Policy Title: Transfer of Credit

A student may request transfer of graduate course credits earned at other universities for application toward The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston School of Nursing DNP degree program. Regulations for transfer of credits are as follows:

1. The course must clearly relate to the student’s approved program of study and match course content.

2. A total of nine (9) semester hours taken prior to admission may be eligible for transfer from accredited institutions outside The University of Texas System. The student may transfer an unlimited number of credits from within The University of Texas System. However, the student must complete a minimum of 25 semester credits in residency at the UT-Houston School of Nursing for completion of the degree. After the student is enrolled in the program, eligibility will be assessed.

3. Substitution for a required course in The University of Texas-Houston Health Science Center School of Nursing’s graduate programs must be approved by the student’s faculty advisor and Coordinator of the DNP Program.

4. A course grade of “A” or “B” must have been earned to be eligible for transfer into the DNP program.

5. The course may not be transferred if it was used to apply to another completed degree program.

6. All courses must be graduate level courses for eligibility for transfer.

7. The course must have been completed within the last five (5) years from enrollment into the DNP program.