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Dr. Bahira Trask
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Dear Dr. Trask,

At the June 2022 CSHSE Board Meeting, the Council recognized the decision that University of Delaware Human Development and Family Services program has made to lapse accreditation for non-submission of the self-study according to the timeline of the approved extension. Accreditation lapsed effective July 1, 2022. This response is based upon CSHSE Policy of Board Accreditation/Reaccreditation decisions (2020 Membership Handbook, Appendix I, CSHSE Policy for Board Accreditation/Reaccreditation Decisions, p.97.)

As a result of the program's decision to lapse accreditation, the following conditions exist:

1. Any student graduating after July 1, 2022 can no longer claim graduating from an accredited Human Services program
2. Any student matriculated into the program must be notified that they are not enrolled in an accredited program and will be unable to claim that they are participating in a CSHSE accredited Human Service program.
3. All program marketing documents and webpage must delete any reference to being a CSHSE accredited or member program.
4. This letter regarding lapsed accreditation will be posted until the CSHSE October Board meeting. After that point, all information about the program and accreditation will be deleted from the website.

Your email will be considered the official documentation of notification to lapse accreditation.

If your program decides to pursue accreditation in the future, the program must reapply as an initial accreditation.

If there are any questions regarding this process, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Dr. Yvonne Chase, CSHSE President