



Accreditation Visits Scheduled for Fall 2020

As required by the United States Department of Education, this serves as notice to the public of upcoming accreditation visits and an opportunity for written third-party comment. Written comment concerning accreditation qualifications for the institutions or programs listed below (i.e., determining whether a program appears to be in compliance with Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education [ACOTE®] accreditation standards or ACOTE accreditation policy) may be submitted ***no later than 20 days prior to the program's scheduled on-site evaluation*** addressed to: Director of Accreditation, AOTA, 6116 Executive Boulevard, Suite 200, North Bethesda, Maryland 20852-4929. The comment letter should be sent by e-mail attachment to accred@aota.org.

Per ACOTE's [Policy on Third-Party Comment](#), AOTA accreditation staff will acknowledge receipt of the third-party comment and will copy the letter of comment to the relevant program director and on-site evaluation team. The individual making the third-party comment may request in writing to remain anonymous. AOTA staff will redact personal information contained within the document prior to forwarding the comment to the program director and the on-site evaluation team.

The following programs are scheduled for on-site evaluations in fall 2020. All programs will be evaluated under the [2018 ACOTE Accreditation Standards](#).

August 31- September 1, 2020:

- Shenandoah U.-Scholar Plaza (OTM), Leesburg, Virginia

September 14, 2020:

- Temple University (OTM), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- University of Texas at El Paso (OTM), El Paso, Texas

September 14-16, 2020:

- Augusta University (OTM), Augusta Georgia

September 21-23, 2020:

- Pima Medical Institute-El Paso (OTA), El Paso, Texas
- Shawnee State at Southern State (OTA), Hillsboro, Ohio

September 28, 2020:

- University of Minnesota (OTM), Minneapolis and Rochester, Minnesota

October 5-7, 2020:

- Jacksonville University (OTD), Jacksonville, Florida – *initial on-site evaluation*
- Lincoln Land Community College (OTA), Springfield, Illinois

October 19-21, 2020:

- Praxis Institute-Hialeah Campus (OTA), Hialeah, Florida
- University of Mary-Bismarck (OTD), Bismarck, North Dakota – *initial on-site evaluation*

October 26-28, 2020:

- Sacramento City College (OTA), Sacramento, California
- Slippery Rock University (OTD), Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania – *initial on-site evaluation*

- South College-Nashville Campus (OTA), Nashville, Tennessee – *initial on-site evaluation*
- Springfield Technical Community College (OTA), Springfield, Massachusetts
- University of Mary-Billings (OTD), Billings, Montana – *initial on-site evaluation*
- Lewis University-Romeoville (OTM), Romeoville, Illinois – *initial on-site evaluation*

November 2-4, 2020:

- Methodist University (OTD), Fayetteville, North Carolina – *initial on-site evaluation*
- St. Catherine University (OTD), St. Paul, Minnesota – *initial on-site evaluation*
- U. of Indianapolis (OTM), Indianapolis, Indiana – *initial on-site evaluation*
- University of Mississippi Medical Center (OTD), Jackson, Mississippi – *initial on-site evaluation*
- University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio (OTD), San Antonio, Texas – *initial on-site evaluation*
- U. of Texas at Tyler (OTM), Tyler, Texas – *initial on-site evaluation*

November 9-11, 2020:

- Kean University (OTD), Hillside, New Jersey – *initial on-site evaluation*