



DEBT MANAGEMENT SERVICES ACCREDITATION PROVIDERS

The Debt Management Services Act requires a debt management services provider to be accredited by an independent accrediting organization. Approved organizations are listed below:

The following programs and organizations are approved to meet the accreditation requirement:

BSI Assurance

www.bsigroup.com/en-US/

Bureau Veritas Certification

www.bureauveritas.com

Council on Accreditation (COA) (non-profit agencies only)

www.coanet.org

[International Association of Professional Debt Arbitrators \(IADPA\)](http://www.iapda.org)

www.iapda.org

Debt Management Services Credit Counselors Certification Providers

The Debt Management Services Act requires credit counselors, supervisors or managers with direct supervisory duties of credit counselors who perform the consumer education program to be certified by an independent certification organization.

The following certification organizations are approved to meet the certification requirement:

Arbor Investments in Education
www.Arbores.com

Association for Financial Counseling and Planning Education (AFCPE)
www.afcpe.org

Center for Financial Certifications (CPFC) now known as FinCert!
A program offered by the Institute for Financial Literacy, Inc.
www.fincert.org

International Association of Professional Debt Arbitrators (IADPA)
www.iapda.org

National Association of Certified Credit Counselor (NACCC)
www.naccc.us

National Foundation for Credit Counseling (NFCC)
www.nfcc.org

Partnership for Financial Education
www.financialed.org