

ST. PETERSBURG COLLEGE
Respiratory Care Program
COLLEGEWIDE ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPRECIATION EVENT/MEETING
MINUTES
September 24, 2015

Present:

Tracy Samuels
Dawn Janusz
Vickie Grantham
Tricia Zielmanski
Steve Hardt

Largo Medical Center
SPC Connections Coordinator
SPC Sophomore Student Rep
Program Assistant
SPC Program Director

I. Introduction and Approval of Minutes

Since this was a college wide advisory committee appreciation event, a lunch was held for those present and several presenters from the college reviewed the college's mission, results, and workforce training programs. This event is an interdisciplinary advisory event that is college driven. The Spring College event is a discipline specific advisory committee event. However, since representatives from many of the stakeholders groups were present, a brief, informal discussion was held regarding several matters. The minutes from the previous meeting had been provided previously and were approved. The following items were briefly discussed

II. Reports and Discussion

The meeting was called to order at 11:03

PROGRAM UPDATE

New Faculty Members. Gene Macogay has been hired as a new full time faculty member. Gene comes to us with a strong background in Respiratory Care and a proven track record as an effective clinical instructor.

PROGRAM GOAL & COMPETENCIES ANNUAL REVIEW

Steve Hardt advised the committee that these are reviewed annually at the Spring advisory committee meeting.

ENROLLMENT

The attached enrollment report was provided to those present.

NBRC EXAMINATION RESULTS

The attached examination results worksheet was provided to those present

CoARC RCS 2014

Steve Hardt advised the committee that these are reviewed at the Spring meeting.

MARKET DATA – Co-ARC EMPLOYER & GRADUATE SURVEYS

Steve Hardt advised the committee that these are reviewed at the Spring meeting.

PERSONNEL RESOURCE SURVEYS

Steve Hardt advised the committee that these are reviewed at the Spring meeting.

Clinical Status

Sophomores

The attached clinical report was reviewed with those present

Specialty Rotations

The attached clinical report was reviewed with those present.

Freshmen

The attached clinical report was reviewed with those present

Facility Evaluations

Steve Hardt advised the committee that these are reviewed at the Spring meeting.

Student Report

Freshmen – The Freshman class is currently in the process of selecting a new representative for this committee

Sophomores – Vickie Grantham was in attendance.

New Business – Steve Hardt asked the opinion of those present for their input on the possibility of offering an introductory respiratory care class in a “open campus” format, and allow students to take it prior to entry in the program. Students who complete the course prior to program entry could earn extra consideration, or points, for the program’s selective admissions program. This suggestion was favorably received.

Vickie Grantham stated she has noticed that some of her classmates have increased academic difficulty due to a lack of computer skills. Student must complete coursework designed to develop or demonstrate computer proficiency, but this is not a pre req, and many students do not complete this until they are well into the program. Vickie suggested that the college may consider making this a pre req for the program, so that students have the necessary computer skills to succeed in the program before they enter the program. The program agreed to take the matter under further consideration.

Tracy Samuels mentioned that current indicators show that the strong demand for RT graduates will continue.

Steve Hardt mentioned that the program would like to improve its process for having potential students do clinical observations. Several options for improving the process were discussed. It was agreed that a new process could be developed and presented at the Spring Advisory Committee Meeting

IV. Old Business – None

V. Adjournment

Motion made and approved to adjourn at 12:14

**St. Petersburg College Respiratory Care Program
Data Dash Board as of September 5, 2014**

		<u>Current Students</u>			
<u>Yr Admitted</u>	<u># admitted</u>	<u>-Lost Academic</u>	<u>- Lost Personal</u>	<u>+ From</u>	
<u>Prev</u>	<u>Remain</u>				
2014	26	0	0	0	
	26				
2013	24	-6	4	+2	
	16				
2012	22	-7	-2	+1	
	14				

		<u>Graduating Classes</u>				
<u>Year</u>	<u># Grads</u>	<u>Passed CRT</u>	<u>% National</u>	<u>Passed RRT</u>	<u>% National</u>	
<u>Placement</u>	<u>Nat%</u>					
2014	14	14	125%	14	139%	NA
2013	18	17	119%	17	127%	17
	110%					
2012	12	12	126%	12	100%	12
	115%					

<u>Coarc RCS Line (2010-2012 graduates)</u>			
<u>Category</u>	<u>SPC</u>	<u>National Average</u>	<u>Threshold</u>
Attrition	30.9	19.2	40
Placement	88.1	85.6	70
CRT Success	92.7	92.1	80
RRT Success	88.1	64.0	N/A
On time grad	97.6	90.9	N/A