Healthcare Provider BLS Certification for Faculty and Students Policy 1.13

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All students, applicable to all programs, and faculty will show proof of current American Heart Association Health Care Provider Basic Life Support certification. Students and faculty will upload to the designated tracking system.

PROCEDURE

- 1. Each faculty and student is responsible for maintaining current BLS certification at all times.
- 2. BLS certification will be obtained through any American Heart Association Healthcare Provider BLS course.
- 3. The student and faculty will upload into the designated tracking program a copy of the current BLS certification for placement in the student's file.
- 4. The Senior Secretary will monitor the tracking program and notify instructors of any student not in compliance.
- 5. Students will not be allowed to go to clinical without current BLS certification. Failure to comply with this policy will result in clinical "F" day(s). An "F" day will be given for each clinical day missed.
- 6. At the discretion of the faculty member, the student may be required to demonstrate proficiency.