

Accreditation Timeline

2000–2002

September 1, 2000	College Self Study submitted for Reaffirmation of Accreditation.
August 2001	College initiated the revision of its Academic Development Plan.
January 19, 2001	Accreditation reaffirmed. Visiting Team found College to be in compliance with all standards; however, three recommendations from the 1994 Visiting Team were not resolved – 1) Create a Curriculum Revision and Review process with goal of assuring academic rigor and integrity in all courses and programs, 2) define the role of all constituencies on Campus Council, 3) analyze factors contributing to administrative instability and turnover and develop appropriate local responses. Visiting Team 2000 New Recommendations: 1) Reexamine and adapt PHI model (or other Program Review model) to all programs, esp. to student services, so that a structure, process, and culture are developed for its effective use in planning and decision making, 2) Identify and make public SLO for all degree and certificate programs, that gen ed component of all degree programs be published in catalog, that gen ed component be based on a philosophy and rationale clearly stated and publicized, that criteria by which appropriateness of each course in gen ed component is determined. 3) Review changes in placement scores that resulted from use of COMPASS and develop response strategies in student services and instruction, 4) Review storage and safety of student records, 5) Formalize planning procedures in the areas of technology and information and learning resources. These issues were to be handled by the Accreditation Implementation Committees.
February 2001	Accreditation Implementation Committees (AIC) created; 7 AICs were formed, as Student Services Records issue was handled within division.
November 1, 2002	Interim Report submitted.
May 2002	College adopted revised Academic Development Plan; renamed the revision as the <i>Leeward CC Strategic Plan 2002-2007</i> .

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- January 2003 UHCC System submitted to ACCJC Substantive Change Request for reorganization of CCs (eliminated Chancellor's Office, established reporting structure of 7 chancellors to UH President, changed Provost to Chancellor).
- ACCJC gives approval with reservations. Progress Report from System needed November 2003 and April 2004 to address reorganization issues.
- February 2003 College initiated first "annual revisit" of the *Leeward CC Strategic Plan*.
- March 2003 Curriculum Revision and Review Policy approved.
- August 12, 2003 Leadership Retreat at Aloha Stadium.
- November 1, 2003 Midterm Report submitted.
- November 14, 2003 Visiting Team found Campus Council issue to be fully addressed; issue regarding curriculum revision and review to be incomplete; administrative instability – remains "unstable"; "insufficient progress in implementing Program Review" with need to identify and implement a viable program review model; COMPASS adequately addressed; student learning outcomes for courses and programs adequately addressed, student records issue fully addressed; information technology not adequately addressed. Team issued a new recommendation to review the "N" grade.
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2004

- January 2004 College appointed co-coordinators for Accreditation. System-wide workshop conducted on current self study standards. Appointment of Program Review Coordinator.
- January 2004 Program Review process initiated for instructional programs and Support Areas.
- January 23, 2004 College placed on Warning as a result of Midterm Report. Two reports required: 1) 4/1/04 on "N" grade; 2) 10/15/04 on Program Review, incorporating Program Review in planning, resource distribution; formalizing planning in technology, information, and learning resources; System issues.
- April 1, 2004 Progress Report #1 on "N" grade submitted.
- Feb 19–Apr 8, 2004 Dialogue Sessions 1-5 on Student Learning Outcomes presented by Accreditation Co-coordinators.

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June 2004	ACCJC found progress in addressing System reorganization issues incomplete and required Progress Report on November 2004 (with visit).
July 5–9, 2004	Accreditation Co-coordinators conduct Self Study Workshop with Administrators.
August 2004	College leadership met with Consultant Julie Slark. College revised and broadened the scope of its Program Review.
August 2004	Leadership Retreat: focus on Administrative Reorganization Proposal and Accreditation.
September 9-12, 2004	College sent four leaders to AAHE Conference, Glendale CA.
September 14, 2004	ACCJC Self-Study Workshop, Honolulu CC.
Sept–October 2004	Vice Chancellor presented revised Program Review model to entire campus through a series of open forums and meetings with Divisions and Support Units.
September 9, 2004	Progress Report #2 on Program Review; College Assessment, Planning, and Budgeting; and Planning for Information Tech, Learning Resources; System issues submitted.
October 4, 2004	First Self Study Team Leaders' Meeting. Leaders agreed to use Themes approach to Self Study.
October 22–25, 2004	Visiting Team found progress made at the College towards a Program Review process with articulated SLO "impressive."

2005

January 2005	Convocation focused on Re-Organization. Formal introduction of Vice Chancellor and Accreditation Team Leaders. Worked on Curriculum Grid for Critical Thinking.
January 2005	Appointment of Course Assessment Coordinator.
January 31, 2005	College continued on Warning. April 1, 2005 Progress Report to focus on five System issues (all System issues, with individual campuses responding on efforts with Program Review, resource allocation, and support needs from the System).

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February 2005	Assessment and Strategic Plan Coordinators met with Division Chairs regarding course assessment and timelines. Course assessment module on Curriculum Central designed. Met with Curriculum Committee Chair to discuss DE course Modifications, Course Assessment within Curriculum Central. Policy on Program Reviews modified.
March 30, 2005	Progress Report #3 submitted to ACCJC.
April–May 2005	Assessment Team meetings with program, Support Area project directors.
May 13, 2005	Initial Meeting, UHCC Standard IV Systemwide Workgroup.
June 28, 2005	College removed from Warning, but Progress Report #4 due to Commission.
July 20, 2005	Accreditation Team Leaders' Meeting.
August 2005	Convocation in Arts and Music Building. Current Chancellor shared model of <i>Annual Review</i> . Update on Self Study effort.
August 31, 2005	Initial Self Study Theme drafts due.
September 16, 2005	Progress Report #4 submitted.
September 9 , 2005	UHCC Standard IV Systemwide Workgroup meeting.
September 13, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
September 16, 2005	Progress Report #4 submitted.
October 3–17, 2005	Assessment Team Meetings.
October 14, 2005	Reshaped Self Study Theme drafts due.
October 20, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
November 4, 2005	BOR Community College Committee Meeting.
November 7, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
November 17, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
November 28, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
November 30, 2005	Writing Assessment Gen Ed Meeting.
December 5, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.

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December 14, 2005	Team Leaders' Meeting.
December 15, 2005	Draft of combined Self Study document due.
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January 11, 2006	Posting of Self Study drafts on DocuShare: Campus input invited.
January 25, 2006	Deadline for campus response to initial drafts.
January 27, 2006	UHCC Standard IV Systemwide Workgroup meeting.
February 9, 2006	Team Leaders' Meeting; Curriculum Grid Meeting.
Feb 15–Mar 22, 2006	Weekly campus-wide Self-Study Sessions.
March 2, 2006	UHCC Standard IV System-wide Workgroup meeting.
March 6, 2006	Team Leaders' Meeting.
April 19, 2006	Posting of near final drafts of themes COM and ORG Campus Input Invited.
April 26, 2006	Posting of near final drafts of themes DIA and INT Campus Input Invited.
May 1, 2006	Posting of near final drafts of themes SLO and EPI Campus Input Invited.
May 8, 2006	Campus Council Review of revised drafts.
May 10, 2006	Faculty Senate Review of near final drafts of all themes.
May 11, 2006	UHCC Standard IV Systemwide Workgroup meeting.
May 10–July 28, 2006	Final revisions and formatting of Self Study Report.
July 20–28, 2006	Campus Council Review of final drafts.
July 28, 2006	Final draft to President, Vice President for Community Colleges.
August 4, 2006	Final draft to Board of Regents.