

COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR RESPIRATORY CARE

March 23, 2018

Tonjua Williams, PhD, President Respiratory Care Program St. Petersburg College 6201 142nd Avenue N Clearwater, FL 33760

RE: Program Number 200145

Dear Dr. Williams:

At its March 2018 meeting, the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC) voted to confer **Continuing Accreditation** to the AS Degree Entry into Respiratory Care Professional Practice Program at St. Petersburg College.

The recent accreditation review conducted by CoARC recognizes the Program's compliance with the nationally established accreditation Standards. The next comprehensive evaluation of the Program, including an on-site review, is scheduled to occur no later than **2028**.

In addition to the comprehensive evaluation, CoARC regularly monitors the Program's compliance with established outcomes assessment thresholds (Standard 3.09) through the Annual Report of Current Status submitted annually by the Program as well as other documentation that may be requested. The next Annual Report of Current Status is due by July 1, 2018.

The Commission commends you and your colleagues for your commitment to continuous quality improvement in education, as demonstrated by your participation in programmatic accreditation.

Sincerely,

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Thomas R. Smalling, PhD, RRT, RPFT, RPSGT, FAARC Executive Director

cc: Richard Flora, DVM, MSBA, Dean Steven Hardt, MA, RRT, Program Director Alan Barker, MD, Referee (Emailed)

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