

Notification of Request for Authorization under the Degree-Granting Institutions Act

Date posted: April 28, 2023
Institution: Tufts University
Accreditation: New England Commission of Higher Education
Nature of request: Authorization to offer components of one degree program in WA
Proposed program: Doctor of Physical Therapy
Locations: TBD

Background:

Tufts University is a private non-profit research institution based in Massachusetts. The Doctor of Physical Therapy program proposed in this request is current offered at sites in MA and AZ.

Nature of the review:

Prior to granting authorization to offer degree programs in Washington State, the Washington Student Achievement Council/Degree Authorization reviews elements such as institutional infrastructure, financial solvency, administrative staff qualifications, program outcomes, course requirements, method of course delivery, faculty credentials, and student services.

Information on the degree program can be found on the university's website at: [Doctor of Physical Therapy](#)

Timeline:

The WSAC will accept comments on this application until May 28, 2023.

Any individuals with knowledge that may indicate the institution and/or the program does not meet the authorization requirements of WAC 250-61 are requested to submit comments to: [Degree Authorization](#). Please note that comments may be shared with the institution requesting authorization and may be available to the public under Washington State law.

If you would like to know more about the current law and regulations that govern the program, they can be found at [Chapter 28B.85 RCW](#) and [WAC 250-61](#).