Non-PDA Approved Coursework Accepted by NCCAOM

Coursework that is not approved through the PDA program will be accepted in the following areas:

1. Coursework in a core competency subject (pg. 15) that is approved by a State acupuncture regulatory board.
2. Coursework in a biomedicine (BIO), safety (SA) or ethics (ET) subject (pgs. 15 – 17) that is approved by a healthcare professional organization.
3. Coursework that is part of an academic program (e.g., DAOM) offered at an ACAOM accredited or candidacy school.
4. Coursework that is part of a Chinese Herbology Certificate program accredited by ACAOM.