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Dear Friends:

Congratulations on earning the 2006 Excellence in Service Delivery Award from the National Council for Community Behavioral Health Care. I understand that you earned this commendation for your Aggression Replacement Training program.

Your organization deserves a great deal of credit for its work to assist young people in transforming their anger and aggression into productive behavior. It is obvious to me from the article in *The San Bernardino Sun* that your innovative self-questionnaire, emphasis on monitoring outcomes, and personalized treatment plans have made this program highly effective. Your dedication to improving the lives of young people through rehabilitative efforts and your commitment to professional excellence is to be commended.

Again, congratulations on this achievement. You have my sincere appreciation and best wishes for your continued success. Keep up the good work!

Sincerely,



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