP Board of Directors. The program listing on the CAAHEP website contains the most current information regarding accredited programs.

Approved satellite locations, if applicable, are in the program listing on the CAAHEP [website](https://www.caahep.org).

The JRC-DMS conducts comprehensive and ongoing quality reviews to ensure program compliance with the *Standards* and accreditation policies and procedures. Findings of non-compliance may lead to a change in accreditation status. Profession-specific CAAHEP Standards and Guidelines, Policies and Procedures, and more information can be found on our website, www.caahep.org.

The commission recognizes your organization's commitment to quality health professions education, as demonstrated by your participation in CAAHEP accreditation.

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Sincerely,

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cc: Josefina Carmona, PhD, Dean of Health Sciences
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