

**Board of Nursing** 

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Ms. Laurie Post, Nursing Program Director Blue Mountain Community College 2411 NW Cardin Avenue PO Box 100 Pendleton, OR 97801

Dear Laurie:

On behalf of the members of the Oregon State Board of Nursing, I am providing written confirmation of action taken by the Board at its most recent meeting.

The motion adopted at the June 16, 2016 meeting was:

MSC that the Blue Mountain Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program be approved for up to eight (8) years to April, 2024.

As was mentioned at the Board meeting, the positive changes seen in the program over the last several years were clear. The approval for eight years reflects the maximum time a program can be given between visits which is given only to those programs demonstrating strong compliance with the Division 21 Oregon Administrative Rules,

The recommendations in the survey report are advisory to you and the faculty. "Advisory" means that the recommendations, or alternative means to meet the same standard, are intended to be implemented but do not require any sort of follow-up report to the Board.

Thank you for being present at the Board meeting to respond to questions from Board members and congratulations on a successful survey visit. Please let me know if there are any questions on the final visit summary report which will be sent to you electronically.

Sincerely,

Joy/Ingwersolf, MSN, RN, CNE

Policy Analyst, Nursing Education and Assessment

cc: Camille Preus, College President

Carl Melle, Dean of Career and Technical Education and Community Education