



DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDIES  
POLICY

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**PROFESSIONALISM**

*RESPONSIBILITY For  
Development*

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DPAS or the University with the public, peers, professors, patients and preceptors. Displays of frustration/anger, which may be perceived by others as hurtful or offensive, will not be tolerated. This includes demeaning, offensive (including swearing), argumentative and threatening language/behavior, or language that is insensitive to race, gender, ethnicity, religion and sexual orientation. Students should offer constructive criticism or suggestions in a thoughtful and reasoned manner that fosters respect and trust.

The professional conduct of PA students is evaluated on an ongoing basis throughout the program. The DPAS will monitor behavioral and professional concerns utilizing a flag system.

- For minor breaches in professionalism, faculty will notify the student, a yellow flag will be attached to the