**Foothill College**

**Program Review Committee (PRC)**

**Feedback Spring 2018**

Thank you for your time and effort in completing the Comprehensive Program Review this year. We know it is a lot of work but we hope it has been helpful. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to improve on behalf of our students. The program review process allows others throughout the college to learn about your work and how it supports the college mission, educational master plan, and equity goals.

The Program Review Committee (PRC) recognizes your comprehensive program review was drafted in the Fall of 2017, prior to the College's pivot to a productivity model. Nevertheless, program viability and productivity are closely linked and the PRC did consider this a factor in the overall rating of your program.

The PRC read and discussed each Comprehensive Program Review during a series of meetings in Winter 2018. The committee’s feedback is outlined below. Please note that PRC would be happy to meet with any department or program if there are any questions/concerns.

**DEPARTMENT/PROGRAM:** Dental Hygiene

**COMMENDATIONS & STRENGTHS:**

* PRC commends the department on its excellent course and program success rates, completion rates
* PRC commends the department on its incredible efforts to launch the baccalaureate degree.
* PRC commends the department for its successful implementation of completion degree – will help both enrollment and productivity

**SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT:**

* PRC expressed concern about the low trending productivity and enrollment in the program identified with the program in the program review tool.
* PRC recommends that the department monitor enrollments, and success of Latinx students in its prerequisite courses for the program as there appears to be disproportionate impact.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

**OVERALL** **RATING**: Yellow