PAS Program Student Clinical Year Corrective Intervention and Remediation Policy and Procedure

Students identified by the PAS program as having deficiencies in knowledge and/or skills during the clinical year of the program may be offered corrective intervention and/or remediation.

- 1. Students who receive below 80.00% average score for a *competency section* of the Preceptor Evaluation of the Student are required to complete corrective intervention. Corrective intervention is done individually according to the nature of the deficiency. Remediation may include additional assignments or additional clinical time. This may delay program completion.
- 2. Students who do not successfully complete all the skills on the *Preceptor Skills Checklist* are required to complete corrective intervention. Corrective intervention is done individually according to the nature of the deficiency. This may delay program completion.
- 3. Students who do not successfully complete a clinical year assignment during the clinical year are required to complete corrective intervention. Corrective intervention is done on an individual basis, and the student is required to complete the assignment at a satisfactory level before program completion. This may delay program completion.
- 4. Students who fail a clinical rotation may be given the opportunity to remediate the rotation by means of an independent study. Remediation may be actual clinical time or independent study, depending on the nature of the deficiency. Independent study may include assignments such as topic readings, outlines, and quizzes. This may delay program completion.
 - a. Students who fail a clinical rotation due to the preceptor evaluation score will be allowed ONE opportunity to remediate for up to TWO clinical rotations.
 - b. Students who fail more than TWO clinical rotations due to the preceptor evaluation score will be dismissed from the program.
 - c. Students who fail a clinical rotation because they do not pass the retest for an endof-rotation exam or do not qualify for retesting (as outlined in PAS Program Student Clinical Year Retesting Policy and Procedure) will be given ONE opportunity to remediate each clinical rotation.
 - d. Students who fail a clinical rotation will undergo academic review as outlined in the PAS Program Student Policy for Academic Review.
- 5. Students who do not achieve minimum academic standards for a clinical course (PAS 610, 620, 630) may be given the opportunity to remediate, depending on the reasons for the course failure. Decisions regarding the availability of a remediation plan will be determined on a case-by-case basis review as outlined in the PAS Program Student Policy for Academic Review.
- 6. Students who do not achieve minimum academic standards on one or more summative assessments will be required to complete corrective intervention as outlined in the respective course syllabus. All students will be required to demonstrate competency on all summative assessments prior to program completion. This may delay program completion.
- 7. Grades for corrective interventions and remediation efforts during the clinical year will be assigned as outlined in the course syllabi for Clinical Rotations I-III (PAS 610, 620, 630) and independent study courses (PAS 699), as applicable.

Definitions:

Corrective intervention: An intervention that allows students a second opportunity to demonstrate competency on a performance assessment, skills testing, assignment, etc. Interventions may include but are not limited to self-reflection, video review, situational questions, performance/demonstration of skill(s), and assignments. Students do not need to register for a separate course to complete corrective interventions.

Deceleration: Deceleration is a temporary stoppage of the program. In this instance, the student stops the program, withdraws from all courses, and returns with the next cohort of students the following year to re-take the course(s). The student is required to register for all course(s) failed. The program may decide to require the student to audit select PAS courses at the same time.

Independent Study: Independent study provides students with an opportunity to remediate coursework and demonstrate an understanding of course material that was not successfully completed during the prior semester. Independent study will be completed in the subsequent semester. Students are required to register for an independent study course (PAS 699, credit load depending on credit load of course failed) and take the course in addition to the other courses scheduled for that particular semester. Refer to the PAS Program Didactic Student Corrective Intervention and Remediation Policy and Procedure and the PAS Program Student Clinical Student Corrective Intervention and Remediation Policy and Procedure for further details.

Remediation: Students who do not meet the academic requirements in a course or clinical rotation MAY be given one (1) opportunity to do remedial work to meet the academic requirements. Remediation for a course failure will constitute either an independent study course in the subsequent semester or deceleration (see definitions below). Remediation for a clinical rotation failure will involve actual clinical time and/or independent study following the completion of the clinical year. Students are required to register for an independent study or PAS course. Refer to the PAS Program Student Didactic Corrective Intervention and Remediation Policy and Procedure, PAS Program Student Clinical Corrective Intervention and Remediation Policy and Procedure, and the PAS Program Student Policy and Procedure for Clinical Summative Examinations for further details.

Retest: Students who do not meet the academic requirements for a written examination in a PAS course MAY be given the opportunity to retest to demonstrate they have learned the required material. A retest is a written examination given to students who did not demonstrate competency on the initial examination(s). A retest is given during the same academic semester the original examination was given and does not require a student to register for additional coursework. Refer to the PAS Program Student Didactic Retest Policy and Procedure and PAS Program Student Clinical Year Retest Policy and Procedure for further details.