

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK AND DRUG SCREENING

All students in the Davenport University College of Health Professions (the "COHP") are required to submit to criminal background check and drug screening (collectively, the "Testing". HLTH 101M or HLTH101R should be scheduled during the students first semester after declaring a health program.) The results of the Testing (the "Results"), which shall remain confidential, shall be used by the COHP to approve or disapprove of a Student for enrollment or continued enrollment in the COHP, and/or eligibility for training programs, clinical or practicum. The Testing shall be completed by registering for the appropriate course and completing the entire testing process in the course. Each student is responsible for acknowledging and explaining positive Result(s) after completing the process. A student will be dismissed from the COHP if he or she refuses to consent to the Testing. The cost of the Testing is the part of the course fee and is the responsibility of the student.

Each student in the COHP is required to sign a consent form (the "Consent") prior to the Testing. The Consent permits Davenport University to access the Results and to provide the Results to any hospital, facility or other healthcare agency partnering with the COHP as a part of the fulfillment of such student's education or training requirements, or assessment of such student's qualifications for a clinical or practicum. Pursuant to the terms of the Consent, all students in the COHP are under the obligation to report to the COHP any arrest or conviction of the student after the date of the Consent. Failure to report such an arrest or conviction may result in dismissal of the student from the COHP program, denial of clinical or practicum placement, and/or the denial of a degree from the COHP.

Students may be required to repeat the Testing, at the students' expense, to participate in certain training programs, clinical or practicum, depending on the requirements of an Agency where such student may be placed or when the student is considered a "re entry" student as defined by the current Davenport University Undergraduate Catalog. Students should be aware that applicable laws also mandate further criminal background checks requested by Agencies for individuals working with certain patient populations.

Before a student participates in each training program, clinical or practicum with an Agency regulated by such state and federal laws, the student will be required to sign and deliver to the Associate Department Chair or designated faculty member a Clinical Student Disclosure Statement, submit to repeat Testing or be fingerprinted.

Each student needs to be aware that drug use, a criminal history or a finding of disqualifying status or conduct can make a student ineligible for (1) enrollment or continued enrollment in the COHP, (2) placement with an Agency for training programs, clinical components or rotations, and/or (3) licensure, certification or registration with state, or federal government programs and/or national certifying organizations. Davenport University and the COHP do not review or determine whether a student is subject to a finding of a disqualifying status or conduct or otherwise make any judgments that are the responsibility of licensing or credentialing organizations. The COHP's acceptance of any student with drug use or a criminal history does not ensure

that such student will be acceptable for placement with any Agency, will be able to satisfy the graduation requirements of the COHP program, or will be eligible for licensure, certification or registration with state or federal programs or national credentialing organizations.