### Timeline Associated with The Accreditation Process

#### 7 months (Steps 1, 2, and 3)
- On average the institution may take a minimum of two (2) months to prepare the Letter of Internet, Report of Eligibility, Ownership Disclosure Form, and other related documents for submission to NAECOB.
- NAECOB will take an average of two (2) months to review submitted documents.
- NAECOB will take an average of two (2) months to plan, schedule and host Advisory Visit.
- NAECOB will take an average of one (1) month to communicate decision to institution; i.e. whether to begin the formal Application for Accreditation Candidacy Process OR if the institution will need to make substantial changes before resubmitting a favorable application.

#### 10 months (Steps 4, 5, 6, & 7)
- NAECOB will take an average of three (3) months to deliver Accreditation Candidacy Workshops.
- Institutions will take an average six (6) months to submit completed Application for Accreditation Candidacy, Accreditation Readiness Report, and other relevant documents.
- NAECOB will take an average of one (1) month to communicate their decision on the application. That is, whether Accreditation Candidacy Status has been granted, denied, or deferred by NAECOB.

#### 18 months (Steps 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 & 15)
- NAECOB will take an average of two (2) months to deliver Self Study Report Workshops.
- Institutions will take on average two (2) months to submit updated Accreditation Readiness Reports at dates determined by NAECOB.
- NAECOB will take an average of two (2) months to complete Candidate Progress Visits at dates determined by NAECOB.
- Institution will take an average of six (6) months to submit Self-Study Report to NAECOB.
- NAECOB will take an average of three (3) months to plan, schedule and host Peer-Review Evaluators’ On-Site Visit for Candidate Institution.
- NAECOB will take an average of three (3) months to complete On-Site Visitation Report and communicate it to the Institution.
- Institution will take an average of two (2) months to submit Formal Response to On-Site Visitation Report.
- NAECOB will take an average of one (1) month to communicate their decision on the application. That is, whether Initial Accreditation Status has been granted, denied, or deferred by NAECOB.

#### 1 month (Step 16)
- NAECOB will take an average of one (1) month to deliver Newly Accredited Institution Workshops.
- Newly Accredited institutions will be informed about the expectations, periodic evaluations, visitations, and reports that will be schedule on determined dates.
- Each type of periodic review provides an opportunity for the institution to communicate and document ongoing developments in their institution in relation to accreditation standards.