## Maryland Higher Education Commission Data Dictionary

## **ELEMENT TITLE:**

## **Cumulative Native Credit Hours Earned**

DEFINITION: The current number of credit hours completed in credit courses at the

reporting institution (excluding transfer credits) as of the collection period

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: These are only those credit hours earned at reporting institution. Transfer

credit hours, regardless of their status, should not be included. Remedial

courses should not be included.

RELATED TO: Fall Credit Hours Attempted, Term Student Level, First-Time Flag

GLOSSARY: CREDIT HOURS, CREDIT COURSE

SYSTEMS: EOTS

SYSNAME: CNCRHRE

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