

ACCREDITATION

Hillsborough Community College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, Telephone 404-679-4501) to award associate degrees, diplomas, and certificates.

Hillsborough Community College also meets the requirements of the following:

- The Florida Department of Education
- The Joint Review Committee on Education in conjunction with the Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation (CAHEA) of the American Medical Association

The Florida Department of Education will accept credit earned at HCC to satisfy various teacher certification requirements. In addition,

- The State of Florida approves HCC for veteran's training.
- The State of Florida recognizes HCC as a training center for Emergency Medical Services.
- The Florida Department of Law Enforcement certifies HCC as a regional training center for law enforcement, corrections, and correctional probation officers.

Multiple national organizations accredit or approve HCC's health sciences career programs:

- The Nursing (Associate Degree) R.N. program by the Florida State Board of Nursing and National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.
- The Diagnostic Medical Sonography program by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography in cooperation with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP).
- The Human Services program by the Council for Standards in Human Services Education.
- The Nuclear Medicine Technology program by the Joint Review Committee Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology.
- The Opticianry program by the Commission on Opticianry Accreditation.

- The Paramedic program by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic in cooperation with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP).
- The Radiography program by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology.
- The Radiation Therapy program by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology.
- The Respiratory Care program by the Committee on Accreditation for Respiratory Care.
- The American Culinary Federation accredits or approves HCC's Culinary Management (program/courses), Hospitality Management (courses only) and Restaurant Management (program/courses) career programs.

Memberships

Hillsborough Community College is a member of many national, regional, state and local organizations including but not limited to the following:

- Adult and Community Education of Florida, Inc.
- American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers
- American Association of Community Colleges
- American Association for Paralegal Education
- American Council on Education
- American Culinary Federation
- American Dental Education Association
- American Hotel & Lodging Association
- American Library Association
- Association of Community Colleges Trustees
- Association on Higher Education and Disability
- Association for the Promotion of Campus Activities
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
- Broadcast Education Association
- Community Colleges for International Development
- Community College Humanities Association
- Confreie de la Chaine Des Rotisseurs
- Consortium for Beleize Educational Cooperation
- Consortium of College and University Media Centers