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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** JOHN V. LADD /s/

Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** Revision to Appendix A of the National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for National Center for Healthcare Apprenticeship (NCHA)

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of a revision to Appendix A to include the occupation listed below to National Center for Healthcare Apprenticeship (NCHA), National Program Standards of Apprenticeship.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The Region I, Office of Apprenticeship will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
   1. Summary – This revision to Appendix A to the National Program Standards of Apprenticeship, was submitted by Ms. Danielle Copeland, Director, on behalf of National Center for Healthcare Apprenticeship (NCHA), was processed by Joseph P. Taylor and approved by the OA Administrator on October 3, 2023.
   2. Background –

***NPS Background -*** National Program Standards of Apprenticeship are programs that are registered by OA on a national basis and that consist of occupational standards which: (1) are developed and sponsored by an employer, national trade or industry organization, labor organization, educational institution, or consortium; (2) are demonstrably national or multi-State in their design, suitability, and scope based on consideration of the National Program Standards criteria (detailed below); and (3) comply with the regulatory requirements contained in 29 CFR Part 29 and 29 CFR Part 30.

1. **Revision to Appendix A.** This revision to Appendix A to the National Standards of Apprenticeship for National Center for Healthcare Apprenticeship (NCHA), for the following occupation will be serviced by Region I, Office of Apprenticeship:

Critical Care Nurse

(Existing Title: Registered Nurse Resident (RNR)

O\*NET-SOC CODE 29-1141.00

RAPIDS CODE: 2074CB

Training Type: Competency-based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions please contact John Martinez, Region 1, Apprenticeship & Training Representative, Office of Apprenticeship at (732) 688-4962.
2. **Attachments.** None.