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## Dear Coach Q:

I am writing this letter in response to the workshop you recently conducted for the Fresno EOC Local Conservation Corps (LCC). The LCC is a vocational training program, also housing a charter high school for young adults, 18—24. At times, it can be difficult serving this population and we need to ensure our young people are receiving positive, consistent messaging from staff.

Several months ago, I had the opportunity to meet with you to discuss a potential training session for our staff and instructors. During our meeting, you asked several perceptive questions and suggested that one of your workshops, *Are You Healthy Enough To Serve?* would address the concerns we discussed. I would like you to know that after your session, I have received overwhelmingly positive feedback from the staff. In fact, several have asked if we are going to bring you back. You were able to connect with all levels of my staff and zero in on issues using everyday props I would not have expected. Thank you for your timely workshop and I would be happy to share our experiences with potential clients.

Sincerely.

Shawn Riggins LCC Director

