



CITATION ORDER

Citation Issued To: Pathways College 155 N. Lake Avenue Suite 800 Pasadena, CA 91107 Institution Code: 52363049	Citation Number: 25260316
	Total Fine Amount: \$2,501.00
	Order of Abatement Included: Yes

Elizabeth Elias issues this citation in her official capacity as Deputy Bureau Chief of Enforcement at the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, California Department of Consumer Affairs (hereinafter referred to as the "Bureau").

LICENSING HISTORY

1. On or about October 2, 2025, the Bureau granted an Approval to Operate an Accredited Private Postsecondary Institution, Institution Code 52363049, to Pathways College, hereinafter referred to as the "Institution." This Approval to Operate will expire on or about February 29, 2028, unless renewed.

DISCIPLINE HISTORY

2. The Institution has the following discipline history:
 - Dismissed Citation No. 1920321, issued on July 30, 2020

CITATION JURISDICTION

3. This administrative citation is issued to the Institution pursuant to California Education Code (CEC) section 94936; and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations (5 CCR) section 75020 et seq. for the violation(s) described below.

CAUSE FOR CITATION & ASSESSMENT OF FINE AND/OR ORDER OF ABATEMENT

4. The Institution is in violation of the following Bureau laws and regulations:

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Institution: Pathways College
Institution Code: 52363049

Violation #1: 5 CCR section 71920(b)(3) – Student Records, 5 CCR section 71930(e) – Maintenance of Records and CEC section 94900.5(c) – Required Institutional Records
Cause for Citation: On or about September 10, 2025, the Bureau conducted an announced compliance inspection pursuant to CEC section 94932.5(a). Bureau staff reviewed five student files and found that four of the five student files reviewed failed to contain a signed School Performance Fact Sheet (SPFS), which is a required institutional record. Additionally, the Institution admitted SPFS documents were not provided to the students prior to signing the enrollment agreements.
Administrative Fine: Pursuant to 5 CCR section 75030, the Bureau has determined this to be a "Class A" violation. The Institution is issued a fine of \$2,501.00.
Order of Abatement: Pursuant to 5 CCR section 75020, the Bureau issues the following order of abatement: The Bureau orders the Institution to ensure all student records are maintained pursuant to 5 CCR sections 71920 and 71930 and CEC section 94900.5. The Institution must submit a statement of attestation that they have corrected the violation and will ensure that all students are provided a SPFS and all records contain signed and dated SPFS, prior to the execution of the enrollment agreement. The statement of attestation must be dated and signed by an authorized representative of the Institution.

COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER OF ABATEMENT

5. In accordance with the provisions of CEC section 94936 and 5 CCR section 75020, the Bureau issues the order(s) of abatement described above. Evidence of compliance with the order of abatement must be submitted to the Bureau within 30 days from the date of issuance of this citation. Evidence of compliance with the order of abatement may be sent by mail or email to:

- Mail: Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education

Citation Number: 25260316
Institution: Pathways College
Institution Code: 52363049

Attn: Discipline Unit – Aspen Grambusch
1747 North Market, Blvd., Suite 225
Sacramento, CA 95834

- Email: bppe.discipline@dca.ca.gov
 - In the subject line, please include the Institution name and citation number.

COMPLIANCE WITH ASSESSMENT OF FINE

6. In accordance with the provisions of CEC section 94936, and 5 CCR sections 75020 and 75030, the Bureau hereby orders this assessment of fines in the total amount of \$2,501.00 for the violations described above. Payment of the fines must be made to the Bureau within 30 days from the date of service of this citation unless an informal conference or hearing is requested. To assist the Bureau in processing the payment of fines, please submit the enclosed *Payment of Fine – Waiver of Appeal* form.

Payment must be sent to the Bureau by mail at:

- Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
Attn: Discipline Unit – Aspen Grambusch
1747 North Market, Blvd., Suite 225
Sacramento, CA 95834

NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS

7. You have the right to contest this citation through an informal conference with the Bureau pursuant to 5 CCR section 75020 and/or through an administrative hearing in accordance with Chapter 5 (Commencing with section 11500) of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code.

If you wish to contest this citation, the Bureau must receive a written request within 30 days from the date of issuance of this citation asking for an informal conference and/or administrative hearing or you may also submit the enclosed *Notice of Appeal of Citation – Request for Informal Conference and/or Administrative Hearing* form.

The written request may be sent by email or mail to the addresses below:

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Attn: Discipline Unit – Aspen Grambusch
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Failure to submit a written request for an informal conference and/or administrative hearing within 30 days from the date of issuance of this citation will forfeit your ability to appeal the citation.

If a hearing is requested, you are not required to comply with this citation until a final order is entered against you.

COMPLIANCE WITH FINE AND/OR ORDER OR ABATEMENT DISCLOSURE

8. Pursuant to BPC section 125.9 and 5 CCR section 75050, payment of fine and/or compliance with any order of abatement does not constitute an admission of the violation charged and shall be represented as satisfactory resolution of the matter for the purposes of public disclosure.

Pursuant to 5 CCR section 75050, failure to comply with this citation order, its order of abatement, and/or administrative fine by the required due date is grounds for denial or discipline of an approval to operate. Where a citation is not contested and fine is not paid, the full amount of the assessed fine shall be added to the fee for renewal of the approval to operate. An approval to operate shall not be renewed without payment of the renewal fee and fine.

BUREAU CONTACT INFORMATION

9. If you have any questions regarding this Citation, please contact Aspen Grambusch, Citation Analyst by email at Aspen.Grambusch@dca.ca.gov or by phone at (279) 895-6005.



Elizabeth Elias
Deputy Bureau Chief of Enforcement

4/27/2026
Citation Date of Issuance

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Enclosures:

- Notice of Appeal of Citation: Request for Informal Conference and/or Administrative Hearing
- Payment of Fine – Waiver of Appeal
- Declaration of Service by Certified and First-Class Mail



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NOTICE OF APPEAL OF CITATION
Request for Informal Conference and/or Administrative Hearing

Date of Issuance/ Service	Citation Number	Institution/ Owner or Operator	Institution Code
April 27, 2026	25260316	Pathways College	52363049

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the above referenced citation and my right to contest all or part(s) of the citation. Check all that apply:

- ☐ I WISH TO SCHEDULE AN INFORMAL CONFERENCE.
- ☐ I WISH TO SCHEDULE AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING.
- ☐ I WISH TO NOT APPEAL THIS CITATION AND HAVE SUBMITTED TO THE BUREAU PAYMENT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE FINE AND EVIDENCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE ORDER(S) OF ABATEMENT.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Daytime Telephone #: (____) _____

Name of Attorney Representing Owner/Institution: _____

Attorney's Phone Number: _____

Attorney's Email: _____

Attorney's Mailing Address: _____

This Notice of Appeal must be received by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education within 30 days from the date of service of the citation.



Please mail this completed form, evidence of compliance and payment to:
Aspen Grambusch
Discipline Citation Program
Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
1747 N. Market Blvd., Suite 225
Sacramento, CA 95834



DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED AND FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Date of Issuance/ Service	Citation Number	Institution	Institution Code
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I, the undersigned, declare I am employed by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, Department of Consumer Affairs, at whose direction this service is made. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to the within cause; my business address is 1747 N. Market Blvd., Suite 225, Sacramento, CA 95834.

I am familiar with the business practice at the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service. In accordance with that practice, correspondence placed in the internal mail collection system at the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education is collected and deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of business.

On April 27, 2026, I served the attached:

1. CITATION: ASSESSMENT OF FINE AND ORDER OF ABATEMENT No. 25260316
2. NOTICE OF APPEAL OF CITATION: Request for Informal Conference and/or Administrative Hearing
3. PAYMENT OF FINE – WAIVER OF APPEAL RIGHTS

by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in two separate sealed envelopes, as certified mail with return receipt requested and as first-class mail, in the internal mail collection system at the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, addressed as follows:

NAME / ADDRESS

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155 N. Lake Avenue Suite 800
Pasadena, CA 91107

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Attn: Daniella (Ella) Baker, Chief Academic Officer
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Pathways College
Attn: Stephanie Greenspan, Admissions Coordinator
5243 W. Cholla Street
Glendale, AZ 85304

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Pathways College
Attn: Cogency Gloabl Inc., Agent for Process
1325 J Street, STE. 1550
Sacramento, CA 95814

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed at Sacramento, California on April 27, 2026.

Sunita Harpalani

Declarant

Signature