



## Commission Actions

On September 21, 2020 the District of Columbia Higher Education Licensure Commission (HELC) evaluated 43 postsecondary non-degree (ND or NCD) and degree-granting (D or IHL) schools operating or desiring to operate in the District of Columbia on their ability to comply with licensure standards.

The HELC protects the public against transient, unethical, deceptive and fraudulent educational institutions of higher education and assures quality by establishing standards in education, ethical business practices, fiscal responsibility, health and safety. The Commission investigates student complaints, serves as the State Approving Agency for veterans benefits and issues student transcripts from closed post-secondary schools.

Institution	Action Taken
Allied Health and Technology (ND)	Approved renewal for one year with condition
Amala Lives Institute (ND)	Approved modification and amendment to add location with conditions
American University (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
Bay Atlantic University (D)	Approved renewal/amendment for one year
Baylor University (D)	Approved Conditional Exemption renewal of one year
Brigham Young University (D)	Approved Conditional Exemption renewal for one year
BUEI (dba Mentora College) (ND)	Approved renewal for one year
Career Technical Institute (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
Claremont Lincoln University (D)	Approved Provisional for one year
Daniel Morgan Graduate School of National Security (D)	Approved closure plan for the DC location
Dudley Beauty College (ND)	Approved renewal and program amendment for one year and waived the renewal fee
Eastern Mennonite University (D)	Approved Conditional Exemption renewal for one year
Flatiron School, Inc. (ND)	Approved amendment to change ownership synchronous with current licensure
Four Walls Career and Technology Education Center (ND)	Approved program amendment synchronous with current licensure approval
Gallaudet University (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
Georgetown University (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
George Washington University (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
Goodwill Greater Washington (ND)	Approved renewal/amendment for one year
Hillsdale College (D)	Approved renewal for one year
James Madison University (D)	Approved continued licensure synchronous with current licensure
Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, The University of Texas at Austin (D)	Approved renewal for one year

Medstar Washington Hospital Center (ND)	Approved amendment for one year
Moreland University (D)	Approved renewal for one year and did not act on request for permanent licensure
New York University (D)	Approved additional location synchronous with the permanent licensure
Northwestern University (D)	Approved renewal/amendment for one year
Ohio University (D)	Approved Conditional Exemption renewal for one year
Opportunities Industrialization Center (ND)	Approved renewal with conditions for one year
Prospect College (D)	Deferred action on the renewal, program deletion and amendment until next public session
Southeast Welding Academy (ND)	Approved Provisional for one year with conditions
Strayer University (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
The Chicago School of Professional Psychology (D)	Approved program amendment with conditions
Truxton University (D)	Denied request for provisional licensure
Universidad Ana G. Mendez – Carolina Campus (D)	Approved closure plan for the DC location
University of Kentucky (D)	Approved Conditional Exemption renewal for one year
Urban Ed, Inc. (ND)	Deferred action on the program amendment with conditions
VETS Group Training Academy (ND)	Approved program amendment to modify synchronous with current licensure
Walden University (D)	Approved amendment for one year
Washington Baltimore Center for Psychoanalysis (ND)	Approved renewal/amendment for one year
Wesley Theological Seminary (D)	Approved continued participation in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement
Westlink Career Institute (ND)	Approved renewal, amendment and new location with conditions
YWCA National Capital Area Career Education Training Center (ND)	Approved renewal for one year

The Commission took the following actions for eligible veteran’s education providers:

Institution	Action Taken
Bay Atlantic University (IHL)	Approved SAA application
Moreland University (IHL)	Approved name change synchronous with current licensure approval
National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation (OJT/Apprenticeship)	Approved licensure and certification

The Commission took the following enforcement actions:

Institution	Action Taken
The Salon Professional Academy	Case # C2020-012 (S. Bradley v. TSPA) The Commission voted unanimously to refer the complaint to the HELC Executive Director to monitor corrective actions.

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