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AUGUST 16, 2022 — The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) — a nationally recognized accrediting agency for baccalaureate, graduate, and residency/fellowship programs in nursing — is pleased to announce the creation of a new Standards Committee. The Standards Committee is charged with facilitating a comprehensive review of the accreditation standards that are used to evaluate baccalaureate and graduate nursing programs nationally.

The Standards Committee is responsible for developing and implementing a process for reviewing the Standards for Accreditation of Baccalaureate and Graduate Nursing Programs (last amended 2018) and seeking and considering input from the CCNE community of interest regarding proposed standards revisions. This process is expected to take approximately 12 months.

This fall, a general Call for Comments will be published, inviting all interested parties — institution and program administrators, faculty, practicing nurses, agency/organization representatives, employers, students, alumni, and others with an interest in the preparation of competent nurses — to suggest revisions to the accreditation standards. Final approval of the accreditation standards rests with the CCNE Board of Commissioners. The membership of the 2022-2023 Standards Committee is presented below.

Questions regarding the standards revision process can be directed to Dr. Daniel Michalski, Director of Accreditation Services, at dmichalski@ccneaccreditation.org.
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