

E. Terminal degree

1. For all purposes in this department, including but not limited to evaluation for tenure and promotion, the following educational attainment criteria shall govern.
2. Faculty members who are primarily educated as a Physician Assistant shall be graduates of an accredited physician assistant training program. A master's degree is considered the terminal degree.
3. Traditionally ranked faculty members who are primarily educated in another related field shall possess a relevant doctoral level degree, unless there is generally accepted consensus that the standards for that field specify the master's degree as the terminal degree.
4. Faculty Specialists who are primarily educated in another field shall possess a relevant master's degree or higher degree.