

AED FOUNDATION AFFILIATED COLLEGES & HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

The AED Foundation Accredited College Programs

Northeast Region

Lincoln Technical Institute

Accreditation: General

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Pennsylvania College of Technology

Accreditation: General, CAT Emphasis

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State University of New York at Cobleskill

Accreditation: General, Deere Construction & Forestry

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White Mountains Community College

Accreditation: General Program

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Southeast Region

Florence-Darlington Technical College

Accreditation: CAT Dealer Service Technology

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Lincoln College of Technology

Accreditation: General Program

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South Georgia Technical College

Accreditation: CAT ThinkBIG

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Wake Technical Community College

Accreditation: General, Deere Construction & Forestry

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Great Lakes Region

Alexandria Technical & Community College Accreditation: General Program

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Central Lakes College

Accreditation: General AAS and Diploma Programs

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Dakota County Technical College

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Lake Area Technical Institute

Accreditation: Diesel Technology – CAT ThinkBIG

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Minnesota State Community and Technical College

Accreditation: General Program

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North Dakota State College of Science

Accreditation: General, CAT Dealer Service Technology, Komatsu ACT

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Northeast Wisconsin Technical College

Accreditation: General Program

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Midwest Region

Des Moines Area Community College

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Ferris State University

Accreditation: 4-year General B.S. Program

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Illinois Central College

Accreditation: CAT Dealer Service Technology

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Lansing Community College – West Campus

AIS Construction Equipment

Accreditation: General Program

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Owens Community College

Accreditation: CAT Dealer Service Technology

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South Central Region

Hinds Community College

Accreditation: General Program

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Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology

Accreditation: Komatsu ACT, CAT Dealer Prep

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South Plains College

Accreditation: General Program

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State Technical College of Missouri

Accreditation: General, CAT Dealer Service Technology

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Rocky Mountain Region

Central Arizona College

Accreditation: General Program

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College of Western Idaho

Accreditation: General Program

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Idaho State University

Accreditation: General Program

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Mesa Community College

Accreditation: Caterpillar Dealer Service Technician

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Salt Lake Community College

Accreditation: General Program

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West Region

Lane Community College

Accreditation: General Program

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Linn-Benton Community College

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Portland Community College

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Reedley College

Accreditation: General

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San Joaquin Delta College

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Canada

Grand Prairie Regional College (GPRC) Fairview

Accreditation: CAT ThinkBIG Service Technician Program

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The AED Foundation Secondary - High School Recognition Programs

Anne Arundel County Public Schools Center of Applied Technology

Recognition: Diesel Power Technology Program

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Canyons School District, Canyons Technical Education Center

Recognition: Diesel Technology

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Berks Career and Technology Center

Recognition: Heavy Equipment Technology

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JATC-North Jordan School District – West Jordan High School

Recognition: Diesel Technology Program

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Kent Career Technical Center; Kent Intermediate School District

Recognition: Diesel & Equipment Technology Program

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The AED Foundation Canada College Affiliate Programs

Conestoga College

Programs: Heavy Equipment Techniques; Motive Power Technician-Heavy Duty Equipment

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Centennial College

Program: Heavy Diesel-Equipment

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Medicine Hat College

Program: Heavy Equipment Technician Program

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Northern Lights College

Programs: Heavy Duty Equipment Technician – Apprenticeship

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