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RE: Program #0158

Previous Accreditation Status: 8 Years
Most Recent Site Visit: 11/14

Dear Dr. Webb:

The Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT) appreciated the opportunity to evaluate the associate degree radiography program sponsored by Rose State College. The JRCERT is the only agency recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDE) for the accreditation of traditional and distance delivery educational programs in radiography, radiation therapy, magnetic resonance, and medical dosimetry. Specialized accreditation awarded by the JRCERT offers institutions significant value by providing peer evaluation and by assuring the public of quality professional education in the radiologic sciences.

The continuing accreditation status of the program was considered at the June 24, 2015 meeting of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. The program was evaluated according to the Standards for an Accredited Educational Program in Radiography (2014). The JRCERT awards:

## ACCREDITATION FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS.

The maximum duration that may be awarded by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology in this category is eight years.

The JRCERT, after reviewing the findings of the site visit team and the program's response to the report of findings, has determined that the program is in non-compliance with **Standard Five**:

Objective 5.4 - Analyzes and shares student learning outcome data and program effectiveness data to foster continuous program improvement. (Provide assurance that feedback from the program's communities of interest has been fully implemented into the program's assessment process.)

Objective 5.5 - Periodically evaluates its assessment plan to assure continuous program improvement. (Provide assurance that the program has implemented a revised assessment plan that contains measurable student learning outcomes with correlated measurement tools.)

The program is advised to continue the refinement of its assessment plan. The program faculty are strongly encouraged to attend a JRCERT Outcomes Assessment Workshop. A complete listing of Outcomes Assessment Workshop dates may be found under the "Calendar" tab at <a href="https://www.jrcert.org">www.jrcert.org</a>.

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Therefore, a progress report documenting compliance with these objectives is required by March 24, 2016. Consideration of the progress report is projected for the next scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors following receipt and review of the submitted progress report. Following receipt and evaluation of this progress report, the JRCERT will maintain or extend accreditation to eight years. An additional progress report may be required if any objectives are not adequately addressed.

Consistent with JRCERT Policy 10.100, this action is not subject to appeal.

Based upon the decision of non-compliance, the program must document compliance with all relevant accreditation standards no later than June 24, 2017. As required by the United States Department of Education and consistent with the maximum compliance timeframes set forth in JRCERT Policy 11.400, when the JRCERT Board of Directors determines that a program has failed to document compliance with the STANDARDS and has not satisfactorily addressed the identified deficiencies, the existing accreditation status will be withdrawn. Such involuntary withdrawal of accreditation is considered an adverse accreditation. The JRCERT defines an adverse action as involuntary withdrawal of accreditation. Involuntary withdrawal of accreditation will generally, but not necessarily, occur after a Probationary Accreditation status has been awarded. Probationary status, as well as an adverse accreditation action, requires written notification of the United States Secretary of Education, the appropriate State licensing or authorizing agency, appropriate regional and/or other accrediting agencies and the public.

The program is also advised that consistent with JRCERT Policy 11.600, the JRCERT reserves the right to conduct unannounced site visits of accredited programs. The sponsoring institution would be responsible for the expenses of any on-site evaluation.

The Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology Directors and staff encourage you and the program faculty to continue your efforts in developing a quality educational program. If we can be of further assistance, do not hesitate to contact the office.

Sincerely,

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