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Dr. Erlinda J. Martinez  
President, Santa Ana College  
1530 West 17<sup>th</sup> St.  
Santa Ana, CA 92706

Dear Dr. Martinez:

***interface rehab, inc.*** is pleased to write this letter in support of Santa Ana College's proposed baccalaureate degree in Occupational Studies. Santa Ana College continues to host a highly successful Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) Program, accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education. The proposed B.S. degree features more in-depth training and research-based evidence for best practices in the field and will provide a solid foundation for practitioners seeking to transition into graduate-level course work in Occupational Therapy.

***interface rehab, inc.*** is located in Placentia, CA. Approximately 3,000 patients a month receive Occupational Therapy services at ***interface rehab***. ***interface rehab*** provides comprehensive rehabilitation (Physical, Occupational & Speech Therapy) & consultation services on a long term contractual basis to the various medical settings throughout California. ***interface rehab***'s Clinical Instructors supervise your students. ***interface rehab*** welcomes your graduates as Candidates for employment.

In supporting Santa Ana College's proposal, we acknowledge that the baccalaureate degree in Occupational Studies would increase the breadth and depth in all areas of clinical training of OTA Students and COTA staff including:

- Specific clinical practice techniques
- Healthcare ethics
- Cultural competency
- Application of research-based evidence
- Documentation
- Professional growth

***interface rehab, inc.*** will continue to work with Santa Ana College and the current Occupational Therapy Assistant program as well as proposed Occupational Studies baccalaureate degree program.

Sincerely,

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