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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]  
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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

First Name: Kathleen

Last Name: Rousseau

Title: Respiratory Care practitioner

Organization you are affiliated with: El Camino Hospital

City: Mountain View

State: California

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I disagree with the de-regulation of respiratory care practitioners.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Please keep Respiratory Care Practitioners licensed and providing safe care. They play a vital role in the care of critically sick patients and these patients need reassurance that they are qualified and screened properly. Breathing matters, the profession needs the respect along with proper licensure for the critical role these health care workers provide.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree