

## **POLICY & PROCEDURE**

Title: COMP/COMP-Northwest Mission Statement Review

**Effective Date:** 01/01/2019

**Applies to:** College/Department Specific: COMP/COMP-Northwest

**Statement:** The WesternU College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific (COMP) and College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific-Northwest (COMP-Northwest) reviews its mission statement periodically to ensure that the statement continues to provide guidance in completion of strategic plans and work plans and aligns with the mission of the University.

**Purpose**: To ensure periodic review of the College Mission in association with strategic planning and to maintain alignment with the mission of the University.

**Related Information:** WesternU's Mission Statement, COMP/COMP-Northwest Mission

Statement

## **Procedure**

**Overview:** COMP/COMP-Northwest reviews its mission statement periodically to ensure that the statement continues to provide guidance in completion of strategic plans and work plans and aligns with the mission of the University. The College will consider the input of its faculty, staff and students.

## **Procedure Steps:**

	Action	Responsible for Implementing
1	Mission statement and strategic plan are reviewed as	Dean's Leadership Team
	deemed necessary by the needs of the College but not to	ŕ
	exceed every 5 years	
2	Recommended changes in either document are brought to	Dean's Leadership Team
	the attention of the Dean's Leadership Team	
3	The Dean's Leadership Team reviews any proposed	Dean's Leadership Team
	changes in mission	
4	If changes to the mission statement are considered	Dean's Leadership Team
	appropriate, the proposed changes in mission are brought	
	to the faculty, staff and students for review, input,	
	discussion and approval.	
5	Once the faculty approves the revised mission statement,	Dean
	it is referred to the Provost for approval.	
6	If changes are substantive, as determined by the Provost,	Dean and Provost
	the updated mission statement is referred to	
	the WesternU Board of Trustees for approval.	
7	The approved mission statement is returned to the Dean	COMP/COMP-Northwest Office
	for submission to COCA for review of a substantive	of the Dean
	change.	

The final approved mission statement is updated in all documents, web pages, and provided to all stakeholders.

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**Regulatory Information**: This policy is in support of COCA Standard 1, Element 1.1.

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