

APPENDIX I

HIGHER EDUCATION OUTSIDE THE UNIVERSITIES

In addition to universities, colleges, and junior colleges (which offer one or two years of university work), other facilities for higher education in Canada include institutes of technology, hospital schools for nursing training, teacher-training institutions, and schools of art.

In Canada, technical studies leading to professional qualification are normally undertaken in a university. Institutes of technology, which are outside the universities, provide courses of one, two or three years, leading to qualification as a technician with semi-professional status. Information about institutes of technology may be obtained from the Vocational Training Branch, Department of Labour, Ottawa, Canada.

There are two types of nursing school in Canada, those administered by hospitals and those associated with universities. In addition to the study of nursing, the university courses include some study of the humanities and sciences. Information about non-university nursing training may be obtained from the Canadian Nurses Association, 74 Stanley Avenue, Ottawa 2, Canada.

Teacher training is available from provincially-operated normal schools and teachers' college, or through university faculties of education. Generally speaking, the elementary-school teacher must complete one year of post-high-school training at a teachers' college or normal school. Secondary-school teachers require a bachelor's degree and one year of professional teacher training, or a four or five year bachelor of education degree from a university. Information about non-university teacher-training courses may be obtained from the Canadian Education Association, 559 Jarvis Street, Toronto 5, Canada, or from the Canadian Teachers' Federation, 444 MacLaren Street, Ottawa 4, Canada.

Students should note that there is no national department of education in Canada to which inquiries can be addressed. General inquiries about non-university post-secondary education not mentioned above should be addressed to the Education Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa, Canada.

APPENDIX II

GLOSSARY OF ACADEMIC TERMS

ACCREDITATION. System by which a university or college is approved by a recognized agency or association. More often used in the United States than in Canada.