

Kim Reynolds, Governor

Adam Gregg, Lt. Governor

Beth Townsend, Director

September 1, 2020



RE: Compliance Monitoring Final Feedback Letter – *ApprenticeshipUSA* State Expansion Grant

Dear [REDACTED]:

Thank you for preparing your response to the compliance monitoring feedback letter dated January 25, 2019, which outlined the results of the compliance monitoring visit conducted on April 18, 2020. The State has completed its review of the information submitted to our office.

Please see a summary of the compliance findings listed below. Those addressed and accepted by our office have the note **[Response Accepted]**. All responses have been accepted. This letter serves as notification we will be closing out the monitoring visit.

COMPLIANCE FINDINGS

Finding 1: [REDACTED] **is experiencing low enrollments into RA programs. As of March 31, 2020, seven Registered Apprentices were hired.**

The response adequately addresses the plan to implement strategies to increase performance in order to meet the established performance goals. **[Response Accepted]**

[REDACTED] response identified the following actions will be taken:

- Creation of an outreach video
- Social Media outreach ads
- Continued outreach to employers
- Shift in strategy to utilize voucher system allowed by state
- Creation of three part webinar on Registered Apprenticeship
- Development of an outreach campaign for area nursing homes

Thank you for addressing the compliance finding noted in the monitoring feedback letter. The State commends [REDACTED] for seeking technical assistance as it demonstrates your commitment to quality programming. I look forward to continuing to work with [REDACTED]. If you have any questions, I can be reached by telephone at 515-805-7321 or by email at amy.beller@iwd.iowa.gov.

Sincerely,

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