

**Mississippi Commission on  
College Accreditation**

3825 Ridgewood Road  
Jackson, MS 39211-6453

June 10, 2020

Dr. Louann Woodward, Vice Chancellor  
for Health Affairs and Dean, School of Medicine  
University of Mississippi Medical Center  
2500 North State Street  
Jackson, MS 39216

Re: University of Mississippi Medical Center

Dear Dr. Woodward:

Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 37-101-241, enclosed is the approved list of institutions of higher learning authorized as academic degree-granting postsecondary educational institutions in the State of Mississippi for 2020-2021, as prepared and approved by the Mississippi Commission on College Accreditation (MCCA or Commission) at its May 27, 2020 annual meeting.

Sincerely,



E. Harold Fisher  
Chair

Enclosure

**MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON COLLEGE ACCREDITATION**  
**JULY 1, 2020- JUNE 30, 2021**  
**LIST OF AUTHORIZED COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**

**PUBLIC TWO-YEAR**

Coahoma Community College  
 Copiah-Lincoln Community College  
 East Central Community College  
 East Mississippi Community College  
 Hinds Community College  
 Holmes Community College  
 Itawamba Community College  
 Jones County Junior College  
 Meridian Community College  
 Mississippi Delta Community College  
 Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College  
 Northeast Mississippi Community College  
 Northwest Mississippi Community College  
 Pearl River Community College  
 Southwest Mississippi Community College

**PUBLIC FOUR-YEAR**

Alcorn State University  
 Delta State University  
 Jackson State University  
 Mississippi State University  
 Mississippi University for Women  
 Mississippi Valley State University  
 University of Mississippi  
 University of Southern Mississippi

**PUBLIC ACADEMIC HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER**

University of Mississippi Medical Center

**INDEPENDENT FOUR-YEAR**

Belhaven University  
 Blue Mountain College  
 Millsaps College  
 Mississippi College  
 Rust College  
 Tougaloo College  
 William Carey University

**RELIGIOUS**

Reformed Theological Seminary (Grad.)  
 Southeastern Baptist College (Four-Year)  
 Wesley Biblical Seminary (Grad.)

**RELIGIOUS – MCCA APPROVED, NOT ACCREDITED<sup>1</sup>**  
 Mississippi Baptist Seminary & Bible College

<sup>1</sup> Institution will pursue accreditation by a Commission-recognized accrediting agency.

**OUT-OF-STATE INSTITUTIONS AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE AT SPECIFIED LOCATION(S) IN MISSISSIPPI**  
*(Limited programs and activities)*

|   | <i>Main Campus</i>  | <i>Mississippi Location</i>   |
|---|---------------------|---|
| Coastline Community College               | Fountain Valley, CA | Gulfport Naval Battalion Center (non-instructional)                     |
| Bellevue University                       | Bellevue, NE        | Keesler AFB, Biloxi (instructional)                                     |
| Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University      | Daytona Beach, FL   | Keesler AFB, Biloxi (instructional)                                     |
| Loyola University – Institute of Ministry | New Orleans, LA     | Natchez, Tupelo (instructional)   |
| New Orleans Baptist Theological Sem.      | New Orleans, LA     | Clinton, Madison, Olive Branch, Blue Mountain, Parchman (instructional) |
| Saint Leo University                      | Saint Leo, FL       | Columbus AFB (instructional)  |
| Strayer University                        | Washington, DC      | Jackson (instructional)   |