

**STATUS REPORT ON INQUIRIES, PROPOSALS, AND APPROVALS:
NEW NURSING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS**

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Review the status report on inquiries, proposals, and approvals regarding new nursing educational programs.

ATTACHMENTS:

- *Attachment One* is a table listing of inquiries, proposals, and approvals regarding new vocational nursing (VN) educational programs.
- *Attachment Two* is a table listing of inquiries, proposals, and approvals regarding new professional nursing (RN) educational programs.

Legend for the two attachments:

ABHES = Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools
ACCSC = Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges of Technology
ACICS = Accrediting Council on Independent Colleges and Schools
COE = Council of Occupational Education
JC = Joint Commission
SACS = Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Unk = Unknown

OVERVIEW:

Total of New Nursing Educational Programs Approved:

TIME PERIOD	New VN Programs	New RN Programs	Total Combined
09/01/07 - 08/31/08	1	7	8
09/01/08 - 11/30/08	1	0	1
12/01/08 - 02/30/09	1	1	2
03/01/09 - 05/30/09	1	1	2

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

No recommendation. This is an information report. No Board action is required at this time.

Vocational Nursing (VN) Educational Programs:

Inquires About Starting a New Vocational Nursing (VN) Educational Program				
Name of Institution/Agency and Location	Institutional Accreditation	Location of Proposed Program	Date of Inquiry	Type of Inquiry
<i>Time Period 09/01/07 -08/31/08</i>				
Cephas Center for Health Sciences	Unk	Dallas, TX	Nov-07	Phone Call
Metro Medical Nursing Institute	Unk	Garland, TX	Dec-07	Phone Call
Texas Nursing Training Program	Unk	Garland, TX	Dec-07	Phone Call
Excel Health Institute	Unk	Houston, TX	Jan-08	Phone Call
Southwest Institute of Health, Inc.	Unk	Houston, TX	Feb-08	Letter
The Center	Unk	Dallas, TX	Apr-08	Fax
M & M Nursing Review	Unk	Arlington, TX	Apr-08	Phone Call
Advance Career College	Unk	Houston, TX	Jun-08	Phone Call
Bell Technical Training School	Unk	Houston, TX	Jun-08	Phone Call
MedVance Institute	Unk	Grand Prairie, TX	Jul-08	Letter
No Name	Unk	Austin, TX	Jul-08	Visit to BON
Career Quest	COE	San Antonio, TX	Aug-08	Letter
Career Academy of Texas	Unk	Grapevine, TX	Aug-08	Email
Kaplan Southwestern Career Institute	Unk	Dallas, TX	Aug-08	Phone Call
Kaplan Career Centers of Texas	Unk	Fort Worth, TX	Aug-08	Phone Call
<i>Time Period 09/01/08 - 11/30/08</i>				
Kaplan Higher Education	Unk	Alpharetta, GA	Sept-08	Letter
Oxman College	Unk	California	Oct-08	Email
CyberTex Institute Of Technology	Unk	Austin, TX	Oct-08	Letter
Texas Health School	Unk	Houston, TX	Oct-08	Letter
Tarrant County Community College	SACS	Hurst, TX	Nov-08	Phone Call
CyberTex Institute of Technology	Unk	Austin, TX	Nov-08	Email
Dallas Southeastern Career Institute	Unk	Dallas, TX	Oct-08	Phone Call
Cephas Center for Health Sciences	Unk	Dallas, TX	Nov-08	Phone Call
Bell Tech	Unk	Houston, TX	Jun-08	Visit
Career Quest	Unk	San Antonio, TX	Sep-08	visit
Maria's Career Institute	Unk	Mesquite, TX	Nov-08	Visit

Allied Professionals	Unk	Fort Worth, TX	Nov-08	Phone Call
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/09				
None	Unk			
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09				
Compliance Review Services	Unk	Unknown	Mar-09	Phone Call
Teamwork Services	Unk	Unknown	Apr-09	Phone Call

Proposals for a New Vocational Nursing (VN) Educational Program		
Name of Institution/Agency and Location	Institutional Accreditation	Location of Proposed Program
Time Period 09/01/07 - 08/31/08		
Rio Grande Valley Careers School of Vocational Nursing	Unk	Pharr, TX
Time Period 09/01/08 - 11/30/08		
MedVance Institute	Unk	Grand Prairie, TX
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/08		
Texas State Technical College	SACS	Harlingen, TX
The Academy of Health Care Professions	ABHES	Houston, TX
Kaplan Southeastern Career Institute	Unk	Dallas, TX
Kaplan Career Centers of Texas	Unk	Fort Worth, TX
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09		
LuPaul Human Development Agency	Unk	Houston, TX

New Vocational Nursing (VN) Educational Programs Approved			
Name of Program	Institutional Accreditation	Program Location	Approval Date
Time Period 09/01/07 - 08/31/08			
Career Point College	ABHES	San Antonio, TX	Apr-08
MedVance Institute	Unk	Houston, TX	Oct-08
Universal Health Services	Unk	Ft Worth, TX	Oct-08
Time Period 09/01/08 - 11/30/08			
None	Unk		
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/09			
None	Unk		
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09			
Texas State Technical College	SACS	Harlingen, TX	Apr-09

Professional Nursing Educational Programs:

Inquires About Starting a New Professional Nursing (RN) Educational Program					
Name of Institution/Agency and Location	Institutional Accreditation	Type of RN Program	Location of Proposed Program	Date of Inquiry	Type of Inquiry /Status
Time Period 09/01/07 -08/31/08					
Jarvis Christian College	Unk	BSN	Hawkins, TX	Jan-08	Phone Call
Apollo College	Unk	ADN	Unk	Mar-08	Phone Call
Concordia University	SACS	BSN	Austin, TX	Mar-08	Letter
University of Houston in Victoria	SACS	CNS, APN	Sugarland, TX	Apr-08	Letter /Approved
M & M Nursing Review	Unk	LVN-RN	Unk	Apr-08	Phone Call
Houston Baptist University	SACS	FNP	Houston, TX	Jun-08	Letter
Western Governors University	SACS	ADN	Online/Out of State	Jul-08	Office Visit/Proposal received
Texas School of Nursing	Unk	ADN	Victoria, TX	Jul-08	Phone Call/Meeting
Rio Salado College	Unk	ADN	Out of State	Jul-08	Email
Time Period 09/01/08-11/30/08					
Oxman College	Unk	LVN-ADN	California	Oct-08	Email
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/09					
Chamberlain College of Nursing	NLNAC/CCNE	BSN, MSN	Oakbrook Terrace, IL	Jan-09	Phone Call
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09					
Hallmark College	Unk	ADN	San Antonio, TX	May-09	Phone Call
Platt College	ACCSC	RN-ADN	Dallas, TX	Jun-09	Email

Proposals for a New Professional Nursing (RN) Educational Program			
Name of Institution/Agency & Location	Institutional Accreditation	Type of RN Program	Location of Proposed Program
Time Period 09/01/07 -08/31/08			
Coastal Bend College	SACS	ADN	Beeville, TX
University of Houston -Victoria	SACS	BSN	Victoria & Sugarland, TX
Texas A&M University in College Station, TX	SACS	BSN	College Station, TX
Dallas Nursing Institute in Dallas, TX	ABHES	ADN	Dallas, TX
Time Period 09/01/08-11/30/08			

Baptist Health Systems School of Health Professions	ABHES; JC	ADN	San Antonio, TX
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/09			
Western Governors University	SACS	BSN	Online/Out of state
Texas State University in San Marcos, TX	SACS	BSN	Round Rock, TX
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09			
None			

New Professional Nursing (RN) Educational Programs Approved				
Name of Program	Institutional Accreditation	Type of RN Program	Program Location	Approval Date
Time Period 09/01/07 - 08/31/08				
Brazosport Health Systems	SACS	ADN	Lake Jackson, TX	Jul-08
Costal Bend College	SACS	ADN	Beeville, TX	Apr-08
Galen Institute	COE	LVN to ADN	San Antonio, Tx	Jan-08
Southwest Texas Junior College	SACS	ADN	Uvalde, TX	Oct-08
Texas A&M University HSC in College Station, TX	SACS	BSN	College Station, TX	Jul-08
Texas State Technical College	SACS	ADN	Sweetwater, TX	Oct-07
University of Houston-Victoria	SACS	BSN	Victoria and Sugarland, TX	Jul-08
Time Period 09/01/08 - 11/30/08				
None Approved				
Time Period 12/01/08 - 02/28/09				
Baptist Health Systems	ABHES; JC	ADN	San Antonio, TX	Jan- 09
Time Period 03/01/09 - 05/31/09				
Dallas Nursing Institute	ABHES	ADN	Dallas, TX	Apr-09