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To: University Undergraduate Programs Committee
 From: Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing

The Undergraduate Program Committee and the Faculty Assembly of the Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing have passed a new grade point average (GPA) for admission into the RN-BSN track of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Program.

The current GPA is 2.75; the new admission GPA for the RN-BSN track of the BSN program is 2.5.

Rationale: The RN-BSN student has already successfully completed an Associate of Science in Nursing degree and is a licensed Registered Nurse (RN). These nurses want to earn the BSN degree for career advancement. The 2.5 GPA will increase enrollment in the RN-BSN track, align College of Nursing Transfer admission criteria with other FAU transfer admission GPA Criteria, and respond to the *Future of Nursing* recommendation to increase the percentage of RNs prepared at the BSN level.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Approved by:	Date:
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