



Title: Nursing Progression	Policy No.: NUR 2.02	Date: 6/9/08 Rev.: 7/6/11, 8/1/12, 8/1/13, 7/15, 8/1/15, 8/1/16, 8/1/17
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Policy Statement

The purpose of the Nursing Progression policy is to provide guidelines for progression in and time limit for the nursing curricula.

Academic

Students must meet all requirements outlined in each course syllabus and achieve a passing grade (defined as a C or better or Pass) in non-nursing and nursing courses to meet curricular requirements. A grade of less than C (defined as D, F or WU) in any course does not meet curricular requirements.

The following circumstances will result in dismissal from the program:

- Three course failures (grade D, F, or WU) in nursing and/or pathopharmacology courses.
- Two course failures (grade D, F, or WU) of the same nursing or pathopharmacology course.
- Failure to maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above (per ADM 2.06)

Curriculum Plan

All students must adhere to the guidelines in the policy NUR 3.02: Curriculum Planning.

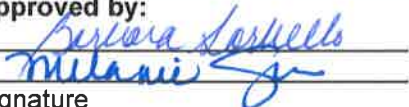
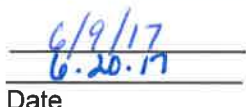
Essential Technical Standards

Students must meet Essential Technical Standards upon enrollment in the Nursing program, and must continue to meet those standards for the duration of their enrollment. Failure to meet Essential Technical Standards will result in a review of a student's progression in the Nursing Program/Course(s) and will result in an action plan, with actions up to and including dismissal, as determined by the appropriate Nursing/College personnel.

Time Limit

- **Pre-licensure BSN Track :** The normal time (for a full-time student) to complete the pre-licensure BSN track is 6 semesters upon registration in the first nursing course (NUR 1100/1101). Students must complete all nursing courses within 6 years upon registration in the first nursing course (NUR 1100/1101) in the program track.
- **RN-BSN (post-licensure) Track:** The normal time (for a full-time student) to complete the post-licensure BSN track is 4 semesters upon registration in the first nursing course (NUR

Reference Policy #NUR 3.01; NUR 3.02

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3204/3208). Students must complete all nursing course work within 4 years upon registration in the first nursing course (NUR 3204/3208) in the program track.

Normal time as defined above excludes summer semesters. This applies to both pre-licensure and post-licensure nursing tracks.