



**Academic Affairs Committee**  
**November 11, 2025**

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**Discussion Item**

AAC – 5      Academic Program Review Summary

**Background Information**

Following the requirements of the UNC Policy on Academic Program Review, UNCG faculty in the Nursing BSN, MSN, and DNP programs completed their accreditation and submitted an abbreviated self-study addressing the criteria required in the UNC Policy. Those criteria include student demand; employment outcomes; persistence, graduation, and time to degree; program costs and productivity, including faculty research, scholarship, and creative activity; student credit hours produced compared to the number and cost of faculty and staff; and the contribution of the program to professions that are critical to the health, educational attainment, and quality of life of North Carolinians.

The self-studies were reviewed by the Dean of the School of Nursing, the Vice Provost for Academic Programming and Accreditation, the Faculty Senate Academic Program Review Committee, the Provost, and the Chancellor. As required by the policy, the Chancellor is reporting to the UNC President that there will be no action taken on these programs to expand, contract, or discontinue them, as they are performing as needed with the resources they require.

Attachment:

*AAC – 5.1 Program Review Summary Fall 2025*

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J. Alan Boyette  
Provost & Executive Vice Chancellor

## **Summary of UNC Greensboro Program Reviews Completed Fall 2025**

### **Overview**

UNC Greensboro implemented an academic program review process that engages program faculty in producing a self-study document that reflects a holistic review of the curriculum; student demand; employment outcomes; persistence, graduation, and time to degree; program costs and productivity, including faculty research, scholarship, and creative activity, student credit hours produced compared to the number and cost of faculty and staff; and the contribution of the program to professions that are critical to the health, educational attainment, and quality of life of North Carolinians. An abstract of those data and information along with analyses are produced and reviewed for input. Those self-studies and abstracts are reviewed by the program dean, the Provost, a Faculty Senate committee, and the Chancellor. Advice on actions to be taken as expansion, contraction, discontinuation, or no action is provided to the Chancellor, who makes the final decision for each program.

In fall 2025, three programs in the School of Nursing were reviewed. They are the Nursing BSN, Nursing MSN, and Nursing DNP. These programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). The School of Nursing prepared a compliance report for CCNE and underwent an onsite visit that culminated in a reaffirmation of their accreditation in 2025. In addition to their CCNE report, the School of Nursing prepared an abbreviated self-study that directly addressed each of the criteria required for program review by UNC Policy 400.1. That self-study and the abstracts produced were reviewed through UNCG's APR progress.

### **Programs Reviewed**

1. Nursing BSN – no action taken
2. Nursing MSN – no action taken
3. Nursing DNP - no action taken