## **ACCREDITATION AND AUTHORIZATION**

The Institute of Clinical Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (ICAOM) and its following programs are accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Acupuncture and Herbal Medicine (ACAHM):

- (1) Master of Acupuncture with a Chinese herbal medicine specialization
- (2) Doctor of Acupuncture with a Chinese herbal medicine specialization
  a. including a Doctor of Acupuncture with a Chinese herbal medicine specialization
  completion track

Accreditation status and notes may be viewed on the ACAHM Directory: https://acahm.org/directory-menu/

ACAHM is recognized by the United States Department of Education as the specialized accreditation agency for institutions/programs preparing acupuncture practitioners. ACAHM does not accredit any programs at the undergraduate/bachelor level.

ACAHM is located at:

500 Lake Street, Suite 204 Excelsior, MN 55331 Phone (952) 212-2434; https://acahm.org/

The Institute is authorized to operate by:

Hawai`i Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program (HPEAP)

Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs

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The Institute is approved by:

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- ICAOM is approved by the Hawaii State Board of Acupuncture.
- ICAOM is licensed by the Hawaii State Department of Education.
- ICAOM is approved to participate in Title IV Students Loans by the United States Department of Education and approved to enroll non-immigrant students (F-1) by the United States Department of Immigration.
- ICAOM is approved for Veteran's education benefits by the State Approving Agency for Higher Education.
- ICAOM is a member of the Council of Colleges of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine