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# CRITERIA NEWS

## ACCREDITATION FROM THE HIGHER LEARNING COMMISSION (HLC) MATTERS

Learn how accreditation helps bolster our institution's commitment to excellence in health sciences, education and service, and how we are preparing for the HLC's campus visit this fall.

[LOGAN.EDU/HLC2021](http://LOGAN.EDU/HLC2021)

**Logan University has been accredited by the HLC since 1987**



### What is the HLC?

The HLC is a regional accreditation agency, recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, that assures colleges and universities meet certain standards regarding their mission, educational operation, scholarly and creative activities, community service, and ethics.

Logan University, HLC accredited since 1987, is preparing for its comprehensive evaluation this coming fall.



### Criterion 1. Mission

The HLC's first criterion evaluates Logan's mission. It should be clear and articulated publicly, guiding our university operations.

Our mission should also demonstrate commitment to the public good through opportunities for civic engagement in a diverse, multicultural society and globally-connected world.

**Logan's Mission** is to create a diverse and engaging community committed to excellence in health sciences, education and service.

**Logan's Vision** is to be a community of leaders committed to the transformative student success in health and wellness.

**Logan's Values** include respect, diversity, empathy, putting our students first, positive attitude, evidence informed decision making, character and teamwork.



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## HLC Criteria for Accreditation

**Criterion One (May):** Mission

**Criterion Two (June):** Integrity: Ethical and Responsible Conduct

**Criterion Three (July):** Teaching and Learning: Quality, Resources and Support

**Criterion Four (August):** Teaching and Learning: Evaluation and Improvement

**Criterion Five (September):** Institutional Effectiveness, Resources and Planning

## Learn and Earn Opportunities

Accreditation is a reflection of the hard work and dedication of the entire Logan community including its students, faculty and staff.



We hope that everyone got their "cup of knowledge" and enjoyed that yummy popcorn! Be on the lookout for more opportunities to strengthen your knowledge about the visit.

Also, be sure to keep up with the **Logan Values** Challenge through LinkedIn Learning, with a chance to earn rewards.

Respect and Empathy were covered in March and April, and we're focusing on Diversity in May. Please contact Wendy LaBenne with any questions and don't miss out on this opportunity!



## What Might the HLC Ask Me?

- How does your department support the mission of the university?
- What do you know about the HLC?
- What's it like working at Logan? What are its greatest strengths?
- How is morale on campus?
- What opportunities do you have for professional development?
- Are staff members treated equitably in their access to these opportunities?
- How are staff involved in campus decision-making processes?
- How would you describe the relationship between staff and administration?
- How are staff evaluated? What is your impression of that process?
- What changes are taking place at Logan? Do you see them as positive?
- Do you understand the FERPA policy?
- Do you feel your work is valued by administration? Faculty? Other staff members? Students?
- Does Logan provide sufficient technology support?
- What are the biggest resource challenges at Logan?
- What challenges do you believe Logan will need to deal with in the next ten years?



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