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CHAIR, COUNCIL ON ACADEMIC ACCREDITATION IN
AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT

March 22, 2007

Dennis Ponton, Provost
Buffalo State College
Office of the Provost
1300 Elmwood Avenue
Buffalo, NY 14222

RE: CAA File #163 – Master's program in speech-language pathology

Dear Provost Ponton,

I am happy to inform you that your master's degree program in speech-language pathology has been granted accreditation by the Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. This accreditation is for an eight year period beginning April 1, 2007 through March 31, 2015.

Annual reports will be reviewed by the Council to assure that your program maintains compliance with the requirements for accredited programs and will be due April 1, 2008 for the next six consecutive years. On the seventh anniversary of your accreditation period, you will be asked to submit an application for re-accreditation to allow the Council on Academic Accreditation a year to complete its processing before your accreditation expires.

The name of your university will appear on all published lists of accredited programs during your accreditation period, including the Online Guide to Graduate Education in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, as well as periodic lists published separately and sent on request to many individuals each year.

I offer my congratulations on your achieving this national distinction.

Sincerely,

Mary Anne Hanner, PhD, Chair
Council on Academic Accreditation

Cc: Constance Dean Qualls, PhD
Susan Flesher, Accreditation Manager
Council on Academic Accreditation