

Official BYU-Idaho Policy

Policy Name: NURS – Program Progression for Pre-licensure BSN

APPROVED DATE*

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APPLICABILITY

RELATED UNIVERSITY POLICIES / PROCEDURES

(If applicable)

RELATED FORMS OR INFORMATION

(If applicable)

LEGAL/REGULATION REF

(If applicable)

STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTED

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PAST APPROVED DATES

April 2024

DISPLAY*

Employees and Students

CHANGE HISTORY*

Change made to #6 a & b to align with student handbook and to define the terms of dismissal from the program.

STATEMENT OF POLICY* This policy exists to describe the process of progression through the BSN program

BACKGROUND (If applicable)

DEFINITIONS (If applicable)

PROCEDURES (If applicable)

Subject: Program Progression for Pre-licensure BSN

1. Successful progression in the BYU-Idaho pre-licensure Nursing Program occurs after successful completion of all prerequisite courses.
2. Students must pass all courses within each semester to remain with their original cohort.
3. Theory and clinical courses are sequential. Failure to successfully complete any component (theory, lab/simulation and clinical) in the course of study results in modified progression. Modified progression means the student cannot progress with the current cohort but must halt progression and repeat and/or pass the entire course that was not passed before progressing to the next course.
4. Modified progression results in an individualized remediation plan that is developed by the student in collaboration with the course lead and Department Chair.
 - a. Students must successfully complete all requirements put forth in the remediation plan in order to be **eligible** for placement in a subsequent cohort when **space becomes available**.
 - b. In some cases, students may be allowed to continue with other non-clinical nursing courses while engaging in remediation and awaiting cohort placement.
5. Modified progression ends when **space becomes available** in a future cohort and the student is eligible to join the new cohort .
6. Modified Progression is limited based on the reason for occurrence:
 - a. **Allowed for onsite clinical issues**
 - i. Two (2) onsite clinical statements of concern pertaining to the same issue/behavior or one serious safety violation will be grounds for dismissal or any student that fails more than 1 nursing course, this does include clinical courses, will be dismissed from the program.

- b. Allowed for didactic issues**
 - i.** Students must pass all nursing classes in the semester to progress to the next semester. Any student that fails more than 1 nursing course will be dismissed from the program.
- 7. Academic dismissal from the nursing program, with no opportunity to reapply results when modified progression opportunities have been exhausted.
- 8. A full refund of tuition and fees may not be available should a student be dismissed from the program.

Readmission to Nursing Programs

Nursing students who are dismissed from the program for Professional, Integrity, and Safety issues are not eligible for readmission.

Withdrawal from the Program

If a student finds it necessary to withdraw from the University during any semester, the student should notify their faculty advisor, who will assist the student in submitting the withdrawal information sheet. Failure to follow this protocol may jeopardize eligibility to possible readmission to the Program