

Program Specific Progression Rules

The following Programs have program-specific Progression Rules, approved by Academic Senate under clause 20 of the Progression Policy.

Undergraduate Preparation Program

- (1) A student's academic standing in a Foundation Studies or Undergraduate Preparation Program (UPP) is assessed at the end of the term based on the criteria outlined in this clause only:
 - a. A student who has achieved a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 5.0 or higher in the Program will be placed on Good Standing.
 - b. A student who has achieved a Grade Point Average (GPA) of less than 5.0 in the Program will be placed on At Risk for the first term of study, and if the GPA does not return to at minimum of 5.0 in the subsequent term, the student will be required to Show Cause as to why they should not be Excluded.
 - c. A student will be placed on At Risk where they have failed a non-elective subject (or its equivalent) for their program for the first term of study, followed by Exclusion if the same subject is failed again and required to Show Cause as to why they should not be Excluded.
 - d. A student will be Excluded from the University if they reach the maximum study time of 2 years in the program.

Professional Entry Medical Programs

- (2) A student's academic standing in Professional Entry Medical Programs are assessed on the criteria outlined in this clause only:
 - a. In Years 1 - 4 of the Professional Entry Medical Program, the subject of study in each year must be successfully completed before a student is able to progress to the next year
 - b. In Year 5 of the Professional Entry Medical Program, the core subject in the first half year term must be successfully completed before progression, and
 - c. In Year 5 of the Professional Entry Medical Program, the core subject in the second half year term must be successfully completed before graduation
- (3) The outcome of a progression check for Professional Entry Medical Programs may be:
 - a. For failing to successfully complete a subject in each of years 1 - 4:
 - i. Students who fail a subject in any one year will be clearly advised that they are At Risk of Exclusion and will be required to repeat the failed subject in their next year of study.
 - b. For Years 1 - 5:
 - ii. Students who fail the same subject after two attempts will be required to Show Cause as to why they should not be Excluded from this program for unsatisfactory progression
 - iii. In Year 5, students who fail the assessment at the end of the core subject in the first half year term will be required to undertake a specified alternate subject.
- (4) A student who is Excluded from a Professional Entry Medical Program for unsatisfactory progression may transfer to another program at the University under the Program Transfer Policy.
- (5) The maximum length of enrolment for the Professional Entry Medical Program is eight consecutive calendar years, recognising that those programs are not available in part-time mode. A student will be excluded from

the Professional Entry Medical Program if they are unable to complete the program within the maximum time allowed for their program.

- (6) Periods of approved Leave of Absence are counted in the calculation of maximum time for the Professional Entry Medical Programs.

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