

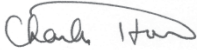
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Dear House Officer,

Welcome to LSU Health Sciences Center and the great city of New Orleans. You are entering the most exciting phase of your medical career where you finally get to concentrate on your chosen field. In addition, you will be training in an environment where each resident can develop at his/her own pace in a city and region unlike any other in the United States. I encourage each of you to develop a strong and positive working relationship with your Program Director and to eagerly seek feedback on how you can continue to improve and develop. The GME Office stands ready to help you as you progress in your training. Over the next few years you will witness major positive developments in the LSUHSC medical complex which will enhance both your graduate and post graduate education. We look forward to working with you to continue making this a premier learning environment.

Again, welcome to our institution and to the most stimulating years of your life.

Sincerely,



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