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Curriculum Committee
UNM Gallup

Reference: AS Science Nursing program review.

Please accept this letter in strong support of the AS Science Nursing program in its review.

The program review documentation is thorough and very well presented which is a reflection of the professionalism of the Nursing program Director, Ms. Sabrina Ezzell. The program is accredited and well respected because of Ms. Ezzell's tireless work.

The reasons to continue to support this program are best summed up by a paragraph in the self-evaluation report:

Approximately 80% of graduates remain in the area and work at local hospitals, clinics, schools, and detention centers. Several UNMG nursing program graduates have gone on for advanced degrees and fill local nursing faculty and nurse practitioner positions.

Truly,

Professor Kenneth R. Roberts. Dean of Instruction.

cc: Ms. Irene Den Bleyker, Chair EHHS
Ms. Sabrina Ezzell, Director Nursing