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## AWARDING OF A POSTHUMOUS CREDENTIAL

### Policy Statement

The College of New Caledonia extends compassion and understanding to the families of students who pass away near the completion of their credentials. In recognition of the student's achievements, students will be awarded a posthumous credential that may be included in the next Convocation ceremony.

### Purpose / Rationale

The purpose of this policy is to define the terms and conditions for which a deceased student may be granted a credential.

### Scope / Limits

This policy applies to students who were actively enrolled in a College of New Caledonia credentialed program.

### Principles/Guidelines

1. The College of New Caledonia recognizes that the issuance of a credential posthumously requires a relaxation of the graduation requirements of a credentialed program.
2. The College of New Caledonia will be sensitive to the wishes of the family and will treat the situation with all due care and attention.

### Definitions

See procedures.

### Legislative and Collective Agreement References

College and Institutes Act 23(1)(n)

### Links to Other Related Policies, Documents and Websites

College Credentials policy E-1.10

Death of a Student policy E-1.48

## Policy Amendment Log

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