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TO: Designated Employer Representatives, Classification and Testing Personnel

FROM: Noel Rowe 
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RE: Proposal Notice for Respiratory Care Therapy Series

The State Universities Civil Service System (University System) is proposing a revision to the Respiratory Care Therapy Series classification(s). This proposal will be beneficial in addressing the recruitment, employment, and retention concerns surrounding the staff within this constantly evolving business operation. Our overall objective is to provide an efficient and effective classification system that meets the needs of each employer.

As outlined below, the current classification specification series will transition to those being proposed:

Current Classification Series

Respiratory Care Therapy Technologist
Respiratory Care Therapy Specialist
Respiratory Care Therapy Manager

Proposed Classification Series

Respiratory Care Therapy Technologist
Respiratory Care Therapy Specialist
Respiratory Care Manager

This classification proposal will be reviewed during individually scheduled meetings or conference calls conducted by University System staff. Examination format and effective dates will also be reviewed during these meetings. To allow ample time for all parties to provide initial comments and feedback regarding this proposal, the dates and times for these meetings have yet to be determined. This office will notify you through a Meeting Notice once they have been scheduled.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and feedback. If you have any questions or need additional information, please get in touch with Noel Rowe at (217) 560-6202 or noelr@sucss.illinois.gov.