

**TITLE 16 OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING**  
**CHAPTER 4 CHIROPRACTIC PRACTITIONERS**  
**PART 5 CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF EQUIVALENCY TO COUNCIL OF**  
**CHIROPRACTIC EDUCATION C.C.E.**

**16.4.5.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** New Mexico Board of Chiropractic Examiners, PO Box 25101, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.1 NMAC - Rn, 16 NMAC 4.5.1, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.2 SCOPE:** All chiropractic physicians.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.2 NMAC - Rn, 16 NMAC 4.5.2, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** These rules of practice and procedure govern the practice of chiropractic in New Mexico and are promulgated pursuant to and in accordance with the Chiropractic Physician Practice Act, Section 61-4-5 NMSA 1978.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.3 NMAC - Rn, 16 NMAC 4.5.3, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.4 DURATION:** Permanent.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.4 NMAC - Rn, 16 NMAC 4.5.4, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 16, 1997, unless a later date is cited at the end of a section.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.5 NMAC - Rn & A, 16 NMAC 4.5.5, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.6 OBJECTIVE:** To establish C.C.E. equivalency standards for chiropractic colleges.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.6 NMAC - Rn, 16 NMAC 4.5.6, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.7 DEFINITIONS:** Refer to 16.4.1.7 NMAC.

[11/16/97; 16.4.5.7 NMAC - Rn & A, 16 NMAC 4.5.7, 8/20/12]

**16.4.5.8 CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF EQUIVALENCY TO C.C.E.:** Any chiropractic college that is not accredited by the council of chiropractic education (C.C.E.) must have:

A. recognition of the program by the Canadian, European or Australasian councils on chiropractic education; and

B. any other chiropractic accrediting bodies that the board may determine to be equivalent to the C.C.E. - USA; and

C. clinical competencies equal to or greater than those of C.C.E.

[2/12/93, 11/16/97; 16.4.5.8 NMAC - Rn & A, 16 NMAC 4.5.8, 8/20/12]

**HISTORY OF 16.4.5 NMAC:**

**Pre-NMAC History:** The material in this part was derived from that previously filed with the State Records Center and Archives under:

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