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Subject: COA request for evaluation data

Good evening,

The COA is currently reviewing the Accreditation manual for needed revisions. The COA bases its decisions on evidence. Evidence is now being sought. Specifically, when the contact hour minimum limit was removed, the COA pledged to collect data on the effectiveness/impact of education provided in increments less than the previous one contact hour minimum. Please – if you have any data related to this issue, would you please be willing to share it with the COA? It will enable the COA to make an evidence-based decision.

Thank you,
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"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." - Ralph Waldo Emerson

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