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Dear Dr. Casteel,

Congratulations! The ACS Committee on Professional Training (CPT) reviewed your department's 2018 periodic report at their recent meeting in Orlando, determined that your department meets all requirements in the ACS guidelines, and voted to continue approval for your program. Your department can continue to provide certificates to its graduates.

Program Strengths:

 Very good professional development opportunities for faculty, including a generous sabbatical program, reduced teaching load for pre-tenure faculty, and funds for faculty travel

The following suggestion was made by reviewers and reflects the best practices of a rigorous chemistry program.

• **Student skills:** The student skills section of your report does not include any assessments activities. Reviewers suggest that you provide this information in the next periodic report.

Your program's next periodic report will be due in June 2025.

Please feel free to contact the staff in the Office of Professional Training if you have any questions at cpt@acs.org or 202-872-4589.

Sincerely,

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