University of Windsor Senate

*5.6.1: Nursing Undergraduate Admissions Requirements

Item for: Approval

Forwarded by: Academic Policy Committee

MOTION: That the following changes to Nursing's admission requirements be approved:

Admission by Transfer

Please refer to the University of Windsor Undergraduate Calendar "Admission Requirements for Transfer Students"

Applications for transfer to Nursing are subject to a March 1 deadline for Fall Admission. Transfer is based on academic achievement and the availability of space, and a minimum 67% 75% cumulative average is required in order to be considered for a transfer to Nursing. In addition all Nursing applicants are required to submit the Applicant Profile form no later than March 1. It must be submitted directly to the University of Windsor, Office of the Registrar, Windsor, Ontario, N9B 3P4.

Rationale:

- There is a large pool of applicants for very few available spots. Increasing the admission average, allows Nursing to be very selective in terms of the academic qualifications of the students admitted to the program.
- Nursing feels that posting a required average of 67% is misleading to potential applicants when, in actuality, these students are not considered for admission given the large pool of applicants. Eliminating them from the applicant pool saves the applicant and the University time and money.