SCHOOL OF NURSING TECHNICAL STANDARDS 2018-2019 Academic Year

A candidate for a nursing degree must possess abilities and skills which include those that are observational, communicational, motor, auditory, tactile, physical, intellectual-conceptual (integrative and quantitative), behavioral, and social. The use of a trained intermediary is not acceptable in many clinical situations in that it implies that a candidate’s judgment must be mediated by someone else’s power of observation, selection, and assessment. These technical standards are key components of the Nursing academic program.

Personal qualities reflected in behaviors that affect the care of patients and the ability to function as part of a team, thus jeopardizing safety, will be assessed during the educational process and considered as required components for progression in the program.

I certify that I have read the School of Nursing Technical Standards found on pages 28-29 of the 2018-2019 UMSN Undergraduate Handbook. I certify that I am capable of demonstrating the School of Nursing technical standards on a regular basis, with or without a reasonable accommodation. If I experience difficulties in performing the essential technical standards listed above, I agree to notify the appropriate School of Nursing faculty member, administrator, or staff member. I agree that if I, at any time, am unable to perform the Technical Standards, I will seek the appropriate medical attention and may need to have a physician verify that I am able to perform the technical skills required by the School of Nursing and the required technical standards.

Student Signature: ____________________________ Date: ________________

Printed Student Name: ____________________________ UMID: ________________