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CLINICAL AND PATIENT EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION AND UMA EDUCATION, INC. d/b/a ULTIMATE MEDICAL ACADEMY

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

December 31, 2022

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Audit Committee
Clinical and Patient Educators Association
and UMA Education, Inc.
d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2022, and the related consolidated statements of activities and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy as of December 31, 2022, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS") and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States ("Government Auditing Standards"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the consolidated financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the consolidated financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due
 to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures
 include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated
 financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are
 appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of
 the Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's
 internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting
 estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the consolidated financial
 statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The Financial Responsibility Supplemental Schedule, as required by 34 C.F.R Section 668.172 and 34 C.F.R. Appendix A to Subpart L of Part 668; and the consolidating statement of financial position and consolidating statement of activities and changes in net assets as required by management; and the supplementary information – debt service coverage ratio as required by the bank and bondholders, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 23, 2023 on our consideration of the Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters.

The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Savannah, Georgia March 23, 2023

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2022

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 153,012,873
Available for sale investments	50,440,783
Student accounts receivable, net of allowance	
for doubtful accounts of \$8,433,771	18,376,916
Escrow receivable, current portion	450,000
Inventories	851,756
Prepaid expenses	 16,431,226
Total current assets	 239,563,554
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT	
Furniture and fixtures	2,950,006
Equipment	21,364,238
Leasehold improvements	 11,713,228
	36,027,472
Less accumulated depreciation	 27,882,716
	8,144,756
Construction in progress	 4,449,687
	 12,594,443
OTHER ASSETS	
Investments held at fair value – debt service reserve fund	19,179,999
Right-of-use assets held under operating leases, net	27,888,724
Sublease receivable	934,955
Escrow receivable, net of current portion	7,564,000
Intangibles, net of accumulated amortization of \$7,762,366	220,128,508
Goodwill	91,580,279
Deposits	 626,923
	 367,903,388
	\$ 620,061,385

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Current portion of bonds payable	\$ 6,555,000
Current portion of operating lease obligations	4,939,507
Accounts payable	8,514,980
Student refunds payable	592,651
Accrued expenses	26,715,894
Unearned tuition	 40,488,080
Total current liabilities	 87,806,112
BONDS PAYABLE, net of current portion	239,774,314
OPERATING LEASE OBLIGATIONS, net of current portion	34,463,045
OTHER LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	1,415,173
NET ASSETS	
Without donor restrictions	256,602,741

\$ 620,061,385

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS (WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS) Year Ended December 31, 2022

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OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
REVENUES	
Tuition, grants, and fees, net	\$ 326,597,318
EXPENSES	
Educational Services	
Instructional costs	59,546,931
Academic support and student services	165,338,860
Total educational services	224,885,791
Support Services	
Institutional support	57,829,444
Depreciation and amortization	3,390,100
Interest expense, net of interest income	11,410,247_
Total support services	72,629,791
Total expenses	297,515,582
Change in net assets from operating activities	29,081,736
NON-OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Gain on divestiture, net	74,187,350
Investment losses, net	(1,143,387)
	73,043,963
CONSOLIDATED CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	102,125,699
Non-controlling interest gain	(3,992,316)
CHANGES IN CONTROLLING INTEREST NET ASSETS	\$ 98,133,383
NET ASSETS, haginning of year	¢ 455.054.222
NET ASSETS - beginning of year	\$ 155,051,322
Non-controlling interest distributions, net	(574,280)
Consolidated changes in net assets	102,125,699
NET ASSETS - end of year	\$ 256,602,741

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS)

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Consolidated changes in net assets	\$ 102,125,699
Adjustments to reconcile consolidated changes in net assets to	
net cash used in operating activities	
Depreciation and amortization	3,390,100
Reduction of right-of-use assets held under operating leases	3,638,330
Net amortization of bond premiums and discount	(1,403,919)
Net loss on investments	1,779,534
Bad debts	18,456,131
Gain on divestiture	(74,187,350)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities	
(Increase) decrease in assets	
Student accounts receivable	(18,848,310)
Inventories	108,466
Prepaid expenses	(4,150,542)
Sublease receivable	(894,918)
Escrow receivable	896,000
Deposits	68,370
Increase (decrease) in liabilities	
Accounts payable	566,166
Student refunds payable	552,597
Accrued expenses	(13,649,918)
Unearned tuition	(14,629,133)
Operating lease obligations	(4,481,158)
Other long-term obligations	 (520,922)
Net cash used in operating activities	(1,184,777)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Purchases of investments	(53,804,020)
Proceeds from sale of investments	2,025,888
Purchase of property and equipment	(1,210,164)
Cash proceeds from sale of controlling interest	69,070,760
Net cash provided by investing activities	16,082,464
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Repayment of principal on bonds payable	(6,245,000)
Repayment of principal on finance lease obligations	(523,177)
Net cash used in financing activities	(6,768,177)
INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	8,129,510
BEGINNING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	144,883,363
ENDING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$ 153,012,873

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Business Activity

Clinical and Patient Educators Association (the "Association") is a not-for-profit organization as outlined in Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). The Association was formed to develop quality, innovative education for healthcare practitioners and the patient communities they serve. The Association is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education.

UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy (the "Academy"), is a consolidated subsidiary of the Association. The Academy also consolidated its joint venture, Med Learning Group, LLC (the "Venture"), in which their controlling interest was sold in December 2022. The Academy was formed as a charitable nonstock corporation in the State of Delaware. The Association is the sole member of the Academy. The Academy is consolidated in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification ("FASB ASC") 958-810, Not-for-Profit Entities, Consolidation.

The Academy is a school which provides the following vocational programs:

- Dental Assistant with Expanded Functions
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Health Information Management Associate
- Healthcare Management Associate
- Health Science Associate
- · Health and Human Services
- Healthcare Accounting Associate
- Medical Administrative Assistant

- Medical Assistant
- · Medical Billing and Coding
- · Medical Billing and Coding Associate
- Medical Office and Billing Specialist
- Nursing Assistant
- Patient Care Technician
- Pharmacy Technician
- Phlebotomy Technician

The Academy delivers programs online, as well as at their ground campuses located in Clearwater and Tampa, Florida. The Academy is accredited through February 28, 2027, by the Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools. In addition to vocational education, the Academy provides continuing medical education programs through online learning and on-ground conferences across the United States of America. The Academy's continuing medical education courses are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education.

The Association and the Academy will be hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Organization".

Basis of Accounting and Consolidation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Association consolidates the Academy and eliminates intercompany transactions in consolidation.

Basis of Presentations

The Organization's net assets, revenues, expenses, and gains or losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor restrictions. Accordingly, the net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

<u>Net assets without donor restrictions</u> – Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions.

<u>Net assets with donor restrictions</u> – Net assets that are subject to usage limitations based on donor-imposed or grantor restrictions. These restrictions may be temporary or may be based on a particular use. Restrictions may be met by the passage of time or by actions of the Organization. Certain restrictions may need to be maintained in perpetuity.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Basis of Presentations (continued)

When a donor's or grantor's restriction is satisfied, the net assets are reclassified from net assets with donor restrictions to net assets without donor restrictions.

At December 31, 2022, there were no net assets with donor restrictions.

Revenues are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions unless use of the related assets is limited by donor restrictions. Expenses are reported as decreases in net assets without donor restrictions.

The cost of providing the program and other activities has been summarized on a functional basis in the consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated to the program and the supporting service benefited.

Revenue Recognition, Costs, and Unearned Tuition

Tuition revenues are recognized ratably over the term of enrollment, as control of the promised goods or services is transferred to the customers ("students" or "student") in an amount that reflects the consideration the Organization expects to be entitled to in exchange for those goods or services. Costs of providing services to students are charged to expenses as incurred. Unearned tuition represents amounts remitted by students or on behalf of students through financial aid sources in excess of earned tuition. Amounts collected in advance of providing the instruction are deferred and recognized as revenue when the instruction is provided.

Revenue and costs from medical education conferences are recognized on occurrence of the conference. Amounts collected or disbursed in advance of the conference are held as unearned tuition or prepaid expenses until the conference takes place.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Organization's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purposes of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, checking accounts, money market, and certificates of deposits with a maturity less than 3 months.

Student Accounts Receivable

Student accounts receivable are composed primarily of amounts due from students for tuition and fees. The Academy provides for bad debts using the reserve method. The Academy reserves for 60% of the outstanding balance on students who have graduated or withdrawn. The Academy writes off accounts when students have been inactive for nine months.

Bad debt expense for the year ended December 31, 2022, was \$18,456,131.

Inventories

Inventories, consisting of books and school supplies, are stated at the lower of cost or net realizable value utilizing the first-in, first-out method.

Prepaid Expenses

At December 31, 2022, prepaid expenses consisted of \$12,781,349 for future continuing medical education conferences, and \$3,649,877 for various items such as insurance, licensing, service fees, and maintenance.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment, which consist of furniture and fixtures, equipment, and leasehold improvements, are stated at cost and are being depreciated over their estimated useful lives using the straight-line method for financial reporting purposes. Construction in progress, stated at cost, is not depreciated. Maintenance and repairs are charged against earnings when incurred. Major improvements are capitalized.

Depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2022, was \$3,190,100, of which \$44,299 is from amortization of right-of-use assets held under finance leases.

Investments

Investments are reported at their fair values in the consolidated statement of financial position. Investment income and gains restricted by a donor are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions if the restrictions are met (either by passage of time or by use) in the reporting period in which the income and gains are recognized. Investments received through gifts are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

Investments held in the debt service reserve fund are reported at fair value. The debt service reserve fund was established to comply with the loan agreement related to the bonds payable.

(See Note 7 bonds payable.)

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair values of these investments are determined through third party pricing providers, such as Interactive Data Service.

Net gain/loss on purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Intangibles

Intangibles consist of indefinite and fixed life assets. The assets were acquired on March 9, 2015, from a transaction where the Academy acquired substantially all of the assets of Ultimate Medical Academy, LLC ("UMA"). At the date of acquisition, the Academy performed a valuation to determine the value of the intangible assets.

Indefinite life assets are made up of the trade name Ultimate Medical Academy in the amount of \$65,690,874; the trade names of the continuing medical education groups: Complete Conference Management, Med Learning Group, and Global Education Group, in the amount of \$4,000,000; the intangibles of the joint venture Med Learning Group, LLC in the amount of \$4,618,252, and licenses and accreditations in the amount of \$150,000,000.

During the year ending December 31, 2022, the Academy divested \$4,618,252 in indefinite life assets through the divestiture of their joint venture, Med Learning Group, LLC.

For the year ending December 31, 2022, the Academy determined there was no impairment to indefinite life assets.

Fixed life assets are made up of continuing medical education customer relationships, content, and software totaling \$8,200,000. Each fixed life asset is amortized over its estimated useful life using the straight-line method.

Amortization expense for the year ended December 31, 2022, was \$200,000.

(see Note 10 for divestiture.)

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of the purchase price of an acquired business over the amount assigned to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed. Goodwill is reviewed for possible impairment at least annually or more frequently upon the occurrence of an event or when circumstances indicate that the carrying amount is greater than its fair value. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Academy determined that there was no impairment to goodwill.

Advertising Costs

Advertising costs, primarily related to admissions, student retention, and career services, are expensed as they are incurred. Advertising costs for the year ended December 31, 2022, were \$47,734,089.

Right-of-Use Assets Held Under Operating Leases

Right-of-use assets held under operating leases, which consist of the right to use real estate and equipment, are recorded as the right to use the underlying asset for the lease term.

Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In October 2021, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2021-08, Business Combinations (Topic 805): Accounting for Contract Assets and Contract Liabilities from Contracts with Customers, which requires that an entity (acquirer) recognize and measure contract assets and contract liabilities acquired in a business combination in accordance with Topic 606. At the acquisition date, an acquirer should account for the related revenue contracts in accordance with Topic 606 as if it had originated the contracts. To achieve this, an acquirer may assess how the acquiree applied Topic 606 to determine what to record for the acquired revenue contracts. Generally, this should result in an acquirer recognizing and measuring the acquired contract assets and contract liabilities consistent with how they were recognized and measured in the acquiree's financial statements (if the acquiree prepared financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles [GAAP]). However, there may be circumstances in which the acquirer is unable to assess or rely on how the acquiree applied Topic 606, such as if the acquiree does not follow GAAP, if there were errors identified in the acquiree's accounting, or if there were changes identified to conform with the acquirer's accounting policies. In those circumstances, the acquirer should consider the terms of the acquired contracts, such as timing of payment, identify each performance obligation in the contracts, and allocate the total transaction price to each identified performance obligation on a relative standalone selling price basis as of contract inception (that is, the date the acquiree entered into the contracts) or contract modification to determine what should be recorded at the acquisition date. The amendments in this Update also provide certain practical expedients for acquirers when recognizing and measuring acquired contract assets and contract liabilities from revenue contracts in a business combination.

The amendments in this Update primarily address the accounting for contract assets and contract liabilities from revenue contracts with customers in a business combination. However, the amendments also apply to contract assets and contract liabilities from other contracts to which the provisions of Topic 606 apply, such as contract liabilities from the sale of nonfinancial assets within the scope of Subtopic 610-20, Other Income—Gains and Losses from the Derecognition of Nonfinancial Assets.

The amendments in this Update do not affect the accounting for other assets or liabilities that may arise from revenue contracts with customers in accordance with Topic 606, such as refund liabilities, or in a business combination, such as customer-related intangible assets and contract-based intangible assets. For example, if acquired revenue contracts are considered to have terms that are unfavorable or favorable relative to market terms, the acquirer should recognize a liability or asset for the off-market contract terms at the acquisition date.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BUSINESS ACTIVITY AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Recent Accounting Pronouncements (continued)

This guidance is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023. including interim periods within those fiscal years. The amendments in this Update should be applied prospectively to business combinations occurring on or after the effective date of the amendments.

Early adoption of the amendments is permitted, including adoption in an interim period. An entity that early adopts in an interim period should apply the amendments (1) retrospectively to all business combinations for which the acquisition date occurs on or after the beginning of the fiscal year that includes the interim period of early application and (2) prospectively to all business combinations that occur on or after the date of initial application. The Organization is currently evaluating the impact of this new guidance on its consolidated financial statements.

Subsequent Events

The Organization has evaluated the subsequent events through March 23, 2023, the date on which the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

(See Note 19 for subsequent event.)

NOTE 2. LETTER OF CREDIT

At December 31, 2022, the Academy has a letter of credit with Cadence Bank, as required by the United States Department of Education, for \$32,190,088. The letter of credit expires on December 31, 2024. The letter of credit is subject to certain financial covenants.

NOTE 3. HIGHER EDUCATION EMERGENCY RELIEF FUNDS

In April 2020, the Academy's Clearwater, Florida campus was awarded a total of \$469,150 through the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund ("HEERF") as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (the "CARES Act"). As part of this HEERF I award, the student portion of \$234,575 was fully distributed in 2020 to eligible students at the Clearwater, Florida campus who demonstrated need. While the HEERF I institutional portion of \$234,575 could be used for identified institutional purposes, the Academy opted to use all \$234,575 for student grants, of which \$234,575 was fully distributed in 2021 to eligible students at the Clearwater, Florida campus who demonstrated need. The funds related to amounts given to students are recorded as zero net revenue since there is no effect on Academy's results of operations or cash.

In December 2020, the Academy was allocated an additional student portion of \$11,372,236 and an additional institutional portion of \$858,563 under HEERF II, as part of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act ("CRRSAA"). These amounts were calculated by the United States Department of Education based on the student population at both the Academy's Clearwater, Florida and Online campuses. During the year ending December 31, 2021, the Academy distributed the full amount of \$11,372,236 of the HEERF II student portion to eligible students at the Clearwater, Florida and Online campuses who demonstrated need. During the year ending December 31, 2021, the Academy distributed \$314,806 of the HEERF II institutional portion to students who demonstrated need. During the year ending December 31, 2022, the Academy expensed the remaining \$543,757 for institutional purposes permitted under applicable guidance. The funds related to amounts given to students are recorded as zero net revenue since there is no effect on Academy's results of operations or cash.

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NOTE 3. HIGHER EDUCATION EMERGENCY RELIEF FUNDS (continued)

In March 2021, the Academy was allocated an additional student portion of \$19,664,877 and an additional institutional portion of \$535,351 under HEERF III as part of the American Rescue Plan Act ("ARP"). These amounts were calculated by the United States Department of Education based on the student population at both the Academy's Clearwater, Florida and Online campuses. During the years ending December 31, 2021 and 2022, the Academy distributed \$9,194,592 and \$10,470,285 of the HEERF III student portion to eligible students who demonstrated need, respectively. The funds related to amounts given to students are recorded as zero net revenue since there is no effect on Academy's results of operations or cash. During the year ending December 31, 2022, the Academy expensed the entire \$535,351 of the HEERF III institutional portion for institutional purposes permitted under applicable guidance.

The Academy also received additional HEERF institutional funds based on the Academy's status as a minority serving institution ("MSI"). The Academy was awarded \$543,716 in such MSI HEERF funds. During the years ending December 31, 2021 and 2022, the Academy drew-down \$13,700 and \$530,016, respectively, of the MSI HEERF funds and applied them to an allowable institutional expense permitted under applicable guidance.

NOTE 4. INVESTMENTS

The following table represents the original cost and estimated fair value of the investments at December 31, 2022:

		Un	realized	Unrealized		alized Accrued		Fair								
	Cost		Gains	Losses		Losses		Losses		Losses		Losses		Inter	rest Income	Market Value
Corporate Bonds	\$ 23,731,857	\$	-	\$	(851,190)	\$	70,662	\$ 22,951,329								
United States Treasury Notes	19,161,114		-		(486,515)		98,510	18,773,109								
Equity Securities	13,627,648		-		(289, 183)		-	13,338,465								
Federal Home Loan Mortgages	12,449,529		-		(814,066)		38,080	11,673,543								
Commercial Paper	2,804,496		-		-		38,048	2,842,544								
Money market funds	41,666		-		-		126	41,792								
Total	\$ 71,816,310	\$	-	\$	(2,440,954)	\$	245,426	\$ 69,620,782								

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 4. INVESTMENTS (continued)

The following table represents the original cost and estimated fair value of the investments at December 31, 2022, by contractual maturity:

			Fair
	 Cost	N	larket Value
Non-mortgage backed securities:	_		
Due in one year or less	\$ 32,375,418	\$	31,568,637
Due after one year through five years	22,282,548		21,859,575
Due after five years through ten years	4,708,815		4,519,027
Due after ten years	 <u>-</u> _		
Total non-mortgage backed securities	59,366,781	·	57,947,239
Residential mortgage backed secrities	12,449,529		18,773,109
Total	\$ 71,816,310	\$	76,720,348

Expected maturities will differ from contractual maturities, because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

The following table summarizes investments with unrealized losses at December 31, 2022, aggregated by length of time in a continuous loss position:

	Less Than Twelve Months					Twelve Mon	iths or More	
	Unrealized		Fair		Unrealized		Fair	
	Losses		Ma	arket Value	Losses		Market Value	
United States Treasury Notes	\$	(9,427)	\$	1,283,497	\$	(477,089)	\$ 17,391,102	

At December 31, 2022, the Academy held fourteen United States Treasury Notes that were in an unrealized loss position. The unrealized loss was attributable to changes in interest rates, not credit quality. Additionally, the contractual terms of this investment does not permit the issuer to settle at a price less than the amortized cost of the investment. Because the Academy does not intend to sell these notes and it is likely that it will not be required to sell the notes before recovery of its original cost base, which may be maturity, the Academy does not consider these notes to be other-than-temporarily impaired at December 31, 2022.

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NOTE 5. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

FASB ASC 820-10 Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures ("FASB ASC 820-10") established a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820-10 are described as follows:

- Level 1 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Organization has the ability to access.
- Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:
 - Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
 - Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
 - Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
 - Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

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NOTE 5. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (continued)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Organization's investments at fair value as of:

Fair Value Measurements as of December 31, 2022							
Level 1			Level 2	Level 3			Total
\$	-	\$	22,951,329	\$	-	\$	22,951,329
	-		18,773,109		-		18,773,109
	-		13,338,465		-		13,338,465
	-		11,673,543		-		11,673,543
			2,842,544				2,842,544
\$		\$	69,578,990	\$		\$	69,578,990
	\$	Level 1	Level 1 \$ - \$	Level 1 Level 2 \$ - \$ 22,951,329 - 18,773,109 - 13,338,465 - 11,673,543 - 2,842,544	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 \$ - \$ 22,951,329 \$ - 18,773,109 - 13,338,465 - 11,673,543 - 2,842,544	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 \$ - \$ 22,951,329 \$ - - 18,773,109 - - 13,338,465 - - 11,673,543 - - 2,842,544 -	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 \$ - \$ 22,951,329 \$ - \$ - 18,773,109 - - - 13,338,465 - - - 11,673,543 - - - 2,842,544 - -

	Investments at Fair Value as of December 31, 2022					
		_evel 1, 2, 3		NAV (a)		Total
Corporate Bonds	\$	22,951,329	\$	-	\$	22,951,329
United States Treasury Notes		18,773,109		-		18,773,109
Equity Securites		13,338,465		-		13,338,465
Federal Home Loan Mortgages		11,673,543		-		11,673,543
Commercial paper		2,842,544		-		2,842,544
Money market funds		<u>-</u> _		41,792		41,792
Total investments at fair value	\$	69,578,990	\$	41,792	\$	69,620,782

⁽a) These funds were measured at Net Asset Value ("NAV") per share in accordance with ASC Subtopic 820-10, and have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line item presented in the consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 6. LEASES

The Organization has entered into various written agreements to lease facilities, equipment, and a vehicle under noncancelable leases. The leases range in duration from one to ten years and, in most instances, provide for renewal options. The Organization analyzes each lease agreement to determine whether it should be classified as a finance lease or an operating lease. The Organization records on the consolidated statement of financial position significant asset and liability balances associated with the operating leases, as described further below.

Operating lease agreements are primarily for real estate space and are included within ROU assets and lease liabilities related to operating lease obligations on the consolidated statement of financial position. The terms of the Organization's operating leases vary and generally contain renewal options. Certain of these operating leases provide for increasing rent over the term of the lease. The Organization also leases certain equipment under noncancelable operating leases, which are typically for terms of 60 months or less.

Leases with a term of less than one year are recorded as lease expense.

ROU assets represent the Organization's right to use an underlying asset for the lease term, and lease liabilities represent the Organization's obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. ROU assets and lease liabilities are recognized at the commencement date of the lease based on the estimated present value of lease payments over the lease term. The Organization's variable lease payments consist of non-lease services related to the lease. Variable lease payments are excluded from the ROU assets and lease liabilities and are recognized in the period in which the obligation for those payments is incurred. As most of the Organization's leases do not provide an implicit rate, the Organization uses its incremental borrowing rate based on the information available at the commencement date in determining the present value of lease payments. Many of the Organization's lease agreements include options to extend the lease, which the Organization does not include in its minimum lease terms unless they are reasonably certain to be exercised.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 6. LEASES (continued)

Supplemental consolidated statement of financial position information related to leases as of December 31, 2022:

Leases	Classification	
Assets		
Operating	Right-of-use assets held under operating leases	\$ 27,888,724
Finance	Right-of-use assets held under finance leases	
		\$ 27,888,724
Liabilities		
Current		
Operating	Accrued and other current liabilities	\$ 4,939,507
Finance	Current portion of long-term debt and other borrowings	-
Noncurrent		
Operating	Noncurrent operating lease liabilities	34,463,045
Finance	Long-term debt and other borrowings	 <u>-</u>
		\$ 39,402,552

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 6. LEASES (continued)

Weighted average remaining lease term and discount rate as of December 31, 2022:

Weighted average remaining lease term, in months	
Operating leases	80.18
Finance leases	-
Weighted average discount rate	
Operating leases	7.33%
Finance leases	-
The components of lease cost were as follows as of December 31, 2022:	
Operating lease cost	\$ 6,308,207
Short-term lease cost	134,556
Variable lease cost	-
Finance lease cost	
Amortization of leased assets	44,299
Interest on lease liabilities	 12,286
Net lease cost	\$ 6,499,348

As of December 31, 2022, maturities of lease liabilities were as follows:

Year Ended December 31,	Operating Leases	Finance Leases		
2023	7,617,899	\$	-	
2024	7,308,956		-	
2025	7,400,042		-	
2026	7,186,396		-	
2027	7,349,461		-	
Thereafter	13,221,724_		-	
	50,084,478		-	
Less amount representing interest	(10,681,926)		-	
Present value of net minimum lease payment	\$ 39,402,552	\$	-	

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 7. BONDS PAYABLE

Bonds payable as of December 31, 2022, consist of the following:

Series 2019A Nontaxable Bonds - par value of	
bonds outstanding	\$ 161,460,000
Bond premium, net of accumulated amortization	
of \$5,324,011	 14,629,910
	176,089,910
Series 2019B Taxable Bonds - par value of	
bonds outstanding	75,610,000
Bond discount, net of accumulated amortization	
of \$131,828	 (2,385,229)
	73,224,771
Less unamortized bond issuance costs	2,985,367
	\$ 246,329,314

<u>Series 2019A Nontaxable Bonds</u>
The following represents the mandatory principal redemptions on the Series 2019A Bonds until maturity on various dates through October 1, 2039, and in aggregate:

Year Ended December 31,	Princ	cipal Amount_	Interest Rate		
		_			
2023	\$	6,555,000	5.000%		
2024		6,880,000	5.000%		
2025		7,225,000	5.000%		
2026		7,590,000	5.000%		
2027		7,965,000	5.000%		
Thereafter		125,245,000	5.000%		
		_			
	\$	161,460,000			

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 7. BONDS PAYABLE (continued)

Series 2019B Taxable Bonds

The following represents the mandatory principal redemptions on the Series 2019B Bonds until maturity on various dates through October 1, 2049, and in aggregate:

Year Ended December 31,	Principal Amount	Interest Rate		
2023	\$ -	6.125%		
2024	-	6.125%		
2025	-	6.125%		
2026	-	6.125%		
2027	-	6.125%		
Thereafter	75,610,000	6.125%		
	\$ 75,610,000			

The bonds payable contain various covenants including maintenance of a debt service reserve fund and debt service coverage ratio. The Academy is required to maintain a debt service reserve fund, on an amortized cost basis, equal to the maximum annual principal and interest payments on the outstanding bonds. At December 31, 2022, the debt service reserve fund had a balance of \$19,179,999 held at fair value with an amortized cost basis of \$19,819,967 and was in compliance with this requirement. The Academy is also required to maintain a debt service coverage ratio of not less than 1.25. At December 31, 2022, the debt service coverage ratio was in compliance with this requirement.

NOTE 8. NET ASSETS

The Organization presents all unrestricted net assets together. There are non-controlling interests between the Academy and the Venture. Activity for net assets during the year ending December 31, 2022, is as follows:

			Controlling Interest	No	n-controlling Interest	
Balance January 1, 2022	\$	155,051,322	\$	153,065,506	\$	1,985,816
Return of Capital		(4,618,252)		(2,309,126)		(2,309,126)
Change in assets		102,125,699		98,133,383		3,992,316
Divestiture		4,043,972		7,712,978		(3,669,006)
Balance December 31, 2022	\$	256,602,741	\$	256,602,741	\$	

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 9. REVENUE RECOGNITION

The Organization determines revenue recognition through the five-step model outlined in Topic 606, as follows:

- 1. Identification of the contract with a student;
- 2. Identification of the performance obligations in the contract;
- 3. Determination of the transaction price;
- 4. Allocation of the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract; and
- 5. Recognition of revenue when, or as, the Organization satisfies a performance obligation.

The Organization's performance obligations are primarily satisfied over time, as control of the educational goods or services transfers to the student. The Organization's performance obligations include access to the classroom or online class, course materials, and educational instruction. The performance obligations do not meet the criteria for being distinct and do not provide value to the student on a stand-alone basis, and are therefore considered to be a single performance obligation. The transaction price is determined based on the gross price of all performance obligations, net of any expected bad debt or uncollectible charges. The Organization uses the input method to recognize tuition revenue as this method depicts the Organization's performance toward complete satisfaction of the performance obligation.

The timing of billings, cash collections, and revenue recognition results in student accounts receivable (contract assets) and unearned tuition (contract liabilities) on the consolidated statement of financial position. The Organization has various billing and academic cycles and recognizes student receivables when an academic program begins. Students are typically billed after the provisional registration period and again at the start of each payment period. For the majority of students, payment for educational services is due at the beginning of each payment period. Receivables are recognized only to the extent that it is probable that the Organization will collect substantially all of the consideration to which the Organization is entitled in exchange for the goods and services that will be transferred to the student. The Organization receives payments from students before revenue is recognized, and the payments are recorded as contract liabilities in unearned tuition.

The Organization's contracts with students include variable consideration in the forms of withdrawal rights and provisional registration period ("PRP") completion. Due to the variable consideration in the contracts, the Organization will estimate the amount of consideration it expects to receive at each reporting period. The Organization uses the expected value method using historical withdrawal rates for the period of the course that is still subject to withdraw consideration for PRP and other Organization courses. The estimated amount of variable consideration is included in the transaction price of the contracts and is allocated to the performance obligations.

All recognized contract assets for which the student has an unconditional obligation to pay are included in the accompanying consolidated statement of financial position as student accounts receivable. Total accounts receivable from the Organization's contracts with students were \$18,376,916 as of December 31, 2022. Contract liabilities in the amount of \$40,488,080 were included in unearned tuition on the accompanying consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2022. Substantially all of the contract liability balance at the beginning of the year was recognized as revenue during the year ended December 31, 2022.

The Organization elected to use the portfolio practical expedient in relation to its evaluation of revenue recognition and collectability. To evaluate revenue recognition, the Organization determines that contracts with students with the same start and end dates should be included in a portfolio and evaluated as one contract. To evaluate collectability, the Organization determined that contracts with students with the same start dates should be included in a portfolio and evaluated as one contract.

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NOTE 10. DIVESTITURE

During the year ending December 31, 2022, The Academy sold it's ownership interest in the Venture on December 30, 2022. The information below details the purchase price and allocation to the interests:

Total purchase price	\$	160,000,000
Total paronace price	Ψ	100,000,000
Less		
Transaction costs		3,339,159
Working capital adjustment		699,321
		4,038,480
Total proceeds avalable		155,961,520
Less: non-controlling interest proceeds		77,980,760
Controlling interest proceeds	\$	77,980,760
The following describes how the proceeds are allocated to the Academy :		
Cash proceeds from sale		
received at closing	\$	69,070,760
Cash Held in Escrow, due to be released :		
120 days		500,000
18 months		410,000
End of 2025		8,000,000
		8,910,000
Net Proceeds	\$	77,980,760
The following describes how the net gain was allocated to the Academy:		
Less		
Allowance on amounts held in escrow		896,000
Transactional costs		588,284
Return of investment		2,309,126
		3,793,410
Net gain on divestiture	\$	74,187,350

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 11. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

The following reflects the Organization's financial assets as of the consolidated statement of financial position date, reduced by amounts not available for general use because of contractual or other obligations come due within one year of the consolidated statement of financial position date.

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 153,012,873
Student accounts receivable, net of allowance for	
for doubtful accounts of \$8,433,771	18,376,916
Investments held at fair value	69,620,782
Total financial assets at year-end	241,010,571
Less those unavailable for general expenditures within one year, due to Amounts restricted for bond service requirements	19,179,999
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general	
expenditures within one year	\$ 221,830,572

The Organization is substantially supported by tuition fees which are available for general use. The Organization maintains sufficient liquid assets to cover at least three months of operating expenses. The Organization has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due.

NOTE 12. INCOME TAXES

The Organization is a not-for-profit corporation that is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") whereby only unrelated business income as defined by Section 512(a)(1) of the IRC is subject to federal income tax. Any tax on the unrelated business activities is not significant to the consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, no provision or liability for federal or state income taxes is recorded in these consolidated financial statements.

The FASB requires management to annually evaluate the Organization's tax positions, including accounting for and measurement of uncertain tax positions. For the year ended December 31, 2022, management concluded that no uncertain tax positions had been taken that would require adjustment to or disclosure in the consolidated financial statements. With few exceptions, the Organization is no longer subject to income tax examinations by federal, state, or local tax authorities for years before 2019.

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NOTE 13. RETIREMENT PLAN

The Academy has adopted a 401(k) retirement plan (the "Plan"). The Academy contributes to the Plan in the form of matching contributions. The Academy contributed \$817,832 to the Plan for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Academy monitors the maximum employee contributions in accordance with the requirements of the IRC Section 401(k).

The Venture has also adopted a separate Plan. The Venture contributed to the Plan in the form of matching contributions. The Venture contributed \$60,013 to the Plan for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Venture monitors the maximum employee contributions in accordance with the requirements of the IRC Section 401(k).

NOTE 14. CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Organization maintains its cash accounts at regional commercial banks. At times throughout the year, the amount on deposit at the banks may exceed the insurance limits of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") of \$250,000 per depositor, per insured bank. As of December 31, 2022, cash deposits exceeded the insurance limits of the FDIC by \$142,698,389.

Concentration of credit risk with respect to student receivables is high due to the nature of the accounts. Exposure is mitigated by the large number of students comprising the Academy's customer base and the allowance for doubtful accounts as described in Note 1. A significant amount of the Academy's revenues are realized through student grants and loans funded by government grant programs which are dependent upon institutional eligibility.

NOTE 15. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Cash used to pay interest for the year ended December 31, 2022, was \$13,028,648.

Cash used to pay income taxes for the year ended December 31, 2022, was \$1,455.

The Organization recorded an Escrow receivable in the amount of \$8,014,000, returned trade name intangible investment funds totaling \$4,618,252, and incurred prepaid expenses in the amount of \$250,562 as a non-cash portion of a divestiture transaction between the Academy and the Venture.

NOTE 16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Academy participates in Federal programs authorized by Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended ("HEA"), which are administered by the United States Department of Education. The Academy must comply with the regulations promulgated under the HEA. Those regulations, found in 34 CFR 668.23(d), require that all related party transactions be disclosed, regardless of their materiality to the consolidated financial statements. This information is required by the United States Department of Education for the purpose of providing additional analysis and is provided in addition to related party disclosure requirements of basic consolidated financial statements.

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Organization has related parties but no related party transactions.

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NOTE 17. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

This information is required by the United States Department of Education and is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements.

				Consolidated Statement of Financial Position Net Property and Equipment			Bonds Payable for long-term purposes			
A-PPE A-LTD	Pre-implemer	ntation			\$	2,271,212			\$	246,329,314
B-PPE B-LTD	Post-impl	entation / Allowable ementation ture and fixtures	\$		_		\$	-		-
	Equip	oment			-			-		
	Leas	ehold improvements			-			-		
C-PPE C-LTD D-PPE	Construction Post-impleme	· ·				4,449,687 5,873,544				-
D-LTD	· ·	bt not for the purchase of				0,070,044				_
	_	and equipment								
		greater than assets value								
	,				\$	12,594,443			\$	246,329,314
A-PPE B-PPE C-PPE D-PPE	any depreciation This is the bala Asset value of	ling balance on the last consol on or disposals. ance of assets purchased after construction in progress. ntation property and equipment	the imple	mentation of	the regu					_
A-LTD		ling balance of the last consoli	dated fina	ncial statem	ent subr	mission prior to	the in	nplementation	of the	regulations – Less
B-LTD C-LTD D-LTD	All debt associ	sor of actual outstanding debt c ated with construction in progre t not for the purchase of prope	ess up to t	the asset val			ocess	s is included.		
		Lease right-of-use asse	ets				_			
	A-L	Lease right-of-use asse	-	-			\$	27,122,167		
	B-L	Lease right-of-use asse	ets - pos	st-impleme	entatior	า		766,557		
							<u>\$</u>	27,888,724	<u> </u>	
	•	Lease right-of-use asse				antation.	- _	20 504 75	7	
	A-L	Lease right-of-use asse Lease right-of-use asse					ф	38,591,757 810,795		
	B-L	Lease Hym-or-use asse	io IIabili	ity - post-ii	nhieili	CIIIAUUII	\$	39,402,552		
	A-L B-L	Balance for leases entered int Balances for leases entered o							=	018.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2022

NOTE 18. SCHEDULE OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

The consolidated financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to more than one program or supporting function. Therefore, these expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated include information technology and salaries, and they are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort. The schedule of functional expenses for the year ended December 31, 2022, is comprised of the Association, the Academy, and the Academy's continuing medical education courses functional expenses and is as follows:

		Educational Service	Support Services		
		Academic	Total		
		Support and	Educational	Institutional	
	Instructional	Student Services	Services	Support	Totals
Accreditation	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 305,683	\$ 305,683
Bank fees	-	-	-	181,248	181,248
Charitable				, ,	- , -
contributions	-	-	-	122,776	122,776
Depreciation and					
amortization	-	-	-	3,390,100	3,390,100
Information					
technology	55,672	790,242	845,914	6,868,513	7,714,427
Insurance	-	1,294,947	1,294,947	-	1,294,947
Interest expense,					
net of interest					
income	-	-	-	11,410,247	11,410,247
Mail and shipping	788	153,000	153,788	5,564	159,352
Marketing	-	47,734,089	47,734,089	-	47,734,089
Membership fees	-	-	-	186,232	186,232
Office supplies	10,706	131,180	141,886	4,997	146,883
Professional fees	23,267	452,327	475,594	11,333,253	11,808,847
Rent, repairs, and					
maintenance	-	7,215,098	7,215,098	30,602	7,245,700
Salaries,					
payroll taxes,					
and benefits	20,984,758	80,229,522	101,214,280	37,351,683	138,565,963
Student materials	5,556,220	8,018,987	13,575,207	-	13,575,207
Taxes	-	-	-	136,489	136,489
Training, travel,					
and events	53,065	322,988	376,053	728,154	1,104,207
Utilities	-	161,251	161,251	574,250	735,501
Bad debts	-	18,456,131	18,456,131	-	18,456,131
Other expense	-	-	-	-	-

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NOTE 18. SCHEDULE OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES (continued)

		Educational Service	Support Services			
		Academic	Total			
		Support and	Educational	Institutional		
	Instructional	Student Services	Services	Support		Totals
CME						
Activity direction						
and production	18,316,669	379,098	18,695,767	-		18,695,767
Administrative	325,473	-	325,473	325,473 -		325,473
Faculty	2,842,378	-	2,842,378	-		2,842,378
Printed collateral						
and material	562,123	-	562,123	-	-	
Promotion	2,265,870	-	2,265,870	-	-	
Recruitment	444,174	-	444,174	-	-	
Registration	2,029,782	-	2,029,782	-		2,029,782
Venue and						
technology	6,075,986		6,075,986	<u> </u>		6,075,986
	\$ 59,546,931	\$ 165,338,860	\$ 224,885,791	\$ 72,629,791	\$	297,515,582

NOTE 19. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On March 16, 2023, The Organization has signed an agreement to purchase the assets and ongoing operations of a for-profit healthcare education institution.



REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Audit Committee
Clinical and Patient Educators Association
and UMA Education, Inc.
d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the consolidated financial statements of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2022, the related consolidated statements of activities and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 23, 2023.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the consolidated financial statements, we considered Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's consolidated financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of their compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the consolidated financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, board of directors, management, accrediting agencies, and the United States Department of Education and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Savannah, Georgia March 23, 2023

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

See Independent Auditor's Report
December 31, 2022

ASSETS

	Patier	nical and nt Educators sociation	UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy		Eliminations		Total
CURRENT ASSETS							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	138,124	\$	152,874,749	\$	-	\$ 153,012,873
Available for sale investments		-		50,440,783		-	50,440,783
Student accounts receivable, net of allowance							
for doubtful accounts of \$8,433,771		55,000		18,321,916		-	18,376,916
Escrow receivable, current portion		-		450,000		-	450,000
Inventories		-		851,756		-	851,756
Prepaid expenses		55,577		16,375,649		-	16,431,226
Total current assets		248,701		239,314,853		_	239,563,554
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT							
Furniture and fixtures		-		2,950,006		-	2,950,006
Equipment		1,699		21,362,539		-	21,364,238
Leasehold improvements		-		11,713,228		-	11,713,228
		1,699		36,025,773			 36,027,472
Less accumulated depreciation		1,699		27,881,017		-	27,882,716
		-		8,144,756		-	8,144,756
Construction in progress		-		4,449,687		-	4,449,687
		-		12,594,443		_	12,594,443
OTHER ASSETS							
Investments held at fair value - debt service reserve fund		-		19,179,999		-	19,179,999
Right-of-use assets held under operating leases, net		-		27,888,724		-	27,888,724
Sublease receivable		-		934,955		-	934,955
Escrow receivable, net of current portion		-		7,564,000		-	7,564,000
Intangibles, net of accumulated amortization of \$7,762,366		-		220,128,508		-	220,128,508
Goodwill		-		91,580,279		-	91,580,279
Deposits				626,923			 626,923
				367,903,388		-	367,903,388
	\$	248,701	\$	619,812,684	\$		\$ 620,061,385

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION See Independent Auditor's Report December 31, 2022

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

	Clinical and Patient Educators Association		UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy		Eliminations		Total	
CURRENT LIABILITIES								
Current portion of bonds payable	\$	-	\$	6,555,000	\$	-	\$	6,555,000
Current portion of operating lease obligations		-		4,939,507		-		4,939,507
Accounts payable		9,994		8,504,986		-		8,514,980
Student refunds payable		-		592,651		-		592,651
Accrued expenses		51,132		26,664,762		-		26,715,894
Unearned tuition		87,112		40,400,968		-		40,488,080
Total current liabilities		148,238		87,657,874		-		87,806,112
BONDS PAYABLE, net of current portion		-		239,774,314		-		239,774,314
OPERATING LEASE OBLIGATIONS, net of current portion		-		34,463,045		-		34,463,045
OTHER LONG-TERM LIABILITIES				1,415,173				1,415,173
NET ASSETS Without donor restrictions		100,463		256,502,278		-		256,602,741
	\$	248,701	\$	619,812,684	\$		\$	620,061,385

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS (WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS)

See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

OPERATING ACTIVITIES REVENUES Tuition, grants, and fees, net \$ 467,713 \$ 326,129,605 \$ - \$ 326,597,500 EXPENSES Educational Services	6,931 8,860
Tuition, grants, and fees, net \$ 467,713 \$ 326,129,605 \$ - \$ 326,597,5000 EXPENSES Educational Services	6,931 8,860
EXPENSES Educational Services	6,931 8,860
Educational Services	8,860
	8,860
	8,860
Instructional costs - 59,546,931 - 59,546,9	
Academic support	
and student services - 165,338,860 - 165,338,8	5,791
Total educational services - 224,885,791 - 224,885,	
Support Services	
Institutional support 407,150 57,422,294 - 57,829,	0 111
Depreciation and amortization - 3,390,100 - 3,390,	
Interest expense,	0,100
net of interest income - 11,410,247 - 11,410,5	0.247
Total support services 407,150 72,222,641 - 72,629,	
Total expenses 407,150 297,108,432 - 297,515,5	5,582
Change in net assets	
from operating activities 60,563 29,021,173 - 29,081,	1 736
20,001,	1,100
NON-OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Gain on divestiture, net - 74,187,350 74,187,	
Investment losses, net (1,143,387) (1,143,387)	
- 73,043,963 - 73,043,9	3,963
CONSOLIDATED CHANGES	
IN NET ASSETS 60,563 102,065,136 - 102,125,065,136	5 699
102,120,	5,000
Non-controlling interest gain - (3,992,316) - (3,992,516)	2,316)
CHANGES IN CONTROLLING	
INTEREST NET ASSETS \$ 60,563 \$ 98,072,820 \$ - \$ 98,133,	3 383
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NET 100ETO 1 : : : : :	4 000
NET ASSETS - beginning of year \$ 39,900 \$ 155,011,422 \$ - \$ 155,051,3	1,322
Non-controlling interest	
·	4,280)
Consolidated changes in	F 000
net assets <u>60,563</u> <u>102,065,136</u> <u>-</u> <u>102,125,</u>	5,699
NET ASSETS - end of year \$ 100,463 \$ 256,502,278 \$ - \$ 256,602,	

UMA EDUCATION, INC. d/b/a ULTIMATE MEDICAL ACADEMY

DEBT SERVICE COVERAGE RATIO See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

UMA Education, Inc.'s changes in controlling interest net assets	\$	98,072,820
ADD BACK		
Depreciation		3,190,100
Amortization		200,000
Interest expense		11,410,247
Loss on investment		1,143,387
Extraordinary items		1,166,975
Reduce gain on sale of Venture		(74,187,350)
Income available for debt service	\$	40,996,179
Cash interest payments	\$	13,028,648
Principal payments on finance lease obligations	·	523,177
Principal payments on Bonds		6,245,000
Debt service payments	\$	19,796,825
Debt service payments	<u>φ</u>	19,190,025
Debt service coverage ratio		2.07

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

As a condition of eligibility to participate in the various federal financial assistance programs, the Organization is required to demonstrate financial responsibility, as defined in United States Department of Education regulations, by maintaining a "composite score standard" of at least 1.5. The regulations also established a composite score zone between 1.0 and 1.4, demonstrating an institution as financially weak, but viable. Regulations allow institutions falling within this zone up to three consecutive years to improve their financial condition without requiring surety.

The following schedule outlines the components utilized in the calculation of the Organization's total composite score for the year ended December 31, 2022, and is required by the United States Department of Education:

Primary Reserve Ratio:

	Primary Reserve Ratio:		
	Expendable Net Assets:		
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Net assets without donor restrictions	Net assets without donor restrictions		\$ 256,602,741
Not Applicable	Net assets with donor restrictions		\$ _
Not Applicable	Net assets with donor restrictions: Other for purpose or time		\$
Not Applicable	Secured and Unsecured related party receivable	\$ 	
Not Applicable	Unsecured related party receivable		\$ <u>-</u>
Not Applicable	Unsecured other related party assets		\$ -
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Property and equipment, net	Property, plant, and equipment, net (includes Construction in progress)	\$ 12,594,443	
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Net Property and Equipment (A-PPE)	Property, plant, and equipment - pre- implementation		\$ 2,271,212
Not Applicable	Property, plant, and equipment - post- implementation with outstanding debt for original purchase		\$ -
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Net Property and Equipment (D-PPE)	Property, plant, and equipment - post- implementation without outstanding debt for original purchase		\$ 5,873,544

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

Primary Reserve Ratio: (continued)

	Primary Reserve Ratio: (continued)	_		
	Expendable Net Assets: (continued	<u>(k</u>		
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information -				
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position				
- Net Property and Equipment (C-PPE)	Construction in progress	<u> </u>		\$ 4,449,687
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Other Assets - Right-of-use assets held under operating leases, net; Right-of-use assets held under finance leases, net	Longo right of use asset, not	¢	27 000 724	
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements -	Lease right-of-use asset, net	\$	27,888,724	
Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use assets - pre-implementation (A-	Lease right-of-use asset pre-			
L) ,	implementation			\$ 27,122,167
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use assets - post-implementation (B-	Lease right-of-use asset post-			
L)	implementation			\$ 766,557
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Other Assets - Intangibles, net of				
accumulated amortization; and Goodwill	Intangible assets			\$ 311,708,787
Not Applicable	Post-employment and pension liabilities			\$ -
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Current Liabilities - current portion of bonds payable; Bonds payable, net of current portion	Long-term debt - for long-term	Φ.	246 220 244	
portion	purposes	\$	246,329,314	
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Bonds	Long-term debt - for long-term			
payable for long-term purposes (A-LTD)	purposes pre-implementation			\$ 246,329,314
Not Applicable	Long-term debt - for long-term purposes post-implementation			\$ -
Not Applicable	Line of Credit for Construction in progress			\$ -
	Long-term debt - not for the purchase of Property, Plant and Equipment or liability greater than			
Not Applicable	assets value			\$

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

Primary Reserve Ratio: (continued)

	Expandable Not Assets: (continued)			
	Expendable Net Assets: (continued		<u> </u>	
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Current Liabilities - Current portion of operating lease obligations; Operating lease obligations, net of current portion	Lease right-of-use asset liability	\$ 39,402,552		
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use liability - pre-implementation (A- L)	Pre-implementation lease right-of- use asset liability		\$	38,591,757
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use liability - post-implementation (B- L)	Post-implementation lease right-of-use asset liability		\$	810,795
Not Applicable	Annuities with donor restrictions		\$	-
Not Applicable	Term endowments with donor restrictions		\$	-
Not Applicable	Life income funds with donor restrictions		\$	-
Not Applicable	Net assets with donor restrictions: restricted in perpetuity		\$	-
	Total Expenses and Losses:	\$ 298,658,969		
Consolidated Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets (Without Donor Restrictions) - Total Expenses	Total expenses without donor restrictions - taken directly from Consolidated Statement of Activities		\$	297,515,582
Not Applicable	Non-Operating and Net Investment (loss)		\$	-
Not Applicable	Other components of net periodic pension costs		\$	-
Not Applicable	Change in value of split-interest agreements		\$	_
Not Applicable	Other losses		\$	_
Consolidated Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets (Without Donor Restrictions) - Non -Operating Activities -	Curior recode		Ψ	
Investment losses, net	Net investment losses		\$	1,143,387
Not Applicable	Pension-related changes other than net periodic costs		\$	-

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

Equity Ratio:

	Equity Ratio:		
	Modified Net Assets:		
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Net Assets without Donor Restrictions	Net assets without donor restrictions		\$ 256,602,741
Not Applicable	Net assets with donor restrictions		\$ -
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Other Assets - Intangibles, net of accumulated amortization; and Goodwill	Intangible assets		\$ 311,708,787
Not Applicable	Secured and Unsecured related party receivables	\$ -	
Not Applicable	Unsecured related party receivables		\$ -
Not Applicable	Unsecured related party other assets		\$ _
	Modified Assets:		
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Total assets	Total assets		\$ 620,061,385
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use assets - pre-implementation (A- L)	Lease right-of-use asset pre- implementation		\$ 27,122,167
Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements - Note 17 Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Supplemental Information - Lease right-of-use liability - pre-implementation (A- L)	Pre-implementation lease right-of- use asset liability		\$ 38,591,757
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position - Other Assets - Intangibles, net of accumulated amortization; and Goodwill	Intangible assets		\$ 311,708,787
Not Applicable	Secured and Unsecured related party receivables	\$ -	
Not Applicable	Unsecured related party receivables		\$ -
Not Applicable	Unsecured related party other assets		\$ -

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE See Independent Auditor's Report Year Ended December 31, 2022

Net Income Ratio:

Consolidated Statement of Activities and		_	
Changes in Net Assets (Without Donor			
Restrictions) - Consolidated Changes in Net	Change in Net Assets Without		
Assets	Donor Restrictions		\$ 102,125,699
	Total Revenues and Gains	\$ 400,784,668	
Consolidated Statement of Activities and			
Changes in Net Assets (Without Donor			
Restrictions)- Operating Activities -	Total Operating Revenue and Other		
Revenues - Tuition, grants, and fees, net	Additions (Gains)		\$ 326,597,318
	Investment return appropriated for		
Not Applicable	spending		\$ -
Consolidated Statement of Activities and			
Changes in Net Assets (Without Donor			
Restrictions) - Non -Operating Activities -	Non-Operating Revenue and Other		
Gain on divestiture, net	Gains		\$ 74,187,350



REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM; REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Audit Committee
Clinical and Patient Educators Association
and UMA Education, Inc.
d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022. Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS"); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States ("Government Auditing Standards"); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards ("Uniform Guidance"). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

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Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and
 perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis,
 evidence regarding Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate
 Medical Academy's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such
 other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and have issued our report thereon dated March 23, 2023, which contained an unmodified opinion on those consolidated financial statements. Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Uniform Guidance and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Savannah, Georgia March 23, 2023

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Provided to Subrecipients		Total Federal Expenditures
United States Department of Education					
Student Financial Assistance Cluster					
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063		\$	_	\$ 124,861,027
Federal Direct Loan Program	84.268		•	-	172,975,919
Federal Supplemental Educational	84.007				177,600
Opportunity Grant Program				-	
Federal Work-Study Program	84.033				37,263
Total student financial assis	tance cluster				298,051,809
Education Stabilization Fund Under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act	ad				
Higher Education Emergency Relief Fur Student Aid Portion	84.425E			_	10,470,285
Higher Education Emergency Relief Fu	•			_	10,470,200
Institutional Portion	84.425F			_	1,079,108
Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Fund	84.425L			-	530,017
Total education stabilization					
coronavirus aid, relief, and	d economic secur	ty act			12,079,410
Total expenditures of federa	al awards		\$		\$ 310,131,219

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

NOTE 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy under programs of the federal government for the year ended December 31, 2022. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* ("Uniform Guidance"). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy, it is not intended to and does not present the consolidated financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy.

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the cash basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement. Negative amounts shown on the Schedule represent adjustments or credits made in the normal course of business to amounts reported as expenditures in prior years.

NOTE 3. INDIRECT COST RATE

Clinical and Patient Educators Association and UMA Education, Inc. d/b/a Ultimate Medical Academy has not elected to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended December 31, 2022

SECTION 1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

Consolidated Financial Statements

Type of report the auditor issued on whether the consolid accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the			lited were prepared <u>Unmodified</u>
Internal control over financial reporting:			
Material weakness(es) identified?		Yes	X No
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?		Yes	X None Reported
Noncompliance material to consolidated financial statements n	noted?	Yes	X_No
Federal Awards			
Internal control over major programs:			
Material weakness(es) identified?		Yes	X No
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?		Yes	X None Reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major federal	l programs:		<u>Unmodified</u>
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 2 CFR 200.516(a)?		Yes	<u>X</u> No
Identification of major programs:			
<u>CFDA Number(s)</u> 84.063; 84.268; 84.007; 84.033 84.425E; 84.425F; 84.425L	Student Finar Education Sta	eral Program of icial Assistance ibilization Fund irus Aid, Relief ecurity Act	e Cluster I Under
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type E	3 programs:		<u>\$750,000</u>
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?		X_Yes	No

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended December 31, 2022

SECTION 2. FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

None noted.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS Year Ended December 31, 2022

SECTION 3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

No matters were reported.

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS For the Year Ended December 31, 2021

The Institution was not required to take any corrective actions as indicated on the prior audit report issued by Symphona LLP f/k/a TJS Deemer Dana LLP on March 24, 2022, covering the Student Financial Assistance Cluster: Federal Pell Grant, Federal Direct Loan, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant, and Federal Work-Study programs and the Education Stabilization Fund Under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act: Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Student Aid Portion and Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Institutional Portion for the year ended December 31, 2021.

There were no findings or questioned costs.