

Mid-America College of Funeral Service

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Dear Students,

Mid-America College of Funeral Service is dedicated to providing the finest in funeral service education and your trust in us is of utmost importance. With this trust in mind, it is our responsibility to keep you informed about matters that may impact your educational experience. We want to inform you about an important development regarding the accreditation status of Mid-America College of Funeral Service. Most importantly, we want to affirm that Mid-America College of Funeral Service is still accredited by the American Board of Funeral Service Education.

On November 3, Mid-America College received notice that the College has been placed on accreditation probation by the American Board of Funeral Service Education (ABFSE) for the next twelve (12) months. Accreditation probation is a temporary status that indicates concerns about the institution's compliance with some of the established accreditation standards for the previous seven (7) years. This status does not mean that you are not currently receiving a quality education, but it does imply that some areas of the administration need improvement according to the accreditation standards. We are still delivering a high-quality program and are approved to certify our graduates to take the National Board Exam. You can read more from the ABFSE here.

We take this matter seriously and are committed to addressing the concerns raised by the accrediting agency. This probation status will not affect your current enrollment or course progress, and you can continue with your studies as planned.

We are working diligently to rectify the identified issues, and our goal is to remove the probationary status as soon as possible. This process may take some time, and we want to reassure you that we are fully dedicated to providing you with a high-quality education. In the last two years, the Mid-America team has made great strides to meet the accreditation standards. The next year will provide us the opportunity to validate the progress that we have made.

We encourage you to reach out to Mrs. Dollar, Interim Dean and Program Director of the licensure programs, Mr. Walker, Interim Program Director of the Bachelor of Science in Funeral Service Management, or Mrs. Elswick, Office Manager if you have any questions or concerns about how this probationary status may affect your academic journey. We are here to support you throughout this process.

Thank you for your understanding and patience as we navigate this situation together. We remain committed to your success and providing you with the best possible funeral service education. We will provide periodic updates as we work to resolve the accreditation issues.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Audrina Dollar

Interim Dean and Program Director