

The Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE)
Draft Standards Comments and Proposed Modifications

Please use this form to propose modifications or to comment on the CCE Accreditation Standards Principles & Requirements for Accreditation, and the accompanying CCE Meta-Competencies Policy and Guidelines for DCP Assessment of Meta-Competencies. Please copy this form and use a separate form for each suggested modification.

1. Proposed modification is submitted by:

Date: 09/18/10
 (mm/dd/yy)

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2. Location of proposed modification:

Section 1 Page _____ Principle _____ Paragraph _____
 (Example: Page 3, Principle II, Paragraph C.1.a.)

Section 2 Page 10 Sub-section Preface
 (Example: Page 14, Sub-section C)

Context: Paragraph _____ or Characteristics: Number _____
 (Example: Page 17, Sub-section E, Paragraph 2 or Page 19, Sub-section F, Number 7)

Section 3 Page 26 Sub-section _____ (Self-explanatory)

Meta-competencies Page _____ Number _____ OR

Title _____ (Example: Page 3, No. 7 or Page 4, Alumni Outcomes)

3. General Comments and/or Rationale for the proposed modification (if applicable):

The current 2007 standards (page 15) includes a section following the preface entitled "Purpose of Chiropractic Education" which provides a definition of the chiropractic profession that reflects the laws of the majority of the states and the consensus statements of the Association of Chiropractic Colleges (ACC Paradigm) that is universally accepted throughout the profession. It should not be deleted from the standards.

4. Proposed modification (Optional)

A. Current version; FROM the following (if location of proposed revision needs clarity):

The current "proposed" standards has deleted a section that exists in the current 2007 standards that addresses the commonly accepted definitions of the chiropractic profession. These statements are and should continue to be the foundation of chiropractic education.

B. Proposal; TO the following (use attachment if necessary):

II. Purpose of Chiropractic Education

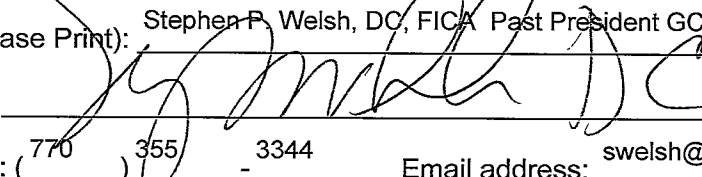
The purpose of chiropractic professional education is to provide the student with a core of knowledge in the basic and clinical sciences and related health subjects sufficient to perform the professional obligations of a doctor of chiropractic. ...

The application of science in chiropractic concerns itself with the relationship between structure, primarily the spine, and function, primarily coordinated by the nervous system of the human body, as that relationship may affect the restoration and preservation of health.

Further, this application of science in chiropractic focuses on the inherent ability of the body to heal without the use of drugs or surgery.

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5. Contact Information (Optional)

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