



National Accrediting Agency
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October 15, 2014

Timothy Foster, JD
President
Colorado Mesa University
1100 North Avenue
Grand Junction, CO 81501-

Dear President Foster:

Enclosed is the NAACLS Board of Directors' official accreditation award for your Medical Laboratory Technician program's accreditation as decided at its September 18-19, 2014 meeting.

The Board of Directors' award is based on the initial accreditation review process that included a site visit of your program in Spring 2014.

Accreditation for your program will continue until October 31, 2019. As a result, your program will commence the continuing accreditation process with submission of the Self-Study Report on October 1, 2018 and the scheduling of a site visit during Spring 2019. We provide this information to assist you in your program's administrative and financial planning.

This letter and the accompanying award represent formal accreditation by NAACLS. The NAACLS Certificate of Accreditation will be forwarded to the Program Director.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Fred H. Rodriguez, MD". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Fred" and last name "Rodriguez" clearly legible, followed by "MD" and a long horizontal flourish.

Fred Rodriguez, MD
President, NAACLS Board of Directors

cc: Tracy L. Matthews, MS, MLS(ASCP)CM, Program Director
Debra Bailey, Department Head

NAACLS BOARD OF DIRECTORS' ACCREDITATION AWARD

The MLT Program of **Colorado Mesa University** in **Grand Junction, Colorado**, is awarded Initial Accreditation for **five (5) years**.

This initial program must submit a Progress Report documenting compliance with the following Standards **in triplicate** by **October 1, 2016**.

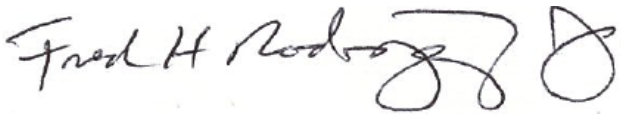
- Standard 15 **Systematic Review**
There must be a mechanism for continually and systematically reviewing the effectiveness of the program to include survey and evaluation instruments that incorporate feedback from a combination of students, employers, faculty, graduates, exit or final examinations, and accreditation review.
- Standard 16 **Outcome Measures**
A review of outcomes measures (e.g. external certifying examination results, results from capstone projects) from the last three active years must be documented, analyzed and used in the program evaluation.
- Standard 17 **Graduation and Placement Rates**
A review of graduation rates and placement rates must be documented, analyzed and used in the program evaluation.
- Standard 18 **Program Evaluation and Modification**
The results of program evaluations must be documented and reflected in ongoing curriculum development and program modification, followed by an analysis of the effectiveness of any changes implemented.

Failure to submit the required report(s) by the due date may result in Administrative Probation.

Tracy L. Matthews, MS, MLS(ASCP)CM is recognized as Program Director.

The following institutions are recognized as clinical affiliates of the program:

Community Hospital	Grand Junction, CO
Delta County Memorial Hosp.	Delta, CO
Family Health West	Fruita, CO
Montrose Memorial Hospital	Montrose, CO
The Memorial Hospital at Craig	Craig, CO
Vail Valley Medical Center	Vail, CO
Veterans Administration Medical Center	Grand Junction, CO
St. Mary's Hospital and Regional Medical Center	Grand Junction CO
Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center	Salida, CO
Gunnison Medical Center	Gunnison, Utah
Aspen Valley Hospital	Aspen, CO



Fred Rodriguez, MD
President, NAACLS Board of Directors



Dianne M. Cearlock, PhD
Chief Executive Officer

September 19, 2014