

Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Dr. Joi Spencer, Dean School of Leadership and Education Sciences University of San Diego Mother Rosalie Hill Hall 5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110

Dear Dean Spencer:

I am writing to inform you that on January 28, 2021, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of *Accreditation with a 7th year report* to University of San Diego and its credential programs. On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to offer the following programs:

Preliminary Multiple and Single Subject Credential Preliminary Education Specialist: Mild to Moderate Disabilities Credential Preliminary Education Specialist: Mild to Moderate Disabilities Intern Credential Pupil Personnel Services School Counseling Credential

The following must be addressed in the 7th year report:

- 1. Verify consistent implementation of the new procedures related to clinical practice placements, training for supervisors, and inclusion of supervisors in program improvement for the dual credential program.
- 2. Strengthen the process and systematize the collection of feedback from community partners.

In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- University of San Diego is permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation.
- University of San Diego continues in its assigned cohort on the schedule of accreditation activities as determined by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Cheryl Hickey, Administrator of Accreditation, at <u>chickey@ctc.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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cc: Dr. Heather Herrera, Accreditation Coordinator

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