

TEMPORARY ORDER
accreditation of education programmes
for the training of students under martial law

1. This Temporary Order regulates the accreditation of education programmes for the training of students under martial law.

2. In accordance with the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of 16.03.2022 № 295 "On Peculiarities of Accreditation of Education Programmes for Students under Martial Law", all education programmes, the intention of which was previously notified by higher education institutions to NAQA and which are included in the accreditation schedule for the academic year 2021/2022, starting from 17 March 2022, are accredited under one of two procedures:

- in remote (distance) mode, in accordance with the Regulations on Accreditation of Education Programmes for the Training of Students, approved by Order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine No. 977 dated 11 July 2019 (hereinafter - the Accreditation Regulations) and the Temporary Order for Conducting Accreditation Expertise Using Video Conferencing Technology (<http://surl.li/bqxsp>);
- under a simplified procedure with a decision on conditional (deferred) accreditation without or with partial accreditation examination without payment of the accreditation fee by the higher education institution.

3. Accreditation of an education programme with a decision on conditional (deferred) accreditation under a simplified procedure without or with partial accreditation examination involves submission to NAQA of an application for accreditation of an education programme and information on the self-assessment of the educational programme.

This procedure is carried out without paying the cost of accreditation by the higher education institution.

The decision to accredit an education programme under the simplified procedure is made at a meeting of NAQA.

4. Accreditation cases for which the accreditation examination has been fully completed as of 17 March 2022 (the expert opinion of the SEC has been approved and approved) are processed and submitted by NAQA Secretariat to the members of NAQA for making a decision on accreditation in a remote (remote) mode.

5. Regarding accreditation cases for education programmes for which the accreditation examination has been partially completed (from the completion of the examination by the expert group to the adoption of the expert opinion of the SEC), NAQA Secretariat informs about the possibility of continuing the consideration of the accreditation case by the sectoral expert council and NAQA in accordance with the Regulations on Accreditation, Regulations on sectoral expert councils of the National Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education in a remote (distance) mode.

In order to provide advisory support and support to higher education institutions whose accreditation cases are at the appropriate stages, advisory groups of NAQA are involved to ensure the accreditation of the education programme.

Depending on the possibility of meeting the requirements of the Accreditation Regulations during the consideration of the accreditation case, the head of the secretariat submits a proposal for further accreditation of the relevant education programme to NAQA Head. Decision on the procedure for conducting

The decision on accreditation of an educational programme is made by an order of NAQA Head (or a person acting as such).

6. Accreditation materials of education programmes for which the accreditation examination has been partially carried out (from the submission of the application and information on self-assessment to the start of the examination at the higher education institution) are prepared and submitted to NAQA for consideration by NAQA for a decision on conditional (deferred) accreditation the education programme without or with partial accreditation examination without payment of the cost of accreditation by the higher education institution on the basis of clause 2 of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of 16.03.2022 No. 295 "On Peculiarities of Accreditation of Education Programmes".

7. NAQA may decide on conditional (deferred) accreditation under a simplified procedure in case of a motivated request from a higher education institution located in the temporarily occupied territory and (or) damaged as a result of hostilities, which makes it impossible to conduct the accreditation process, including the proper transfer of self-assessment information, provided that the education activity under the accredited education programme continues.

8. If an educational programme included in the schedule for accreditation had a valid certificate of accreditation of a speciality, field of study, or education programme as of 24 February 2022, it is not subject to accreditation in accordance with clause 1 of Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 295 "On Peculiarities of Accreditation of Education Programmes for Students under Martial Law" dated 16.03.2022.