

Maryland Higher Education Commission
Data Dictionary

ELEMENT TITLE:

Cumulative Credit Hours Awarded

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| DEFINITION: | The current number of credit hours awarded by the reporting institution (including transfer credits and all other sources of credit) as of the end of the collection term at a grade level satisfactory for degree requirements. |
| FORMAT: | numeric – with no more than 2 significant decimal places Include decimal point. |
| CODES: | minimum value zero |
| COMMENTS: | Includes all credit hours awarded by the reporting institution that can be applied toward the requirements for a formal award. This includes native credit, transfer credit, credit by examination, and all other forms of credit. |
| RELATED TO: | Cumulative Native Credit Hours Earned, Term Native Credit Hours Earned, Credits Awarded for Work Completed at Another Postsecondary Institution, Other Credits Awarded |
| GLOSSARY: | CREDIT HOURS, CREDIT COURSE |
| SYSTEMS: | EOTS |
| SYSNAME: | CCRHRA |
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