

HEALTH SCIENCES FIELD-EXPERIENCE STUDENT CONDUCT AGREEMENT

I understand that:

- Professional conduct is expected in all regards, at all times.
 - o GSW codes of conduct apply to interning students.
 - o Facility codes of conduct, ethics, etcetera apply to interning students.
 - o Appropriate attire is determined by the facility and its supervisors.
 - o Interns are representing the School of Health Sciences; considerate, polite, responsible, reliable, ethical, and in all other ways professional conduct is expected.
 - o Interns are expected to be highly responsive to supervisor feedback and instruction.
- Observation of appropriate HIPAA guidelines is expected at all times.
- Scope-of-practice is determined by the on-site supervisor.
 - o Regardless of the student's perceived, actual, or even licensed competency in any particular patient- or client-facing task, when serving in the role of an intern a task should only be considered within practice scope if the supervisor considers it to be so.

I understand that:

- Failure to adhere to the above may result in grade penalties, as a result of deductions by on-site supervisors in their evaluations or as a result of penalties imposed by the GSW faculty supervisor, or both. This may include failure of the course.
- Failure to adhere to the above may result in termination of an internship.
 - o Facilities have the right to expect students to adhere to the above conduct expectations, as well as any other site-specific expectations. It is within a facility's rights to terminate a student's internship if the student's behavior does not meet expectations.
 - o GSW Faculty supervisors may terminate an internship if their correspondence with the on-site supervisors or with the student themselves indicates that the student's behavior is unprofessional.
 - o Internships terminated for cause will not be redirected to another facility unless an exception is approved by both the GSW faculty supervisor and the Health Sciences associate dean. If redirection to another facility is either not granted or not successful, the student will be evaluated based on the work completed, which may result in failure of the course.

I understand that:

- Students will be permitted to continue in the program after one field-experience course is failed with conduct-related reasons contributing to the failing grade. However, a second conduct-related field-experience failure will result in dismissal from the program.
- Once a conduct-related penalty has occurred in a field-experience course, a Professional Improvement Plan may be implemented in any or all subsequent field-experience courses, irrespective of whether the original penalty or penalties led to course failure.

I understand and agree to all of the above in relation to practicum and internship courses, signed

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