

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

V. B. PROCEDURE FOR COMPLAINTS

POLICY FOR COMPLAINTS AGAINST EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) provides standards procedures which components are reviewed by ACOTE in connection with accreditation process or process in accreditation may not be consistent with *Accreditation Standards for a Doctoral-Degree-Level Educational Program for the Occupational Therapist, Accreditation Standards for a Master's-Degree-Level Educational Program for the Occupational Therapist, or Accreditation Standards for an Educational Program for the Occupational Therapy Assistant*, or may not be consistent with accreditation process or procedures. Actions taken by other accreditation agencies do not preclude ACOTE involvement in accreditation process.

ACOTE will not intervene on behalf of individuals or act as a court of appeals for students in matters of appeals, appointment, promotion, or dismissal. A copy of the *Standards* may be obtained through ACOTE's website www.acotonline.org or by contacting Accreditation Department staff at the American Occupational Therapy Association.

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For review or a consultation, a component or program subject to ACOTE accreditation must be submitted in writing to the ACOTE Chairperson, c/o Accreditation Department, component must be submitted as an attachment to an e-mail address to accred@aota.org and include a copy of the component or ComponentAanstoorsubjecttoACOTEAccreditation. A component or an educational program must be described in nature of the component and that accreditation *Standards* or accreditation process or procedures that component be involved in by the program, inclusion

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