



## Pre-Pandemic Deficit Growth

NAAB's accreditation program has been operating at a deficit for several years, particularly in the years prior to the COVID-19 pandemic. Financial support for accreditation from ACSA, AIA, AIAS, and NCARB was reduced by 14% between 2018 and 2019, resulting in an annual shortfall of nearly \$200,000 and \$325,000, respectively. The reduction in funding, compounded by an increase in the number of candidate and accredited programs of 11% between 2016-2019, limited NAAB's ability to provide quality, professional accreditation services to its direct stakeholders, programs.

