**Hinds Community College**

**Respiratory Care Technology Program**

**Program Effectiveness Data**

*Five Year Average for National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) Credentialing. Program Goal:* ***At least 80%*** *of graduates will pass the NBRC Therapist Multiple Choice exam above the Certified Respiratory Therapist level on the first attempt.*

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| **Reporting Year** | **Percent passing on 1st attempt** | **Number of Students** |
| 2014 | **100%** | 17/17 graduates (2013) passed on 1st attempt. |
| 2015 | **100%** | 14/14 graduates (2014) passed on 1st attempt. |
| 2016 | **100%** | 14/14 graduates (2015) passed on 1st attempt. |
| 2017 | **92.9%** | 13/14 graduates (2016) passed on 1st attempt. |
| 2018 | **100%** | 13/13 graduates (2017) passed on 1st attempt |
| ***Five-Year Average*** | **98.58%** | 71/72graduates passed on 1st attempt. |

*Five Year Average for graduate job placement rate. Program Goal:* ***At least 70%*** *of the graduates will obtain employment in the field of Respiratory Care within 6 months after graduation.*

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| **Reporting Year** | **Percent Job Placement** | **Number of Students** |
| 2014 | **100%** | 17/17 graduates (2013) employed within 6 months after graduation. |
| 2015 | **100%** | 14/14 graduates (2014) employed within 6 months after graduation. |
| 2016 | **100%** | 14/14 graduates (2015) employed within 6 months after graduation. |
| 2017 | **100%** | 14/14 graduates (2016) employed within 6 months after graduation. |
| 2018 | **92.3%** | 12/13 graduates (2017) employed within 6 months after graduation.  (The 13th graduate did not seek employment immediately and was employed within **10** months of graduation) |
| ***Five-Year Average*** | **98.46%** | 71/72 graduates employed within 6 months after graduation. |

*Five Year Average for program completion rate. Program Goal:* **At least 60%** of the students entering the program will complete the program within 150% of the stated program length.

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| **Reporting Year** | **Program Completion** | **Number of Students** |
| 2014 | **65.4%** | 17/26 students entering the program graduated in 2013 within 150% of stated program length. ***1 student moved and transferred to another RCT program, graduating on time.*** |
| 2015 | **70%** | 14/20 students entering the program graduated in 2014 within 150% of stated program length.***1 student transferred to and graduated from the LPN program.*** |
| 2016 | **60.8%** | 14/23 students entering the program graduated in 2015 within 150% of stated program length. ***1 student transferred out to change major to Elementary Education.*** |
| 2017 | **55.6%** | 10/18 students entering the program graduated in 2016 within 150% of stated program length. ***1 student transferred to and graduated from the LPN program; 1 student readmitted to RCT program and currently in progress.*** |
| 2018 | **59.1%** | 13/22 students entering the program graduated in 2017 within 150% of stated program length.   * ***1 student is projected to graduate May 2019*** * ***1 student transferred to LPN program*** * ***1 student transferred to Radiologic Technology program*** * ***1 student transferred to Veterinary Technology program*** * ***1 student transferred to Dental Assisting program*** * ***1 student transferred to Computer Networking Technology*** |
| ***Five-Year Average*** | **62.2%** | 68/109 students entering the program graduated within 150% of stated program |