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Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions (RMUoHP) Announcement of Evaluation for Initial Accreditation and Request for Comments

Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions (RMUoHP) will host at its Provo, Utah campus an evaluation for initial accreditation conducted by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU; www.nwccu.org) on October 27-29, 2010. This is an initial accreditation evaluation following a specified procedure for application, institutional self-studies, site evaluations, and Candidacy for Accreditation.

On January 29, 2009, RMUoHP's status as a Candidate for Accreditation was continued on the basis of the Fall 2008 Interim Candidacy Evaluation. Candidacy is not accreditation and does not ensure eventual accreditation. It is an indication that an institution complies with the NWCCU eligibility requirements and is progressing toward institutional accreditation.

RMUoHP invites comments regarding the University to be sent directly to the Commission no later than 30 days prior to the site visit dates. The Commission's address is:

NWCCU

8060 165th Avenue NE, Suite 100
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About Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions:

Utilizing both a traditional and non-traditional model RMUoHP offers doctoral degrees for current and future healthcare providers and educators, including athletic trainers, nurses, occupational therapists, physical therapists, exercise physiologists, and chiropractors. RMUoHP utilizes a non-traditional model for the Doctor of Science (DSc) degree in Clinical Electrophysiology, Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) degree in Health Promotion & Wellness, Pediatric Science, Orthopaedic & Sports Science, Nursing, and Athletic Training, a Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree for nurse practitioners, and transitional Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) and Occupational Therapy (OTD) degree programs. The non-traditional model enables students to complete advanced degrees without relocating. Curricula emphasize specialized education in advanced clinical, research, and academic areas. The entry-level Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) degree program is offered through the traditional model.

For more information on Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions, call toll free 866.780.4107, visit www.rmuohp.edu, or email info@rmuohp.edu.