



SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS  
COMMISSION ON COLLEGES

June 29, 2020

Dr. John D. Gossett  
President  
McDowell Technical Community College  
54 College Drive  
Marion, NC 28752

Dear Dr. Gossett:

Thank you for submitting the following substantive change:

Substantive change:  
**Not Elsewhere Categorized**  
Submission date:  
**1/29/2020**  
Implementation date:  
**8/3/2020**  
Case ID:  
**SC009619**

McDowell Technical Community College is adding a new Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree program in Healthcare Management, which is closely related to existing programs in Health Information Technology and Office Systems Technology. The A.A.S. curriculum will only require the creation of three new courses. No additional faculty, facilities, or library resources will be needed for implementation. The College states the new program does not constitute a significant departure from existing offerings.

**We acknowledge the information.**

Should you need assistance, please contact Dr. Denise Y. Young at 404-679-4501 or via email at [dyoung@sacscoc.org](mailto:dyoung@sacscoc.org).

Please include the Case ID number above in all submissions or correspondence about this substantive change.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Kevin W. Sightler'. The signature is fluid and includes a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kevin W. Sightler, Ph.D.  
Director of Substantive Change

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cc: Mr. Ladelle Harmon, Director of Institutional Effectiveness  
Dr. Denise Y. Young