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

First Name: Rosalinda

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Title: RRT, RCP,

Organization you are affiliated with:

City: Pflugerville

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: The Texas Society for Respiratory Care rigorously opposes the effective de-licensing of RCP's in the state of Texas. We believe it is bad for patients, bad for respiratory education programs, bad for health care facilities, and bad for Texas. De-licensing RCP's will lead to an increase in medical mistakes, malpractice, and increase liability for all concerned.

Ultimately this will lead to an increase in the cost of care. The TSRC urges you to move the regulation of RCP's to the Department of Licensing and Regulation.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: none

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree