POLICY

The SON adheres to the Texas Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations regarding protection of the public from unsafe practice. According to the BON Rules and Regulations, http://www.bon.texas.gov, a student who does not take the RN licensing exam (NCLEX) within four years of graduation from the nursing program must completely repeat the curriculum of study.

PROCEDURE

A student who graduates and does not sit for NCLEX within four years must apply for re-entry in the nursing program through the admission process.

If space is available and the student meets admission criteria and is in the top ranking, the student may be admitted to the nursing program.

Once admitted into the nursing program, the student must complete the curriculum of the nursing program in its entirety.