

December 12, 2023

Richard Wilks Vice President Respiratory Associates

Subject: Human Trafficking Training Course Renewal

Dear Richard Wilks:

This letter is to notify you that the Respiratory Associates' training course, "Human Trafficking Awareness Training" (the Course), is approved until February 17, 2026, by the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) in accordance with Texas Occupations Code as of December 12, 2023. With this approval, the Course will remain on the Approved Human Trafficking Courses for Health Care Practitioners list.

Each course must comply with all federal accessibility standards, pursuant to Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1 AA.

Training reviews follow a biennial review schedule and all currently approved trainings must be submitted for review again to maintain their approved status.

HHSC reserves the right to remove approved training courses from the approved list to comply with any significant and unforeseen statutory changes or applicable policy revisions. External entities must notify HHSC if

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their approved training is revised or changed at any time, within 5 business days of the change.

For questions or concerns, you may contact the Human Trafficking Resource Center at Human_Trafficking@hhs.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

Texas Human Trafficking Resource Center

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