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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

120

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Q8

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

271

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Yes

Q6

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Tennessee will likely begin the rulemaking process in Spring 2024. In addition, to other topics we will consider raising fees.

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

150

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Yes, I am attending, but my colleague will provide the update (please provide their name below):
not sure who will be attending yet

Q8

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

233

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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We are currently going through our Sunset Review process. We are seeking an 8 year extension.

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We would appreciate it if institutions would read and understand the rules and statutes they operate under.

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Q1

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Q2

NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

Respondent skipped this question

How many institutions do you regulate?

Q4

Respondent skipped this question

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

23

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

250

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q8

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

109

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

300

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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I wish schools would maintain documentation in the student file before we ask for it, such as for a visit or response to a complaint. Not that they don't have it, but it's not always in one place.

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

26

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

9

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q8

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

268

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

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In the past year the State of Iowa has no state updates.

Q7

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Many of the regulatory updates affect different departments across an institution. For example, the USDE professional licensure requirements will require a collaborative effort amongst the financial aid department, the departments for each academic program, legal department, admissions, etc. This licensure requirement does not happen with the institution's compliance person only.

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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State	MS
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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

66

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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Researching information on the following:

1. Through statute, requiring registered schools to provide digital records to CPSCR upon closure of the school.
2. Reviewing changing regulations regarding possible registration out-of-state schools offering only hybrid classes, and not full online programs.

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Please READ everything on the agency website. READ the process on the registration and fees due each year by the state agency. READ!

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

About 300; degree granting and non-degree granting.

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Yes

Q6

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The Minnesota Office of Higher Education has received a FY24 SARA State and Territory grant that we are using to help get our SARA participating private college's membership in the State Authorization Network (SAN).

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

Name	Nicole Campbell
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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

200

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

Yes, I am attending and will provide my state's update.

If you plan to attend the 2024 Annual Conference, are you available to provide a 2-minute update from your state during the State Updates session on Monday, April 8?

Q8

What is some inside information you, as a regulator, wish institutions knew? At the conference, several regulators will present practical advice to institutions that can help the regulatory process. We are looking for info such as: the common pitfalls in maintaining compliance; what happens if institutions wait too long to inform the regulator about changes; practically, how you ensure compliance if you can't visit every institution; how you are innovating - new technology, AI, etc.

Common pitfalls in maintaining compliance:

Become licensed if needed.

Be mindful with advertising claims - claims that cannot be supported or would be considered superlative.

Seek approval from the state any time you wish to implement tuition changes or program changes.

Seek approval from the state any time you make changes to your ownership structure.

Seek approval from the state any time you wish to use a new facility or discontinue an unused site.

Ensure refunds are facilitated in accordance with regulated expectations.

Non-compliance results:

Referral to the Board's Review and Recommendation Panel for consideration of enforcement action.

A civil penalty of \$2,500 may be issued for each separate violation.

Innovation:

We have the ability to conduct compliance audits virtually - conducting on-site visits as needed.

#16

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

32 institutions with a physical presence in Indiana

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

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The Indiana Commission for Higher Education staffs and administers the Indiana Board for Proprietary Education; which authorizes private, for-profit, and private, not-for-profit institutions with a physical presence in the State of Indiana. The Indiana Commission for Higher Education is the SPE for Indiana and I am the SPE member.

Q7

Yes, I am attending and will provide my state's update.

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Q8

Respondent skipped this question

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#17

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

Respondent skipped this question

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

No, I am not attending the conference.

If you plan to attend the 2024 Annual Conference, are you available to provide a 2-minute update from your state during the State Updates session on Monday, April 8?

Q8

Respondent skipped this question

What is some inside information you, as a regulator, wish institutions knew? At the conference, several regulators will present practical advice to institutions that can help the regulatory process. We are looking for info such as: the common pitfalls in maintaining compliance; what happens if institutions wait too long to inform the regulator about changes; practically, how you ensure compliance if you can't visit every institution; how you are innovating - new technology, AI, etc.

#18

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

86

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Q8

What is some inside information you, as a regulator, wish institutions knew? At the conference, several regulators will present practical advice to institutions that can help the regulatory process. We are looking for info such as: the common pitfalls in maintaining compliance; what happens if institutions wait too long to inform the regulator about changes; practically, how you ensure compliance if you can't visit every institution; how you are innovating - new technology, AI, etc.

the importance of institutions informing the regulator about changes and keeping the regulator apprised of updates until resolution

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

340-350 Authorized + Exemptions

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Yes

Q6

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1. A recent audit of our practice of permitting teaching sites revealed they are not permitted in our law, so we are ushering over 50 teaching sites to authorization (approx 34) or inactivity for the remaining. Since November 19 have begun the initial authorization process.

2. Minimum Standard Update:

1. Unaccredited institutions are prohibited from offering asynchronous online-only program delivery, which includes the use of third-party vendors.

2. Any asynchronous education may not be included in the total clock hours of program instruction, unless approved to do so by the institution's USDOE-approved accreditor or a specific approval is given by the Executive Director.

3. Prohibiting unaccredited degrees- Policy 14- by July 2026, any unaccredited institution that offers any degree-level programming must either have acquired accreditation or have taught out any students in the affected programs if accreditation is not sought.

4. The agency has established a new position, the Compliance Specialist, who is responsible for conducting most of the site visits throughout the state to establish and ensure consistent processes in the audit of facilities and record-keeping.

Q7

If you plan to attend the 2024 Annual Conference, are you available to provide a 2-minute update from your state during the State Updates session on Monday, April 8?

Yes, I am attending, but my colleague will provide the update (please provide their name below):
Kirk Shook, Executive Director

Q8

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Be in communication with your assigned Regulatory Specialist about potential changes your institution is considering to ensure that compliance is maintained. Certain notifications must be made within a limited timeframe, such as Changes in Ownership, to avoid more significant fees and application requirements. It's better to gather the necessary information prior to changes so that you're not scrambling afterward.

#20

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

About 150 (colleges, universities, private career schools)

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Q8

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

5

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

Yes, I am attending, but my colleague will provide the update (please provide their name below):
I'm attending but there are no updates.

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Q8

Respondent skipped this question

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#22

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Phone Number	3038623005

Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

85

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Q8

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Maintenance is ongoing, compliance is continuous work.

#23

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Phone Number	3604851078

Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

103

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

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Q8

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We appreciate it when institutions affirmatively provide updates or notices about compliance-related issues, questions, or concerns. Consistent information-sharing helps build trust.

#24

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

Name	John Ware
Organization	Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools
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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

250

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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Putting in place a new system for managing closed school records

Q7

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Q8

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N/A

#25

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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State	Texas
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Phone Number	5124276527

Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

164

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q7

Respondent skipped this question

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Q8

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We want to have good customer service, but sometimes, agency priorities shift us away from being able to help you immediately.

We want to hear the bad news, not because we are out to get an institution, but we want to be able to help you get through a rough patch (financial, accreditation, staffing, etc.)

Please don't let your state regulator be the last one to know about a change at your institution. Reading about a closure and big penalty in a news article does not set you up for success in working with us.

Take the time to introduce new staff who will be contacting the regulator. Give us updates on new contacts and check that emails are getting through to us.

Comment on proposed rules. You might have a perspective that the regulator does not have. It can strengthen a rule and help us implement changes better.

#26

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Q1

Please enter your contact information

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

106

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Yes

Q6

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Final Legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:3B-53.1 through 53.10; P.L.2023, c.115 Supporting Financial Stability and Operational Accountability of Public Institutions of Higher Education

Legislation requires public institutions of higher education to submit annual fiscal monitoring reports and undergo a comprehensive audit in addition to submitting annual audits, and authorizes the Secretary of Higher Education to appoint a State monitor who shall provide direct oversight of a public institution of higher education's fiscal and governance operations if the fiscal monitoring report or comprehensive audit of the institution includes a finding of financial instability, the institution receives an adverse or disclaimer opinion in its annual audit, or if any two of following criteria are met: The institution ends the fiscal year with a deficit balance in certain funds; the institution fails to develop and implement a plan to address a deficit balance in certain funds; the institution receives a qualified opinion in its annual audit or fiscal monitoring report; the institution receives an adverse, disclaimer, or qualified opinion under a single audit section in its annual audit or the fiscal monitoring report; the institution receives any audit findings identified as material weaknesses in internal controls in the annual audit; the institution fails to implement a plan from the prior fiscal year which causes any findings from the independent auditor to be repeated; the institution fails to submit the annual audit or the fiscal monitoring report; or the institution fails to comply with the timely training of governing board members. The legislation also requires higher education chief financial officers complete training.

Approved July 20, 2023

Proposed Regulations are currently under development.

<https://lis.njleg.state.nj.us/nxt/gateway.dll?f=templates&fn=default.htm&vid=Publish:10.1048/Enu>

Proposed Legislation on Performance Metrics

Proposed legislation, SB 3536, would require the agency to establish performance metrics that include measures student learning, retention, graduation, and post-graduation outcomes. Institutions would also be required to identify peer and aspirational peer institutions against which to compare and display its metrics. If enacted, the law would take effect immediately and will apply to the first full academic year following the date of enactment. The bill was introduced and referred to the Senate Higher Education Committee on January 30, 2023.

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2022/S3536/bill-text?f=S4000&n=3536_I1

Proposed Legislation on Reporting Requirements for OPM Contracts

Proposed legislation, SB1112, would require degree-granting institutions that enter into contracts with an online program manager ("OPM") to submit an annual expenditure report to the Secretary of Higher Education, which will include data on total payments to the OPM, students using state aid for OPM programs, and the OPM's expenses on services to the institution. The reports, which will be published online, are due within 60 days of any of the following: a new contract, a substantive change to a contract, a renewal of a contract, and, for contracts already in effect, the effective date of the law. The bill is currently under review by the Senate Higher Education Committee. If enacted, the legislation would take effect immediately. <https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2022/S1112>

Proposed legislation, SB 1113 and SB 1114, would also place additional requirements on degree-granting institutions that enter into contracts with OPMs.

SB 1113 would require degree-granting institutions that retain an OPM for marketing services require the OPM to identify itself as a third party in the beginning of communications with prospective students and disclose the relationship with the OPM and school on any digital or print advertising. If enacted, SB 1113 would take effect 30 days after enactment

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2022/S1113/bill-text?f=S1500&n=1113_I1

SB 1114 would require degree-granting institutions that enter into contracts with OPMs to publicly disclose information about the relationship. Both bills are currently under review by the Senate Higher Education Committee. SB 1114 would take effect immediately.

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2022/S1114/bill-text?f=S1500&n=1114_I1

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Proposed legislation AB 4971 would require four year institutions of higher education to post on its website the average time-to-degree completion for each baccalaureate awarded by the institution; and also would require county colleges to post on its website an appropriate measure of student outcomes as determined by the Secretary of Higher Education, in consultation with the New Jersey Council of County Colleges, for each associate degree awarded by the institution. In the addition, the legislation also requires public institutions of higher education to post on its website, a copy of the institution's annual fiscal monitoring report. The bill was referred the Assembly Higher Education Committee on December 12, 2022 and reported out and referred to the Assembly Appropriations Committee on May 18, 2023. If enacted, AB 4971 would take effect immediately and shall first apply to the first full academic year following enactment.

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2022/A4971/bill-text?f=A5000&n=4971_R1

Proposed legislation AB 1668 Revising Training Requirements for Governing Board Members of Public Institutions of Higher Education.

AB 1668 revises training requirements for governing board members of public institutions of higher education, and requires training as a condition of serving as a member of the governing board of a public institution of higher education. A governing board member would be required to complete a training program developed by the Secretary of Higher Education that is designed to clarify the rules and duties of a governing board member. The bill was referred to the Assembly Higher Education Committee on January 9, 2024. If enacted, AB 1668 would take effect on the 1st day of the seventh month next following the date of enactment.

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/bill-search/2024/A1668/bill-text?f=A2000&n=1668_I1

Final Legislation on Quality Metrics for Degree-Granting and Nondegree-Granting Schools N.J.Stat.§18A:3B-45.1 requires the Secretary of Higher Education and the Department of Labor and Workforce Development to establish certain quality metrics for all institutions based on the ratio of tuition and fees to average earnings of New Jersey workers employed in the occupation for which the program prepares students. Schools that fail to meet the minimum standard will have their program terminated and/or the school license revoked. The bill also requires private career schools to submit quarterly reports on tuition and fees and student records. Both of the agencies will be obligated to establish the performance standard within 12 months of the date the bill was enacted. The legislation took effect on July 29, 2022.

Public comment on proposed rules ended in December 2023..

<https://lis.njleg.state.nj.us/nxt/gateway.dll?f=templates&fn=default.htm&vid=Publish:10.1048/Enu>

Some College, No Degree

To support the unique and diverse needs of New Jersey's SCND student population, OSHE is excited to partner with Vantage Point Consulting and the American Council on Education (ACE) to help students reduce time to degree through earning college credit for prior learning (CPL).

The State, in partnership with Vantage Point Consulting, will conduct Adult Learner/CPL assessments to understand New Jersey's current landscape and to inform future services, including a professional development workshop series and on-going technical assistance.

Dual Enrollment Pilot Program

To advance another pillar of the New Jersey State Plan for Higher Education, the Department of Education (DOE), in partnership with the Office of the Secretary of Higher Education (OSHE), has awarded a total of \$500,000 in grants for the creation and expansion of high-quality dual enrollment programs in four school districts across the State. The four grant awards will expand opportunities for students to earn college credits from New Jersey institutions of higher education while they are attending high school.

Students' Basic Needs

Understanding that non-tuition costs like food, child care, and housing can impact the well-being and success of college students, the Office of the Secretary of Higher Education (OSHE) held a statewide convening in November 2023 to highlight efforts to address basic needs insecurity among New Jersey's diverse student populations and launched a free online navigation tool that will connect college students with a wide spectrum of basic needs resources. BasicNeeds.NJ.gov – designed in collaboration with the Office of Innovation

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– centralizes information relevant to students regarding housing, food, transportation, child care, and other similar supports, while providing an overview of eligibility and the processes for seeking State assistance.

The New Jersey Office of the Secretary of Higher Education (OSHE) continues to partner with UWill and participating New Jersey public institutions and public-mission independent institutions to deliver a wide range of tele-mental health services for students

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* NJOSHE has coordinated and facilitated regulatory compliance presentations to institutions it regulates, and in conjunction with the body with whom it coordinates for approval of academic degree programs.

*NJOSHE links to presentations and resources that direct institutions it regulates to relevant external websites.

*NJOSHE has coordinated and worked collaboratively with the body with whom it coordinates to regulate academic degree programs, and makes itself continually available for trainings and informal conversations with this body and institutions NJOSHE regulates.

*Regulated institutions should be mindful of regulatory compliance with matters that may not come up as frequently. It would therefore be fruitful to review regulations periodically to be knowledgeable of the complete regulatory landscape.

*Regulators should periodically assess their technology capabilities relative to regulatory compliance, and take dedicated time to investigate available resources and solutions such as, for example, on-line submission possibilities, knowledge base platforms to facilitate navigation of regulations, on-line fee collection etc.

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

102

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

Respondent skipped this question

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

Over 500

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

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Q6

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

Respondent skipped this question

How many institutions do you regulate?

Q4

**Degree granting,
 Non-degree granting,
 Non-public,
 For-profit,
 Not-for-profit**

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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The Utah legislature passed SB 180 in the 2023 legislative session which became effective January 1, 2024. The Utah Postsecondary School and State Authorization Act is available at:

https://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title13/Chapter34/C13-34_2023050320240101.pdf . More information is available on our website at <https://dcp.utah.gov/for-businesses/postsecondary-schools-and-state-authorization/statutes-and-rules-2/>.

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I have found that most schools register with the Division, but fail to review the statute and the rules so they are unaware of other requirements they need to follow.

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

approximately 900

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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Legislative changes effective July 1, 2023 and accompanying rule updates

1. Institutional accreditation required for institutions offering prelicensure professional nursing programs
 2. Enhancement of institutional data collection requirements, requirement for an annual accountability report reflecting retention, graduation and placement rates, and imposition of an administrative fine for failure to timely comply
 3. Authority granted to commission to prohibit or limit student enrollments based upon certain criteria, such as performance on institutional licensure standards, placement of institutions on probation or other adverse action, etc.
 4. Required disclosure to the commission of all programs offered by licensed institutions, including ones not under the commission's purview, such as avocational programs and test prep
 5. Required verification of high school graduation, high school equivalency, or qualifying scores on an ability-to-benefit test. No self attestations.
- Required written disclosures to students/prospective students of all fees and costs, refund policy, any exit examination requirements, and the grade point average required for program or degree completion.
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Q7

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Q8

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Q1

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Q2

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Regulator,
NC-SARA State Portal Entity (SPE)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

114

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

No

Q6

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

151 in state and 41 out of state limited licenses

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

Yes

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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CPE is currently in the process of eliminating NRS 394.600 requiring institutions to receive approval of advertisements from the Commission. Another regulation exists concerning prohibitions in advertising.

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Not keeping up to date with renewals and change requests.

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

~230

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Degree granting,
Non-degree granting,
Public,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

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That ultimately it is the institution's responsibly to follow laws and meet deadlines. Regulators can only do so much with reminders, tutorials, directions, etc.

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Q1

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Q2

Regulator

What is your role? (Select all that apply)

Q3

How many institutions do you regulate?

About 110

Q4

What types of institutions do you regulate? (Select all that apply.)

Non-degree granting,
Non-public,
For-profit,
Not-for-profit

Q5

No

Does your state have any updates or upcoming initiatives to share with regulators?

Q6

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N/A

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If in doubt, ALWAYS ask if an advance/prior approval is ready. See a "better" idea (say in another State), ask about implementing it in OK. Cont'd by Email to Tora
