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Statement Regarding Closure of ITT Technical Institutes

ITT Technical Institutes announced today that they would close all 130 of their campuses nationwide.¹ These campuses enroll approximately 40,000 students and have 8,000 employees. ITT has 9 approved locations in Ohio with approximately 2,000 students enrolled and an estimated 400 employees.

The ITT closure results from sanctions that were imposed by the U.S. Department of Education through a letter issued on August 25, 2016, to ITT Educational Services, Inc., imposing new requirements and conditions for ITT's continued participation in federal student aid programs. For more information on the sanctions imposed by USDOE see here:

<https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/about/announcements/itt>

In an effort to assist students enrolled at ITT, the Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools will be working with other Ohio colleges and schools to provide options for students seeking to complete their programs at other institutions. In addition, the Ohio Board will work with ITT to secure access to student records and transcripts. Students enrolled at the time of closure who are unable to complete their programs at other institutions may also be eligible for a discharge of their federal student loans through the USDOE closed school loan discharge program. The Ohio Board has also been in contact with the Veteran's Administration about issues faced by students who were receiving VA funding. More information about these options will be provided to students over the next few weeks.

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¹ ITT has stated that it intends to remain operational for students enrolled in online programs through October 2017.