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Dr. Ann Weaver Hart
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RE: Full survey visit, January 12-15, 2014

Dear President Hart:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of the determinations made by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) at its June 16-19, 2014 meeting regarding the accreditation status of the medical education program leading to the MD degree at the University of Arizona College of Medicine and to transmit to you the enclosed report of the LCME survey team that conducted a full survey visit on January 12-15, 2014.

After reviewing the report of the full survey team, the LCME voted to continue accreditation of the medical educational program leading to the MD degree at the University of Arizona College of Medicine for an eight-year term. The program's next full survey will take place during the 2021-2022 academic year.

DETERMINATIONS REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH ACCREDITATION STANDARDS

I. STRENGTHS

In its review of the team report, the LCME determined that the following items are institutional strengths:

A. IS-14-A. An institution that offers a medical education program should make available sufficient opportunities for medical students to participate in service-learning activities and should encourage and support medical student participation.

Finding: The student-developed and student-administered Commitment to Underserved People (CUP) program, implemented by the college of medicine in 1979, provides an exceptional number and variety of community service and