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CoARC Program Number: 200634 Your referee is: Pat Munzer

Program Name: Jefferson State Community College Respiratory Therapy Program

Standard 3.07 - TMC High Cut Score Success

Name of the person completing this form: David Trott

Your relationship to the program (job title): Program Director

DETAILED ACTION PLAN

Please Note: A separate form for each Standard/Citation is necessary if more than one action plan is required.

PROPOSED ACTION(S) (What/How)	RESPONSIBLE GROUP/PERSON (Who)	DATE START/END (When)	COMMENTS (Why)
RPT 243 Computer Applications for the RCP	David Trott PD	Ongoing Every Fall Semester	RPT 243 is integral part of student's fourth semester curriculum. Objective of course is to prepare students for taking the TMC and CSE exams. Time is spent reviewing content taught over the four semesters. Critical thinking as well as reasoning and rationalization are empahsized.
Lindsey-Jones seminar (3-day TMC and CSE exam prep)	David Trott PD/ Jennifer Chesser DCE	9/8 - 9/10/21	Condensed TMC and CSE exam preparation for students in their final semester of the program taught by Jerry King RRT from Lindsey-Jones.
Reviewed NBRC scores of 2021 JSCC graduates vs TMC Matrix	PD/DCE	1/1/22 - present	Purpose of reviewing is to see content areas where graduates are weakest. 2021 High Cut TMC scores are below threshold at 25%, bringing the 3-year average down to 49%.
PD, DCE, RT Faculty, and Medical Director called, text,	PD/DCE	1/1/22 - present	To individually show graduates who fell below



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and emailed 2021 graduates that fell below threshold on TMC and offered to review TMC results 1:1			threshold the content they need to focus on for preparing to retake the TMC. To date, none of the 2021 graduates have accepted the offer.
Curriculum Mapping	PD/DCE and RT Faculty	5/1/22 - present	Comparing the TMC Matrix to curriculum and plan of instruction (POI) to ensure adequate coverage of subject matter.
Lindsey-Jones Seminar	PD/DCE	10/19/ - 10/21/22	Condensed TMC and CSE exam preparation for 2022 grads, but was also offered to 2021 grads as a refresher course at 50% off. Employers of graduates who were below threshold were also notified of the seminar and agreed to work with employee's schedules to give them time off to attend the seminar. None of the 2021 graduates registered to take the refresher seminar.
NBRC secured TMC and CSE practice exams	PD/DCE	10/24/22 - present	2022 graduates were encouraged to take the secured TMC and CSE practice exams offered by the NBRC and review with the PD or DCE prior to taking the actual TMC and CSE exams.
Review of scores of 2022 graduates that have taken the TMC and CSE to date	PD/DCE/RT Faculty	12/15/23 - present	Our current TMC threshold for 2022 graduates is up at 70%.

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