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We are aware of questions and concerns regarding the accreditation status of North Idaho College (NIC). Below is information to help you understand the situation.

NIC's accreditor, the [Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities](#) (NWCCU), issued an [Action Letter](#) on April 1, 2022 in response to a special evaluation visit on January 18, 2022, an External Peer-Evaluation Report, and NIC's Institutional Response.

NWCCU's Action Letter found NIC to be out of compliance with accreditation standards related to institutional governance and management. As a result, NWCCU imposed a sanction of *Warning*.

What does this sanction mean for NIC current and future students, and graduates? While a sanction is serious, it is an administrative matter that needs to be addressed by NIC's Board of Trustees.

The sanction does not impact NIC's ability to grant credits (including dual credits), certificates and degrees, all of which are still valid and will remain so indefinitely once earned by a student. All credits and credentials granted by NIC remain transferable and will be recognized by Idaho's public colleges and universities.

NIC continues to offer a quality educational experience for its students.

To answer additional questions that you may have, please visit [NIC's accreditation webpage](#).