

Dear **Dental Hygiene** Program Review Author:

Thank you for your time and effort in completing the Comprehensive Program Review this year. Your work contributes to the College's effort to seek ways to constantly improve on behalf of students.

Strengths

PRC felt that overall the program review was well written, leading the readers to easily understand the program goals, outcomes, and plans for the future.

Suggestions for Improvement

PRC felt that while the percentage of Filipino students in the program is greater than the college average, the percentage of other groups targeted for equity efforts, African Americans and Latinos were fewer than that found in the college as a whole. Therefore, PRC suggests that the program develop outreach efforts to increase access to the program for these student groups. Given that there will be a Dental Hygiene Bachelor Degree Program. PRC suggests that the department market/outreach to explore new ways to attract traditionally underrepresented students and help prepare these students to be eligible to apply to the program.

PRC also requests that future program reviews include the survey results from the various studies mentioned in the narrative.

Recommendation – Green

The program is recommended to continue in the regular program review cycle.