Accrediting agencies recognized by the US Department of Education are required to notify regional accreditors, selected specialized accreditors and state agencies responsible for postsecondary education of final accreditation decisions. Please be advised that the Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH), the recognized accrediting body for schools and programs of public health, took the following actions on November 20, 2020.

ACCREDITATION ACTIONS

*Initial Accreditation* - The term for initial accreditation is up to five years.

Public Health Program
**Simmons University**
Initial accreditation to December 31, 2025

Community Health Program
**Western Washington University**
Initial accreditation to December 31, 2025
Interim reporting required

*Continued Accreditation* - The term for continued accreditation is up to seven years.

School of Public Health
**Indiana University at Bloomington**
Continued accreditation to December 31, 2027

Public Health Program
**Montclair State University**
Continued accreditation to December 31, 2027
Interim reporting required

School of Public Health
**West Virginia University**
Continued accreditation to December 31, 2027
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