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Customized Training and Partnership Initiatives
Malcolm X College

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Malcolm X College conducted a graduation for the Cook County Hospital customized training programs. Cook County Hospital Director, Lacy Thomas was in attendance and participated in the presentation of certificates to 39 employees, who successfully completed Conversational Spanish, Customer Service, and ESL courses on May 19, 2000;

that on May 16, 2000, the first completion ceremony was held for 19 students in the home child care 20-week training program. The program is a result of partnership and collaboration between Malcolm X College, Chicago Department of Human Service, Marcy Newberry Association, University of Illinois at Chicago and the West Side Consortium Training Institute. Due to the 95 percent retention rate, plans are finalized to begin the next training session in July, 2000; and

that the Ritz-Carlton Hotel of Chicago has reported that eight employees successfully completed training and stated satisfaction with the results of the college's English as a second language training for hotel employees.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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