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Students who are veterans, U.S. military service members or groups representing them

Proposed Additional Language:

§ 690.93 (b) Components determined by Governors

(b) The Governor shall establish, after consultation with the state board, a process for an institution to request a determination that an eligible workforce program meets the requirements in paragraph (a) of this section that is made [**prominently**] publicly available[, **using plain language,**] and includes—

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(iv) A written policy for institutions to establish that an eligible workforce program will guarantee the award of academic credit towards a certificate or degree program upon a student's successful completion of the eligible workforce program and enrollment in such certificate or degree program, and that such credit will be accepted at one or more eligible institutions [**not under same control of the institution or Board**];

What this proposal does is align the state guidance and methodology with existing federal law, regulation, and policy requiring the use of plain language. Also, it protects against *funnels* (comparing one institution to one of its subsidiaries or partners).