

**\*3.13.1. “Accrediting Decisions of Other Agencies”**

**Applicable Policy Statement.** Any institution seeking or holding accreditation from more than one U.S. Department of Education recognized accrediting body must describe itself in identical terms to each recognized accrediting body with regard to purpose, governance, programs, degrees, diplomas, certificates, personnel, finances, and constituencies, and must keep each institutional accrediting body apprised of any change in its status with one or another accrediting body.

**Documentation:** The institution should (1) list federally recognized agencies that currently accredit the institution or any of its programs, (2) provide the date of the most recent review by each agency and indicate if negative action was taken by the agency and the reason for such action, (3) provide copies of statements used to describe itself for each of the accrediting bodies, (4) indicate any agency that has terminated accreditation, the date, and the reason for termination, and (5) indicate the date and reason for the institution voluntarily withdrawing accreditation with any of the agencies.

Compliance       Partial Compliance       Non-Compliance       Not applicable

**Narrative:**

Chattahoochee Valley Community College (CVCC) holds accreditation from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC). The College is not seeking and does not hold accreditation from any other institutional accrediting body.

The College keeps the accrediting body (SACSCOC) apprised of any changes in its status as noted in [CS3.12.1](#). A letter was sent to SACSCOC [November 3, 2010](#) indicating the loss of National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC) accreditation for the AAS degree nursing program. The Nursing Programs at Chattahoochee Valley Community College are currently seeking accreditation by the NLNAC and are currently candidates for accreditation through July 2013.

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**SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION**

[SACSCOC Correspondence – Loss of NLNAC Accreditation](#)