

Policy Name: Children & Pets in the Academic Setting  
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- I. Policy  
Children & Pets in the Academic Setting
  
- II. Purpose  
To provide guidance around the presence of children and pets in facilities owned or controlled by Bon Secours Memorial College of Nursing (BSMCON).

- III. Scope  
This policy applies to all BSMCON students, associates, and guests.

- IV. Definitions  
None

- V. Policy Details  

The College is an institution of higher learning and as such, the environment is not always well suited for children or pets. Children are permitted on College facilities for social events and brief visits. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times and the adult must be mindful of any distractions this may cause others while at the College. Children are not permitted to be in the classroom or practicum setting. Pets, with the exception of documented service animals, are not permitted in any College facility.

- VI. Attachments  
None

- VII. Related Policies  
None

VIII. Disclaimers

- a. Nothing in this policy creates a contractual relationship between Bon Secours Memorial College of Nursing (BSMCON) and any party. BSMCON, in its sole discretions, reserves the right to amend, terminate or discontinue this policy at any time, with or without advance notice.

IX. Version Control

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