

Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy

Scope

Applies to all Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences students, faculty and employees when determining satisfactory academic progress and graduation requirements.

Purpose

To establish standards for monitoring students' academic progress through their educational program at Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences (MCSHS).

Policy

- MCSHS requires that all students maintain good academic standing while they are enrolled. Three components are measured when determining “good academic standing”.
 - Qualitative Measure
 - All students must achieve and maintain a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.
 - Quantitative Measure
 - All students must complete a minimum of 66.67% of their attempted courses.
 - Time to completion
 - Students must complete their educational program within 150% of the published length of their program.
- The above measures are minimum standards. Students must meet all three of the above measures to be considered in good standing.
 - MCSHS documents the minimum standards at the end of each enrollment period.
 - Students who fail to meet the minimum standards will be subject to the [Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science Warning, Probation, Dismissal, and Appeal Policy](#).

Policy Notes

Because of the unique clinical nature and the high degree of patient interaction at MCSHS, most academic programs have academic progress requirements that are significantly more restrictive than this school policy. Please consult with the individual educational program for more details.

Related Procedures

[Warning, Probation, Dismissal, and Appeal Procedure](#)

Related Documents

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Definitions

N/A

References

N/A

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