



Title: Grading System Policy No.: NUR 2.03 Date: 6/24/08 Rev.: 8/1/12, 8/1/15, 8/1/17

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**Policy Statement**

**Prelicensure and Postlicensure Tracks**

Evaluation is a shared responsibility between student and instructor, including self-evaluation, formative, and summative evaluations. Each course syllabus contains the course requirements and the criteria for determining the theory and/or clinical performance grades. Class (theory) grades are earned according to a letter system. Each letter is assigned a grade point value as follows that designates the quality of work done. Final grades are truncated. For example: 79.4 = 79; 79.5 = 79; 79.9 = 79.

Letter Grade	Numerical Equivalent	Grade point Interpretation	Quality Points per Credit Hour
<b>Prelicensure and Postlicensure Tracks</b>			
A	94-100	Excellent	4
B+	91-93		3.5
B	87-90	Above average	3
C+	84-86		2.5
C	80-83	Average	2
D+	77-79		1.5
D	73-76	Unsatisfactory	1
F	0-72	Failure	0
I*		Incomplete	Not used in GPA
P*		Passing, credit awarded, no effect on GPA	Not used in GPA
W*		Withdrawal	Not used in GPA
WA*		Administrative Withdrawal	Not used in GPA
WS*		Withdrawal-Satisfactory Progress	Not used in GPA
WU*		Withdrawal-Unsatisfactory Progress	Not used in GPA
AU*		Audit (No credit)	Not used in GPA
MG		Missing Grade	Not used in GPA

\* Not tabulated in grade point average

A student who receives less than a "C" or "fails" in any course must repeat the course to meet curriculum requirements. A nursing or pathopharmacology course may be repeated only once.

Reference Policy # ADM 2.02

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A student's GPA is an index of scholastic performance and is computed on the ratio of quality points earned to semester hours attempted. The GPA is determined as outlined in policy ADM 2.02 College Grading System.

Review and revision of this policy is conducted in collaboration with the Registrar and the ADM 2.02 College Grading System policy.