POLICY TITLE: ACADEMIC JEOPARDY NOTIFICATION

The University and Andy and Barbara Gessner College of Nursing maintain high academic standards. Students are expected to meet these standards in all courses attempted. The Jeopardy Letter is a mechanism to alert students earning a non-passing score on major assignments,

clinical/simulation/laboratory performance, or exams, and at midterm of academic jeopardy, Jeopardy Letters are a courtesy to students.

Students are expected to know:

- 1. Grades earned on all assignments and examinations.
- 2. Each grade that is below 75% in the undergraduate program or below 80% in the graduate program is considered unsatisfactory;
- 3. Each unsatisfactory grade calls for documented remedial action;
- Academic jeopardy notification may be issued from the Gessner College of Nursing and/or the university; copy will be sent to the student's UH email with receipt requested and through US Postal Service to mailing address listed in myUH portal;
- 5. The failure of the Gessner College of Nursing to issue a Jeopardy Letter or the failure of a student to receive a Jeopardy Letter does not affect the validity of the grade assigned or the need for corrective action;
- 6. A final course grade below 75% in the undergraduate program or below 80% in a graduate course constitutes failure of the course, and;
- 7. Any class, lab, simulation, or clinical absence may result in academic failure.

Students earning a midterm grade (i.e. exam average for didactic courses and weighted course average) less than 75% in the undergraduate program, less than 80% in the graduate program and/or absence may receive a Jeopardy Letter from the Gessner College of Nursing and/or the university. The written notice will include the action the student should take as a result of the grade or non-attendance. It is the responsibility of the student to follow through with the suggested action(s). A copy of the Jeopardy Letter will be placed in the student's academic file.

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