TABLE 8

Professional Accreditation Organizations and Schedule

Dental: Commission on Dental Accreditation, American Dental Association

Last accreditation for Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS), Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene, and Advanced Specialty Education Programs in Endodontics, Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics, Pediatric Dentistry, Periodontics, Prosthodontics, and General Dentistry: 2004.

Next accreditation for the above program: 2010

http://www.ada.org/prof/ed/accred/standards/predoc.pdf

Law: American Bar Association, Section of Legal Education

Last accreditation for the J.D. program: 2003. Next accreditation for the J.D. program: 2010-2011. http://www.abanet.org/legaled/standards/standards.html

Medicine: Liaison Committee on Medical Education, Association of American

Medical Colleges and the American Medical Association

Last accreditation: 2000. Next accreditation: 2007

http://www.lcme.org/functions2005june.pdf

Physical Therapy: American Physical Therapy Association

Accreditation for DPT: 2006 Accreditation for DScPT: 2008

http://www.apta.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Search&template=/CM/

HTMLDisplay.cfm&ContentID=27139

Nursing: National League of Nursing Accreditation Commission

Last accreditation for baccalaureate and master's programs: 2002. Next accreditation for baccalaureate and master's programs: 2010

http://www.nlnac.org/manuals/NLNACManual2004.pdf

Pharmacy: American Council of Pharmaceutical Education

Last accreditation for Pharm.D. program: 2000. Next accreditation for Pharm.D. program: 2006 http://www.acpe-accredit.org/pdf/CRITERIA-2003.pdf

SSW: Council on Social Work Education

Last accreditation for MSW program: 2000. Next accreditation for MSW prorgam: 2008

http://www.cswe.org/