MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY-BOZEMAN
COLLEGE OF NURSING

POLICY # B-1

TITLE: ACCEPTABLE PERFORMANCE IN REQUIRED UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

POLICY: All required courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. A grade of C- or lower is not an acceptable performance level in required or prerequisite courses.

Prerequisite courses for any nursing course must be passed with a grade of C or higher before taking the nursing course for which the prerequisite course is required.

No course (or its equivalent) may be repeated more than once to achieve a grade of C or higher, regardless of where taken.

*Plus (+) and Minus (-) grades are not used in the College of Nursing.*

RATIONALE: Since all required courses are important to achieve objectives of the program, a standard minimum performance level is essential for all courses required in the undergraduate nursing curriculum.

Approved by:

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