



# National University of Health Sciences General Policies


Title: **Letter Grade Equivalents**

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## POLICY STATEMENT

National University of Health Sciences (NUHS) letter grades for transcriptional use is as follows:

- A. The grade of A indicates achievement of distinction. It is earned by those students who demonstrate exceptional interest in and mastery of the subject matter, who display initiative and creativity as well as superior insight in analyzing and synthesizing subject matter, and who manifest exceptional ability in integrating and applying this knowledge.
- B. The grade of B connotes evidence of intelligent fulfillment of course requirements. It is earned by those students who demonstrate marked ability to communicate and apply more than merely the basic elements of the course, whose initiative reveals unusual ability to generalize about course material, and who display a marked degree of independence.
- C. The grade of C indicates satisfactory grasp of course content. It is earned by those students who can apply and express basic concepts intelligibly, and who have shown no measurable deficiency in meeting requirements of the course work.
- D. The grade of D indicates only passable achievement in course work and indicates areas in basic course content where the student is deficient. It is earned by those students who have fulfilled no more than the minimum requirements of the course, thus making a failing grade unwarranted.
- E. The grade of F indicates deficiency in elements of the course to an extent that completely impairs the student's understanding of the course content.