## Admitting Undergraduate Students with Previous GPA

## Below Minimum Requirement (UAS policy)

If a student submits an old Grade Waiver Form a letter and appeals to the Undergraduate Academic Standards Committee requesting waiving of the minimum admission GPA <u>because their current GPA reflects poor grades earned at some earlier time in their academic</u> <u>career</u> the committee shall consider recommending a waiver of the GPA if:

- 1. The student earned the lower grades **five or more years** before the year of application to the College of Nursing.
- 2. The student has substantial credit hours (more than 23 credits) earned from five years before which will make it difficult to raise the overall GPA without taking more than a semester's worth of courses not required for graduation.
- 3. The student has earned sufficient credit hours in previous work that Academic "Fresh Start" will result in loss of a significant (more than 12 credits) worth of course credit toward graduation.
- 4. The student has earned a semester GPA of at least 12 credits which reflects the College of Nursing minimum within the last year.
- 5. The student has met all other requirements for admission to the College of Nursing.

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