Program Accreditation

When available, individual academic programs often seek verification that their program of study and student outcomes meet national standards established by independent associations or governmental agencies. That verification is documented as a program accreditation. Students who complete an accredited curriculum enjoy additional confidence that experts in that field have evaluated the program and testified to its quality. Program accreditation may also enable students to more easily obtain professional certifications or registration.

The following programs have approval and/or accreditation from agencies external to UAA.

**Art**
Bachelor of Arts in Art; Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art  National Association of Schools of Art and Design (NASAD)

**Automotive and Diesel Technology**
Undergraduate Certificate in Automotive Technology; Associate of Applied Science in Automotive Technology with options in general automotive and General Motors ASE; Undergraduate Certificate in Diesel Power Technology; Associate of Applied Science in Diesel Power Technology  ASE Education Foundation

**Business Administration**
Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting, Economics, Finance, Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management, Management Information Systems, and Marketing; Bachelor of Arts in Economics; Master of Business Administration in General Management; Master of Science in Global Supply Chain Management  Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB International)

**Civil Engineering**
Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering  Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, www.abet.org (http://www.abet.org)

**Clinical-Community Psychology**
Doctor of Philosophy in Clinical-Community Psychology (jointly offered with the University of Alaska Fairbanks)  American Psychological Association (APA)

**Computer Science**
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET, www.abet.org (http://www.abet.org)

**Computer Systems Engineering**
Bachelor of Science in Computer Systems Engineering  Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, www.abet.org (http://www.abet.org)

**Construction Management**
Associate of Applied Science in Construction Management; Bachelor of Science in Construction Management  American Council for Construction Education (ACCE)

**Culinary Arts**
Associate of Applied Science in Culinary Arts  Accrediting Commission of the American Culinary Federation Education Foundation (ACFEF)

**Dental Assisting**
Undergraduate Certificate in Dental Assisting  Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association (CODA)

**Dental Hygiene**
Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene  Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association (CODA)

**Dietetic Internship**
Graduate Certificate in Dietetic Internship  Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)

**Dietetics**
Bachelor of Science in Dietetics  Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)

**Dietetics and Nutrition**
Master of Science in Dietetics and Nutrition (pre-RDN track)  Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)
**Education**

Graduate Certificates in Language Education, Special Education (K-12, advanced preparation track) and in Educational Leadership (K-12): Principal; Masters of Education in Educational Leadership (K-12)

Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood Development

National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)/Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP)

**Medical Assisting**

Course of Study

Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Medical Assisting Education Review Board (MAERB)

**Medical Laboratory Science**

Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science

National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)

**Medical Laboratory Technology**

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Technology

National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)

**Music**

Bachelor of Arts in Music; Bachelor of Music in Music

National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)

**Nursing**

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing; Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Master of Science in Nursing Science; Graduate Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner; Graduate Certificate in Nursing Education; Graduate Certificate in Psychiatric and Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

Doctor of Nursing Practice in Nursing Science

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)

**Paramedical Technology**

Associate of Applied Science in Paramedical Technology delivered at UAA's Kenai Peninsula College; Associate of Applied Science in Paramedical Technology delivered at UAA's Matanuska-Susitna College

Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP)

**Physical Therapist Assistant**

Associate of Applied Science in Physical Therapist Assistant

Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)
**Project Management**

Master of Science in Project Management
Global Accreditation Center for Project Management

**Public Health Practice**

Master of Public Health in Public Health Practice
Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)

**Social Work**

Bachelor of Social Work in Social Work; Master of Social Work in Social Work
Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

**Surgical Technology**

Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technology
Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Accreditation Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (ARC/STSA)