



UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO
 MEDICAL SCIENCE CAMPUS
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ACCREDITATION STATUS OF THE MEDICAL SCIENCES CAMPUS SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS

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INSTITUTIONAL ACCREDITATION						
<i>Campus</i>	<i>Accrediting Agency</i>	<i>First Accreditation</i>	<i>Last Visit</i>	<i>Last Accreditation</i>	<i>Accreditation Status</i>	<i>Next Visit</i>
Medical Sciences	<i>Junta de Instituciones Post Secundarias (JIPS)</i>	1997	September 2016	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
	Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE) ⁷	1949 – UPR 1975 – MSC	November 2021	2022	Non-Compliance Warning	Monitoring Visit after Status Report September 2022
SCHOOL AND PROGRAMS ACCREDITED BY ACCREDITING AGENCIES						
<i>School or Degree Program</i>	<i>Accrediting Agency</i>	<i>First Accreditation</i>	<i>Last Visit</i>	<i>Last Accreditation</i>	<i>Accreditation Status</i>	<i>Next Visit</i>
SCHOOL OF NURSING						
Bachelor's Degree Program						
1. Science in Nursing (BSN)	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)	1974 ¹	March 2017	2017	Accredited until December 2027	2027
Master's Degree Programs						
2. Science in Nursing (MSN)	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)	1974	March 2017	2017	Accredited until December 2027	2027
3. Science in Nursing with Specialty in Anesthesia	Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA)	2012	April 2018	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
Doctoral Program						
4. Doctor in Nursing Practice with Specialty in Anesthesia (DNP-SA) ²	Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA)	2022	April 2018	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
SCHOOL OF PHARMACY						
First Professional Degree Program						
5. Pharmacy Doctor (Pharm D)	Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)	2005 ³	March 2017	2017	Accredited until Spring 2025.	2025

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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE						
First Professional Degree Program						
6. Doctor of Medicine (MD)	Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME)	1954	January 2017	2017	Accredited until 2025	2025
SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE						
First Professional Degree Program						
7. Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD)	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1961	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
Post-Doctoral Certificates						
8. Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1988	March 2018	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
9. General Dentistry	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1989	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
10. Pediatric Dentistry	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1976	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
11. Orthodontics	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	2000	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
12. Prosthodontics	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1992	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
Master of Science in Dentistry Programs (MSD)						
13. Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1988	March 2018	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
14. Pediatric Dentistry	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1976	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
15. Orthodontics	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1997	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
16. Prosthodontics	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1992	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027

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SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS						
Associate Degree Programs						
17. Dental Assisting with Expanded Functions	Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA)	1978	February 2020	2020	Accredited until 2027	2027
18. Ophthalmic Technology	Commission on Accreditation of Ophthalmic Medical Programs (CoA-OMP)	1987	April 2018	2018	Accredited until 2023	2023
19. Radiologic Technology	Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)	1985	October 2018	2018	Probation	2026
Bachelor's Degree Programs						
20. Science in Medical Technology	National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)	1975	April 2021	2021	Accredited until 2031	2031
21. Science in Nuclear Medicine Technology	Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology (JRCHMT)	1979	November 2018	2018	Accredited until 2025	2025
22. Science in Veterinary Technology	Committee on Veterinary Technician Education Activities (CVTEA) of the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA)	1996	March 2017	2017	Accredited until 2023	March 22-23, 2023
Post-Bachelor Certificate Programs						
23. Cytotechnology	Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) Cytotechnology Programs Review Committee (CPRC)	1980	December 2012	2013	Continued Accreditation	January 23, 2023
24. Dietetic Internship	Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)	1976	March 2019	2019	Accredited until 2028	June 30, 2028
25. Science in Medical Technology	National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)	1975	April 2021	2021	Accredited until 2031	2031
Master's Degree Programs						
26. Health Information Administration	Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)	1965	June 2022	2016	Accredited	Pending CAHIIM Action
27. Science with specialty in Speech-Language Pathology	Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) TEN	1969	April 2015	2015	Accredited until 2023	2023
28. Science in Occupational Therapy	Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)	2012 ⁵	February 2022	2022	Accredited until 2031-2032	2031-2032

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Doctoral Programs						
29. Audiology (AuD)	Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) of America Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)	2012	March 2017	2017	Accredited until June 2025	2025
30. Doctor en Terapia Física (DPT)	Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA)	1954 ⁴	April 2021	2021	Accredited until 2027	2027
FACULTY OF BIOSOCIAL SCIENCE AND GRADUATE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH⁶						
Graduate Certificates						
31. Developmental Disabilities Early Intervention	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1996	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
32. Gerontology	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1983	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
Master's Degree Programs						
33. Health Services Administration (MHSA)	Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME)	1965	December 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	2029
34. Science in Industrial Hygiene (MS)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1996	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
35. Health Sciences with specialty in Nutrition(MSHN)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
36. Science in Demography	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
37. 37. Science with specialty in Epidemiology (MS)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
38. Science with specialty in Evaluation Research of Health Systems (MS)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
39. Public Health with specialty in Environmental Health (MPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
40. Public Health Education (MPHE)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1973	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
41. Public Health GeneralOption (MPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1965	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029

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42. Public Health with specialty in Biostatistics (MPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1983	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
43. Public Health with specialty in Epidemiology (MPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1983	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
44. Public Health with specialty in Gerontology (MPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1996	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
Doctoral Programs						
45. Public Health with specialty in Environmental Health (DrPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	1998	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
46. Public Health with specialty in Health Systems Analysis and Management (DrPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	2014	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029
47. Public Health with specialty in Social Determinants of Health (DrPH)	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)	2014	November 2021	2022	Accredited until 2029	July 1, 2029

¹ The *National League for Nursing* accredited the School from 1974 to 2002.

² On December 20, 2021, the COA approved the DNP program, in the process of discontinuing the master's degree.

³ The former program of Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy was accredited for the first time in 1952.

⁴ The former program of Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy was accredited for the first time in 1954 (Certificate 1954-1956, Bachelor's 1956-2002, Master's 2004-2005). Program transition to DPT in 2015.

⁵ The former program of Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy was accredited for the first time in 1954.

⁶ The Faculty of Biosocial Sciences and Graduate School of Public Health is accredited as a School by the Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH). The Health Services Administration program have additional professional accreditation.

⁷ On April 30, 2020, the MSCHE approved as a second alternative delivery method-distance.