1) **Purpose**
Academic performance of each graduate student matriculated in the Pharmaceutical Sciences Graduate Program is evaluated at the end of each semester. This Policy summarizes administrative actions implemented in situations where non-compliance with minimum academic performance standards is discovered.

2) **Academic Warning, Probation, and Dismissal**
- A student earning a semester GPA of less than 3.0 but maintaining an overall GPA of 3.0 or better will receive a letter of warning. Similarly, students receiving an “I”, “U”, “UP”, or “NP” grade will receive a letter of warning that clearly states expectations and timeline to arrive at satisfactory performance. Students who fail to comply with these expectations shall be placed on academic probation or may be subject to dismissal.

- A student having an overall GPA of less than 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. Failure to remove him/herself from academic probation by raising the overall GPA to a 3.0 or better within three (3) subsequent semesters, excluding summer, may result in dismissal. While on academic probation, a semester GPA of at least 3.0 must be maintained or the student may be subject to dismissal.

- Any student receiving a failing grade “F” in any course may be subject to dismissal from the program.

- Any student who exceeds ten (10) credit hours of “C” grade may be subject to dismissal from the program.

- Any student who fails to maintain University graduate student status for two (2) consecutive years may be subject to dismissal from the program.

- Any student who fails to demonstrate adequate progress towards the intended degree may be subject to dismissal from the program.