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September 16, 2020

Trevor A. Kubatzke, Ph.D.
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RE: Program #0081
Previous Accreditation Status: Probation
Most Recent Site Visit: 12/2019

Dear Dr. Kubatzke:

After review of the requested progress report, the continuing accreditation status of the associate degree radiography program sponsored by Lake Michigan College was considered at the September 15, 2020 meeting of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT). 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 program was evaluated according to the **Standards for an Accredited Educational Program in Radiography (2014)**. The program now documents compliance with all relevant Standards; therefore, the JRCERT awards:

ACCREDITATION FOR A PERIOD OF EIGHT YEARS.

This award is effective from the date of the last site visit.

An interim report will be required. The projected date for submission of the interim report is the Fourth Quarter of 2023. The JRCERT will provide program officials adequate notice of the due date for submission of the interim report. Based on the interim report, the JRCERT will determine if the accreditation award of eight (8) years will be maintained or reduced and the continuing accreditation process expedited.

Based on this extension, the next site visit is tentatively scheduled for the Fourth Quarter of 2027.

The program is advised, as identified in the award letter dated September 6, 2018, program officials were to attend a JRCERT-sponsored Accreditation and/or Outcomes Workshop by August 29, 2019. It is noted the program director and clinical coordinator are currently registered for the September 29, 2020 Accreditation Workshop. Consistent with JRCERT Policy 10.200, failure to attend could result in the program being placed on Administrative Probation.

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.

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The Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology Directors and staff congratulate you and the program faculty for achieving the maximum award of accreditation from the JRCERT and wish you continuing success in your efforts to provide a quality educational program. If we can be of further assistance, do not hesitate to contact the office.

Sincerely,



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Chair

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