**Mission Statement**

The Accreditation Council for Psychoanalytic Education, Inc. (ACPEinc) is an autonomous accreditation agency established in 2001 as a Delaware (USA) not-for-profit corporation to foster excellence in psychoanalytic education. It develops clear, consistent and transparent Standards for Psychoanalytic Education that can be widely implemented in the diverse community of psychoanalysts. Its accreditation process works to assure that training institutions implement these Standards in their education and training of practitioners of psychoanalysis. It aims to protect the public by identifying psychoanalytic training programs that meet these Standards.

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