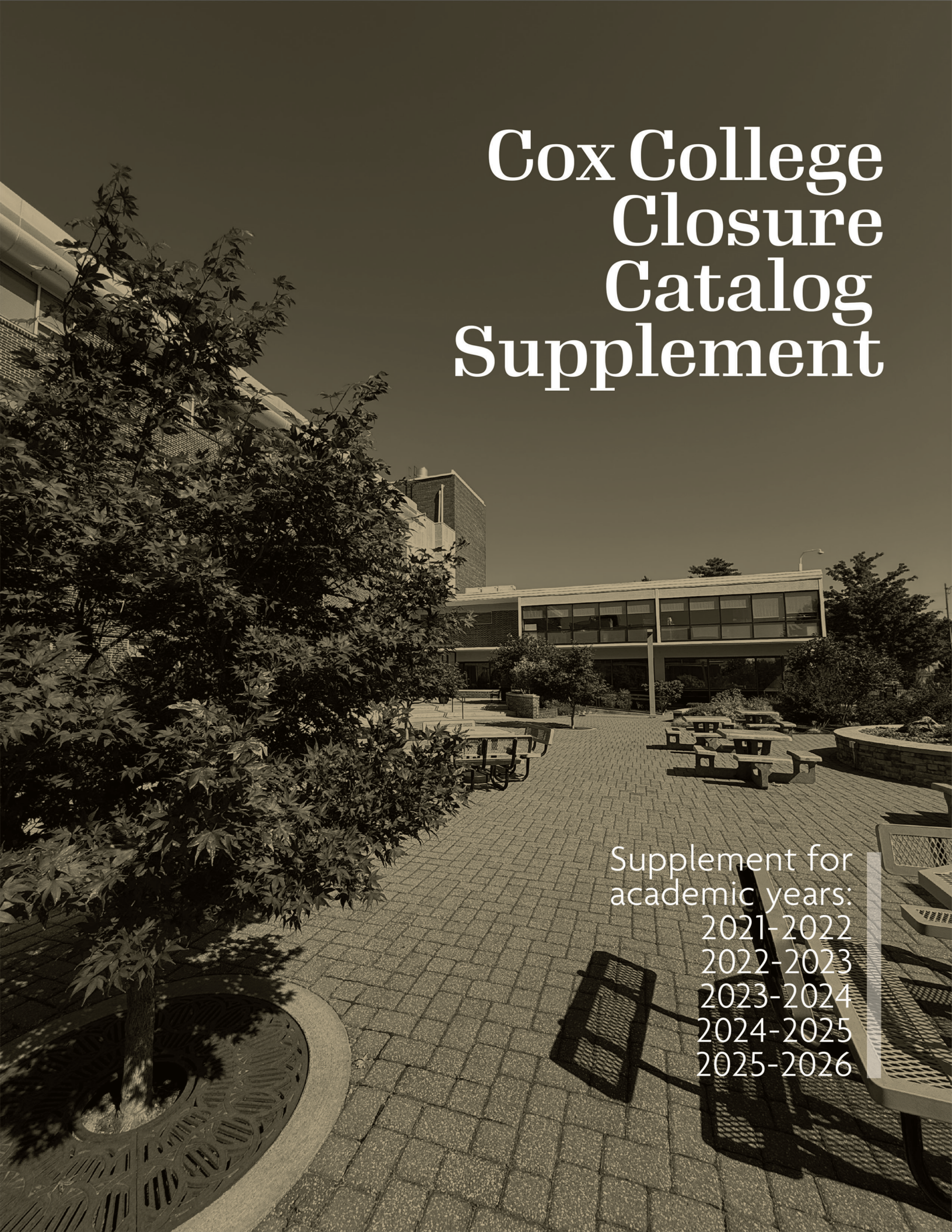
Cox College Closure Catalog Supplement



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This document is a supplement to Cox College catalogs published for academic years 2021-2022, 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026 and is provided for the purpose of notifying students of corrections and/or updates to college policy, programs, courses, admissions, and graduation requirements which have occurred since their original publication.

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Notification of Cox College Closure

As of Spring 2025, Cox College has ceased enrolling new students as part of its planned closure due to CoxHealth's incorporation into The Alliance for Healthcare Education and plans to close after May 2027.

The following important details apply to all currently enrolled students.

Completion of Academic Plans

Students who progress in their current program as planned will not experience any disruptions and will graduate from Cox College as scheduled.

Potential Impact for Students Not Progressing as Planned

In previously published catalogs, Cox College established progression policies and procedures. The following guidelines will now be in place for all Cox College students enrolled in the 2025-2026 academic semester and future semesters.

- Even when Cox College's programs and policies permit repeating courses, such opportunities may be restricted by scheduling, capacity, clinical-site availability, accreditation requirements, or the remaining instructional term(s).
- Students who do not progress according to their academic plan, for any reason, may face challenges in completing their program at Cox College due to the planned closure.
- Students currently on an approved leave of absence (LOA) should consult with their academic advisor to coordinate their return and completion of their program within the teach-out period or to explore other available options if completion is not possible within the teach-out period.
- While Cox College will continue to make reasonable efforts to accommodate requests for an LOA and facilitate a student's return to the program during the teach-out period, students must be aware that taking an LOA during the teach-out period may affect their ability to complete their program within the closure timeline. Courses, clinical placements, or other required

components of the program may not be available upon a student's return, depending on the progress and conclusion of the teach-out period.

- If students are unable to complete their program due to the timing or duration of an approved LOA, they may need to transfer to another institution to complete their education. Cox College will provide information and assistance regarding potential alternatives. It is the student's responsibility to coordinate with their academic advisor to explore available options for completing their studies.

Student Access to Academic Plans and Closure

- Each student's plan of study is accessible via the student portal
- Students will continue to have access to their academic records, including transcripts, course history, and all other student records throughout the teach-out period. Records may be requested via the Registrar's webpage and selecting "Transcript Request"
- Upon conclusion of the teach-out period and the closure of Cox College, academic records will be securely maintained in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Cox College Support and Questions

- Students impacted by a course failure, required repeat, or disrupted progression must meet with their academic advisor (and, when applicable, the program chair) to create an updated, written completion plan based on remaining course offerings and program/accreditation requirements.
- Students with questions or concerns about their plan of study or this notification are encouraged to contact their academic advisor for assistance.