Process of Initial Accreditation

Inquiry

- ✓ Create an AMS account
- ✓ Inquiry Questionnaire & fee
- ✓ Determine eligibility

Application

- ✓ ACCET Document 4 (in AMS)
- ✓ Initial Review
- ✓ Valid for 1 (one) year

Workshop

- ✓ Attend accreditation workshop
- ✓ Deep dive into ACCET standards
- ✓ Scheduled 3x/year



- ✓ Comprehensive Analytical Self-Evaluation Report
- ✓ Addresses all ACCET standards
- ✓ Due date depends on visit cycle (see Schedule of Review)

On-Site Visit

- ✓ ACCET staff and peer reviewer(s)
- ✓ Team verifies ASER & operations on-site
- ✓ Reviews compliance with ACCET standards

- **Team Report** ✓ Team Report states findings
 - ✓ Addresses all standards, strengths, and weaknesses
 - ✓ Institution responds to weaknesses

Commission Action

- ✓ Commission reviews team report with institution's responses
- ✓ Makes decision

Accreditation Denied

- ✓ Failure to meet standards
- ✓ May re-enter process after 1 (one) year

Accreditation Deferred

- ✓ This is not an adverse action
- ✓ Institution responds and is considered following cycle

- \checkmark 1, 3, or 5 years
- ✓ Enter Reaccreditation cycle





















