Participation in Doctor of Nursing Practice Intensives Policy

PURPOSE: The purpose of the policy is to describe participation requirements for Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) Program Intensives.

REVIEW: All policies in the Graduate Program Manual shall be reviewed by the Graduate Program Associate Dean/Department Chairs by December 1 of even-numbered years in collaboration with the Graduate Program Council. Final approval of the Graduate Program Manual is by the Dean.

POLICY/PROCEDURE

1.0 Policy
   1.1 DNP Intensives provide essential content from each course in an interactive format.
   1.2 DNP Intensives are usually held two times per semester, throughout the DNP program.
   1.3 DNP Intensives are held at the TTUHSC campus in Lubbock or Dallas or may be hosted by an agency or facility in another city in Texas.
   1.4 Dates for DNP Intensives are announced in advance and may be subject to change.
   1.5 DNP students are required to attend all Intensives and to stay for the entire duration of each Intensive. Missing any part of an intensive constitutes an absence.

2.0 Procedure
   2.1 Students will refer to the syllabus for absences from a course Intensive.
   2.2 Students should notify faculty at least 48 hours in advance, when possible if they will be absent for part or all of an Intensive.
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   2.4 Students enrolled in the DNP program who miss part or all of two Intensives will be placed on academic probation for one semester.
   2.5 Students who miss additional Intensives will be considered as grounds for dismissal from the program.

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