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The Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) conducts site visit at RMUoHP.

On October 19-20, 2009, the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) conducted an on-site visit at Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions (RMUoHP) to assess the university's developing Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program.

Dr. Robert Sellin, PT, DSc, ECS, Director of the Doctor of Physical Therapy program, stated, "The CAPTE site visit was a very positive and constructive meeting and we await the written report summary from CAPTE."

The DPT program is scheduled to start in May of 2010, contingent upon gaining candidacy. The program will be the first residential program for the university, and the second residential Doctor of Physical Therapy program in the state of Utah. Applications are currently being accepted for the inaugural class.

RMUoHP's DPT program is currently in the Applicant for Candidacy phase of accreditation. The Application for Candidacy (AFC) was completed and sent to CAPTE on August 27th of this year. CAPTE pronounced the AFC "bona fide" on September 1, 2009. RMUoHP will find out in January 2010 if it has gained Candidate for Accreditation status.

About Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions:

RMUoHP offers doctoral degrees for current and future healthcare providers and educators, including athletic trainers, physical therapists, nurses, and occupational therapists. RMUoHP is currently developing a residential Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) degree program which is scheduled to start in May 2010.

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