

PAS Program Student Drug Screening Policy

1. All PAS Program Students must comply with the GVSU Senior Leadership Policy 5.1 Alcohol and Other Drugs Policy (<https://www.gvsu.edu/policies>).
2. A drug screen is required for scheduling clinical placements and by most health systems, as defined in the GVSU Health Compliance Policy.
3. Students may be required to obtain repeat drug screening immediately before or during the clinical year and/or rotations.
4. Drug screening results are maintained in the student's health compliance account in the GVSU Health Compliance System.
5. The cost of all screenings is the responsibility of the student.
6. A non-negative drug screen may affect a student's ability to be placed at any clinical site and successfully meet program requirements.
 - a. Students with a non-negative drug screen will be restricted from clinical placement **across all sites**, independent of the site's original requirement for a drug screen, until the issue is fully resolved in accordance with the **GVSU Health Compliance Policy**.
 - b. Non-negative drug screens are reviewed and managed in accordance with the GVSU Health Compliance Policy.
 - c. If a clinical rotation must be rescheduled due to a non-negative drug screen, placement at the rescheduled rotation may be delayed based on site availability and compliance clearance. Such delays may extend the student's clinical year and may delay program completion and graduation.
7. The Alcohol and Other Drugs Policy Handbook (www.gvsu.edu/aces) includes information about University drug and alcohol abuse prevention programs; health risks; counseling, treatment, and rehabilitation resources; legal sanctions and summary of laws; University employee and student sanctions for violations of alcohol and other drug policies; employee notification obligations; requirements for Federal grant recipients; and links to additional University policies, procedures, and resources.