

TITLE: Approval of Out of State Teacher Education Programs Operating in Hawaii

The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board approves the following for out of state teacher education programs operating in Hawaii:

Teacher education programs which are approved to prepare teacher candidates for licensure in their home state and have a physical or virtual presence in Hawaii (not including individuals who are completing an out of state SATEP under the supervision of a Hawai'i SATEP) must meet the following criteria:

- The program must have both approval to operate as a State Approved Teacher Preparation Program in its home state and national accreditation from a body approved to accredit teacher preparation programs by the US Department of Education;
- The program must pay a registration fee of \$500.00 and register its presence with the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board by a means determined by the HTSB staff, to include a description of the programs, copy of official approval status in the home state, copy of official national accreditation status and a list of current activities in Hawaii;
- The program must submit an annual report by December 31st updating any changes to the program including information about current accreditation status;
- Programs with approval in their home state but without national accreditation must submit a letter of intent to the HTSB and go through the Hawaii SATE process.
- The Executive Director shall notify other state agencies through the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC) of this policy within thirty days.

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Referred to: Teacher Education Committee