

INSTITUTION HISTORY REPORT

Institution: MONTGOMERY COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (0535) Blue Bell, PA

December 1, 1966	Recognized candidate.
April 24, 1970	Accredited. Information letter due February 1, 1972 responding to the team's concerns, including student counseling, faculty involvement in governance, and community services, with an informal visit to follow in Spring 1972. Next review: 1975.
June 23, 1972	Information letter accepted and College commended. Need for a visit negated. Next review: 1975.
March 22, 1975	Reaffirmed. PRR due November 1, 1979.
March 1, 1980	PRR accepted. Next review: 1984-85.
December 5, 1982	See Minutes - Because of longstanding strike, the CHE scheduled a visit at an early date to ascertain the College's current condition.
February 26, 1983	College thanked for receiving CHE's visitors. Staff member will visit soon to discuss preparation for the next self-study which is to include a detailed assessment of outcomes. Evaluation will occur in Spring of 1985. (Action letter should caution College that it must exercise great care in the reduction of services to students; to carefully analyze the FTE for 1982-83 and projections for 1983-84 restudied; to suggest engaging consultants to assist in the areas of faculty, administration and Board relationships leading to the development of a governance structure; and Board-Administration relationships.)
June 28, 1985	Reaffirmed. To request a report by March 1, 1988 focusing on issues highlighted in the team's report with particular attention to the development of a policies and procedures manual and a comprehensive planning and evaluation process, and to schedule a small team visit following submission of the report. To note that, as of now, the PRR is due April 1, 1990.
June 23, 1989	To thank the College for receiving the Commission's representatives; to commend the College for progress to date; to note that, as of now, the PRR is due June 1, 1991. (PRR due date changed as a result of the small team visit recommendation.)
November 1, 1991	To accept the PRR and reaffirm accreditation; to ask that the self-study in preparation for the 1994-95 evaluation team visit give particular attention to the on-

	going planning for and implementation of academic and student support services at the new Western (Pottstown) campus.
June 21, 1995	To reaffirm accreditation; to request a follow-up report by April 1, 1997 on the progress in the development and implementation of a comprehensive plan of outcomes assessment. As of now, the PRR is due June 1, 2000.
June 25, 1997	To accept report. To review the implementation of the Academic Outcomes Assessment Plan as part of the PRR now due June 1, 2000.
November 15, 2000	To accept the Periodic Review Report and to reaffirm accreditation. To include distance learning within the scope of the institution's accreditation, pending receipt of a follow-up report by April 1, 2001, regarding progress in the implementation of the distance learning degree programs and the assessment of student learning outcomes. To direct a staff visit when the new president is appointed. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2004-05.
November 20, 2001	To thank the institution for receiving the Commission's representative. To accept the follow-up report, and to include the distance learning degree programs within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2004-05.
April 21, 2003	(Substantive Change Committee) - to accept the substantive change report submitted by Montgomery County Community College, to include the additional location at the Willow Grove Naval Air Station, Willow Grove, PA, within the scope of the institution's accreditation, and to direct a site visit within six months. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2004-2005.
November 19, 2003	To thank the institution for receiving the Commission's representative. To include the additional location at Willow Grove Naval Air Station, Willow Grove, PA, within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2004-05.
June 22, 2005	To reaffirm accreditation. To commend the institution for the quality of its self- study process and for progress to date. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2010.
June 29, 2010	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the following additional locations provisionally within the scope of the institution's accreditation, pending a site visit to each location within six months: Pottstown High School, 750 North Washington Street, Pottstown, PA 19464 and Mobile Air Conditioning Society (MACS), 225 South Broad Street, Lansdale, PA 19446. To note that this approval is not retroactive. The Periodic Review Report due June 1, 2010 has been received and will be acted on by the Commission at its November meeting.
November 18, 2010	To accept the Periodic Review Report, to commend the institution for the quality of the Periodic Review Report, and to reaffirm accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
March 3, 2011	To note the visit by the Commission's representative and to affirm inclusion of the additional location at Mobile Air Conditioning Society (MACS), 225 South Broad Street, Lansdale, PA 19446 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. To note that this approval is not retroactive. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.

June 23, 2011	To note the visit by the Commission's representative and to affirm inclusion of the additional location at Pottstown High School, 750 North Washington Street, Pottstown, PA 19464 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. To note that this approval is not retroactive. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
July 2, 2012	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional location at The Culinary Arts Institute of Montgomery County Community College, 1400 Forty Foot Road, Towamencin PA 19443, within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within 30 days of the commencement of operations at the additional location. The Commission notes that approval extends for one calendar year from the date of this action. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within this time frame, approval will lapse. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
August 27, 2012	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To note the institution's decision to close the following additional locations, and to remove them from the scope of the institution's accreditation, effective as of the date of this action: (1) Pottstown High School, 759 North Washington Street, Pottstown PA 19464; and (2) Willow Grove Naval Air Station, Route 611 between County Line Road and Maple Ave., NOSC Building, Willow Grove PA 19090. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
January 2, 2013	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the additional location at the Transportation Security Administration, Philadelphia Regional Headquarters, Two International Plaza, Suite #640, Philadelphia PA 19113, within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within 30 days of the commencement of operations at the additional location. The Commission notes that approval extends for one calendar year from the date of this action. In the event that operations at the additional location do not commence within this time frame, approval will lapse. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
April 29, 2013	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request and to include the additional location at Montgomery County Public Safety Training Campus, 1175 Conshohocken Road, Conshohocken PA 19428 within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days of the commencement of operations at this site. In the event that operations at this site do not commence within one calendar year from the approval of this action, approval will lapse. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
April 28, 2014	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To note the institution's decision to close its additional location at the Mobile Air Conditioning Society (MACS), 225 South Broad Street, Lansdale, PA 19446. The Commission requires notification within thirty days of the closure of this additional location. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2014-2015.
June 25, 2015	To reaffirm accreditation. The Periodic Review Report is due June 1, 2020.
March 5, 2018	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To note the institution's decision to close its additional location at Transportation Security Administration, Philadelphia Regional Headquarters, Two International Plaza, Suite #640, Philadelphia, PA 19113. The Commission requires notification within thirty days of the closure of this additional location.

March 5, 2018	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To include the reclassification of the additional location at Montgomery County Public Safety Training Campus, 1175 Conshohocken Road, Conshohocken, PA 19428 as an other instructional site. The Commission requires written notification within thirty days that the site cease to operate as an additional location. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2024-2025.
July 10, 2023	To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request. To note the institution's decision to close the additional location at 1400 Forty Foot Road, Towamencin, PA 19443 that ceased operations effective December 31, 2022. To remove the additional location from the institution's scope of accreditation. To note that the Commission reserves the right to rescind this action if any developments reveal additional information that might have affected the Commission's decision. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2024-2025.
November 6, 2023	Staff acted on behalf of the Commission to request a supplemental information report, due December 13, 2023, providing information on key data indicators (student achievement) as reported on the 2023 Annual Institutional Update in accordance with federal regulation 34 CFR § 602.19 (d). The next evaluation date is scheduled for 2024-2025.
March 28, 2024	Staff acted on behalf of the Commission to acknowledge receipt of the supplemental information report requested by the Commission action of November 6, 2023, providing information on key data indicators (student achievement), as reported on the 2023 Annual Institutional Update (AIU) in accordance with federal regulation 34 CFR § 602.19(d). The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2024-2025.