

OFFICIAL PROTOCOL

REQUIREMENTS FOR REINSTATEMENT

Following dismissal from the professional degree program a student may petition the Academic Standards and Readmissions Committee for readmission. The petition should be addressed, in writing, to the Associate Dean for Academic Programs. The Associate Dean for Academic Programs and the Chair of the Academic Standards and Readmissions Committee will serve as a preview panel to review the petition and determine if (i) the petition should be forwarded directly to the Academic Standards and Readmissions Committee for review/recommendation to the Dean, or directly to the Dean with a recommendation that the petition not be considered further, (ii) additional information is needed from the dismissed student, or (iii) if review and input is needed from others (e.g., Student Board of Ethical Behavior, Disability Support Services, psychological or psychiatric professionals, the Office of Affirmative Action, and others deemed appropriate by the preview panel).

If additional information from the student or review/input from others is requested, the preview panel will review the information received and determine if (I) the petition should be forwarded to the Academic Standards and Readmissions Committee for review/recommendation to the Dean, (II) Recommend to the Dean that a readmission decision be made by him/her based on input from qualified professionals, or (III) recommend directly to the Dean that the petition not be considered further. Based on recommendations received from either the Committee or the preview panel, the Dean may or may not readmit a student who has petitioned for readmission. The Dean's decision will be final within the University. Any student readmitted must retake all courses from the previous semester or clinical rotation in which a "D", "F", or "NC" was earned and satisfactorily complete any other recommendations made by the Academic Standards and Readmissions Committee that are approved by the Dean.