



**ACAOM Waiver Request Form**

In limited and exceptional circumstances, the Commission will consider requests to waive the application of certain ACAOM accreditation standards, criteria, policies and/or procedures.

Name of Institution/Program requesting waiver: \_\_\_\_\_

The specific name of the item for which a waiver is sought: \_\_\_\_\_

**Detailed justification/rationale for waiver (attach additional pages and factual support as appropriate):**

**In all instances, a waiver may only be granted if the institution/program demonstrates that educational quality will be promoted, and the interests of students and the public will be protected by the proposed waiver. Waiver requests that seek simply to excuse non-compliance with accrediting standards, criteria, policies and/or procedures will be denied.**

The decision whether to grant a waiver is made solely by the Commission and denials of waivers may not be appealed. The Commission may also impose such conditions, as it deems appropriate, on the scope or duration of any waiver that it may grant. Waiver requests that effectively seek to amend its *Standards of Accreditation* will not be granted. Instead, programs/institutions making such requests should offer proposals for changes to accrediting standards for the Commission's consideration.

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