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Date: March 28, 2024

RE: Health Sciences – Academic Program Review

Thank you for joining me to discuss the Academic Program Review for the Health Sciences program. It was a pleasure to read the self-study report and engage in a thoughtful discussion regarding both the history and future direction of the program. I appreciated your comments regarding the need to establish clear criteria and/or benchmarks for programs wishing to move from extended education to stateside.

It was interesting to learn more about the origin and history of the Health Sciences program in University Extended Education and to discuss a renewed look at establishing a pathway to a stateside program. I encourage continued discussion around the maintenance of the accelerated UEE program and the establishment of a traditional stateside program.

I also appreciated our discussion around potential marketing for Health Sciences, particularly as a potential pathway for our pre-Nursing students. I look forward to hearing more about the opportunities the We Will grant will avail us in Stockton too, with continued work with Delta College to establish a pathway aligned with their AS Health Science degree.

I appreciate your dedication, Dr. Perea Ryan, in both promoting the Health Sciences program and student advising.

The result of this Academic Program Review is that your Program is approved for continuance.

Sincerely.

Richard Ogle (Apr 17, 2024 09:16 PD

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