



Manual: Admissions
 Policy Procedure

Section: Admissions Number: 001.6
Title: Admission of "Transitional" Students to Nursing Program.

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I. Purpose: As part of revisions in the merit-based screening tool for acceptance of students into the program, Nursing is providing an avenue of acceptance for students that miss the cut score (47) and are within ten (10) points. Identified as transitional students, they will be considered for this process of admission in the event there are vacancies for the semester cohort.

II. Application: Students who apply for the ADN program, that do not make the cut score of forty-seven (47), and are within ten (10) points of the cut score (37), will be considered for acceptance on a case by case basis. The acceptance of transitional students will not be made public. Nursing faculty, staff, and Counselors can provide information to students of this process to encourage them to meet with the Director of Nursing for consideration.

III. Policy: The Department of Nursing will provide the opportunity for students to enter the nursing program on a case by case basis. Students with a cut score of 37 through 47 will be considered for acceptance after meeting with the Director of Nursing. Director will review grades, repeats, and other factors. Students that are accepted as transitional students, will meet with the Director of Nursing every semester to discuss remediation needs or referrals, if needed. The maximum number of transitional students accepted will be no more than five (5) per semester cohort. Admission of transitional students will be at the discretion of the Director of Nursing and/or his/her designee.

TRANSITIONAL STUDENT DOCUMENTATION FORM

Student Name: _____ Semester of Admission: _____

Initial Meeting with DON or Designee: _____

1st year Comments on documentation for student admittance: _____ Cut Score Received: _____

Student factors for not meeting cut score:

- Grades
- Repeats
- TEAS V; Non-qualifying score
- Other:

Student factors for approval of admittance.

1 st Semester Mtg. Dates	Comments on Progression	Referral/Remediation

Additional Comments:

2 nd Semester Mtg. Dates	Comments on Progression	Referral/Remediation

Additional Comments:

TRANSITIONAL STUDENT DOCUMENTATION FORM

Student Name: _____ **Semester of Admission:** _____

Initial Meeting with DON or Designee: _____

2nd year Comments for successful progression (recommendations, etc.):

3rd Semester Mtg. Dates	Comments on Progression	Referral/Remediation

Additional Comments:

4th Semester Mtg. Dates	Comments on Progression	Referral/Remediation

Additional Comments: