Attachment A:

Bon Secours Essential Technical Standards Student Acknowledgement Form

Nursing is a practice discipline. The professional practice of nursing draws upon the cognitive, motor, sensory, communication, and behavioral abilities that include the knowledge, attitude, and skills necessary to provide quality and safe patient care in all health care settings. Given the nature of the curriculum at Bon Secours Memorial College of Nursing (BSMCON), a student must be prepared to meet the basic requirements of a practicing professional nurse.

Specific essential technical standards are stated in the Essential Technical Standards for the Nursing Student (Policy ACA 1.02). Students must meet and maintain satisfactory demonstration of these standards, with or without reasonable accommodation, to successfully progress through the program.

My signature below confirms the following:

- I have been provided with a copy of the Essential Technical Standards for the Nursing Student (Policy ACA 1.02) and have read and understand its content;
- I possess a functional level of ability to perform all of the Essential Technical Standards with or without reasonable accommodations;
- Furthermore, I understand that failure to perform <u>all</u> the Essential Technical Standards will result in a review of my progression in the Nursing Program/Course(s) and will result in an action plan as determined by the Nursing Faculty; or could result in immediate dismissal from the Nursing Program/ Course(s) as determined by the Nursing Faculty, Program Chair and Associate Dean, and appropriate College Administrator representatives.

I understand that this signed acknowledgement will be placed in my student file and that I am to retain the student copy for my personal files.

Student Name:		
	Please Print	
Student ID:		
Student Signature:		Date:

Official COPY - to be retained in student file