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STUDENT ATTESTATION OF UNDERSTANDING

I have reviewed the Pace University-Lenox Hill Hospital Physician Assistant Student Program Policy and Procedure Handbook. I have read the policies and procedures concerning the Physician Assistant Program. I understand my obligation to fulfill all requirements of the Program in the outlined time frame. I fully understand the information, have had an opportunity to have any questions answered and hereby agree to abide by the information concerning Physician Assistant Program policies and procedures contained within these documents, specifically the progression standards, as listed below.

Additionally, I agree to abide by the University rules and regulations as set forth in the <u>University</u> <u>Graduate Catalog</u> and <u>Student Handbook</u>.

> Grade Point Progression Standards for the Pace University-Lenox Hill Hospital Physician Assistant Program

Progression and continuance in the Pace University-Lenox Hill Hospital Physician Assistant Program is not only based upon scholastic achievement. It is also, necessarily, based on the qualities described in the *Standards of Professional Conduct for the Physician Assistant Student and Academic Integrity*.

PROGRESSION STANDARDS

- 1. Students are required to maintain a cumulative QPA of 3.0 or higher to continue and/or graduate from the PA program.
- 2. Students must obtain a minimum grade of "B-" (80%) in **all** PAS letter graded courses and a "P" in all PAS pass/fail graded courses.
- 3. Students must adhere to the Standards of Professional Conduct for the Physician Assistant Student. Please refer to the sections entitled *Standards of Professional Conduct for the Physician Assistant Student and Academic Integrity* of this handbook.

Students who fail to achieve a cumulative QPA and cumulative science QPA of 3.0, a grade of "B-" in letter graded PAS courses or "P" in pass/fail graded PAS course may present his/her case before the Academic Appeals Committee. Please refer to the *Standards of Professional Conduct and Academic Integrity Compliance Policy, Probation, Dismissal and Appeals*_sections of this handbook for further information.

Student Name (PRINT)

Student Signature

Date