



UNIVERSITY of SAINT FRANCIS

To: Students applying to the School of Health Sciences (SOHS) at the University of Saint Francis

Congratulations on your acceptance to the University of Saint Francis. There are additional requirements to be fully accepted into the Health Science program of your choice. All students applying to a major in the SOHS are required to review and fulfill certain technical standards and clinical requirements to assess eligibility for acceptance to clinical rotations.

The University of Saint Francis has identified technical standards critical to the success of students in health sciences programs. These standards are designed not to be exclusionary, but to establish performance expectations that will enable students to provide safe patient practice with or without accommodations. These standards include Observation; Communication; Intellectual, Conceptual, Integrative and Quantitative Abilities; Motor Skills; Behavioral and Social Attributes; Tests and Evaluations; and Clinical Assessment.

Clinical Requirements include a criminal background check, a driving history, and a drug screen. Evidence of positive drug screens, any DUI, driving violations or penalties, crimes such as battery or assault, theft or embezzlement, and drug or other substance abuse-related crimes may make you ineligible to participate in clinical experiences and therefore ineligible to be admitted to a health sciences program.

You will be required to complete a technical standards and clinical requirement form before full acceptance to a SOHS program is granted. More information will be made available to you from the SOHS program to which you are applying.